

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Linda W. Cropp
Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia

FROM: Natwar M. Gandhi [signature]
Chief Financial Officer

DATE: June 28, 2004

SUBJECT: Fiscal Impact Statement: "Public Assistance Confidentiality of
Information Amendment Act of 2004"

REFERENCE: Draft Legislation – Bill Number Not Available

Conclusion

Funds are sufficient in the FY 2005 through FY 2008 budget and financial plan to implement the proposed legislation because any costs would be absorbed with existing resources.

Background

The proposed legislation would provide policies and procedures governing the confidentiality of information for individuals applying for or receiving public benefits through the Department of Human Services, Income Maintenance Administration. The bill also would authorize the Mayor to promulgate rules for the release and disclosure of confidential information.

Financial Plan Impact

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