



Colorado Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note
REVISED NO FISCAL IMPACT

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Prime Sponsor(s): Rep. Schafer S.; McCann **Bill Status:** Senate Health and Human Services
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TITLE: CONCERNING A PROHIBITION AGAINST CONSIDERATION OF GENDER IN
SETTING RATES FOR INDIVIDUAL HEALTH INSURANCE POLICIES.

Summary of Legislation

This rengrossed bill prohibits insurance companies from using gender as a factor in determining the rate for an individual health coverage plan. Any premium rate based on gender will be considered unfairly discriminatory. The bill takes effect January 1, 2011.

Assessment

HB10-1008 is assessed at no fiscal impact. The Division of Insurance in the Department of Regulatory Agencies will amend its rules to incorporate the change during its annual rule-making cycle, so no additional resources are required.

Departments Contacted

Regulatory Agencies