

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 2830 - SB 2585

May 30, 2020

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Increases, from 30 days to 35 days, the time period in which a TennCare enrollee or applicant is required to mail documentation of any material change affecting any information given to the Division of TennCare (Division) on or with the person's TennCare application.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (016906): Deletes all language after the enacting clause. Requires a participating provider in the hospital presumptive eligibility program to strive to process applications for hospital presumptive eligibility within 24 hours of the date of admission. Authorizes the Division of TennCare to take remedial steps as permitted by federal law when the new standard is not met.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- The Division will notify participating providers of the new standard which can be accomplished utilizing existing resource; therefore, any fiscal impact is estimated to be not significant.
- Any remedial actions taken by the Division will not result in a significant fiscal impact to state or federal expenditures.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner".

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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