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AN ACT CONCERNING VARIOUS REVISIONS TO STATUTES CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES.

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 26 \$	FY 27 \$
Social Services, Dept.	GF - Potential Cost	See Below	See Below

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

Section 5 clarifies how inflation is applied for community living arrangements in order to align with how statutory inflation is applied to other entities. To the extent this alters the average Gross Domestic Product used at the time inflation is applied, the state may experience a fiscal impact.

Section 7 results in a potential cost to the Department of Social Services (DSS) in FY 26 and FY 27 to create an outreach program for breast cancer survivors. The program must include information concerning Medicaid coverage of custom-made, noninvasive breast prosthesis. The associated cost to DSS depends on the scope of the outreach program and extent to which staff are needed to meet the provisions of the bill.

Sections 1-4 and 6 make clarifying, conforming, or technical changes that do not result in a fiscal impact.

The Out Years

The annualized ongoing fiscal impact identified above would continue into the future subject to inflation.