



GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF
BUDGET AND PROGRAM PLANNING

Fiscal Note 2027 Biennium

Bill#/Title: **SB0206.02 (001): Generally revise laws related to child abuse and neglect proceedings and investigations**

Primary Sponsor: Dennis Lenz Status: As Amended in Senate Committee

☐ Included in the Executive Budget ☐ Needs to be included in HB 2 ☐ Significant Local Gov Impact
☐ Significant Long-Term Impacts ☐ Technical Concerns ☐ Dedicated Revenue Form Attached

FISCAL SUMMARY

	<u>FY 2026 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2027 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2028 Difference</u>	<u>FY 2029 Difference</u>
Expenditures				
General Fund (01)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenues				
General Fund (01)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Impact	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
General Fund Balance	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

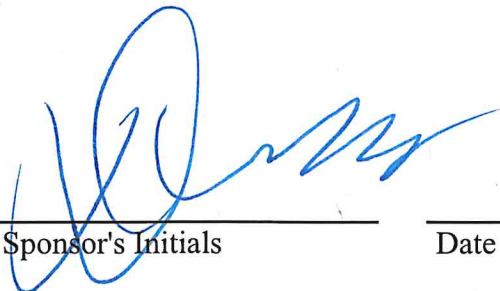
Description of fiscal impact

SB 206 revises laws related to child abuse and neglect proceedings and investigations by designating distinct roles to include a child protection investigator and a child reunification specialist. Amendments to SB 206 New Section, Section 1(3) allow the Department of Public Health and Human Services to utilize existing resources and remain in compliance with statute. There is not fiscal impact.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

Assumptions

1. New Section, Section 1 (3) indicates that the role of a child protection investigator and the role of child reunification specialist may not be performed by the same person in a single matter involving the same child or children. Amendments to SB 206 allow Department of Public Health and Human services staff to use the same staff if there are not sufficient employees available. DPHHS will not incur any costs.



Sponsor's Initials

Date



Budget Director's Initials

2/19/2025

Date