

**Department of Planning and Budget
2014 Fiscal Impact Statement**

1. Bill Number: HB 764

House of Origin Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron: Kory, Kaye

3. Committee: Health, Welfare and Institutions

4. Title: Speech-language pathologists, assistant; regulation

5. Summary: The substitute bill requires the Board of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology to review the need for licensure of individuals as assistant speech-language pathologists and make recommendations related to licensure of assistant speech-language pathologists, including requirements related to education, training, and other qualifications of assistant speech-language pathologists.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

7. Minimal Fiscal Impact

8. Fiscal Implications: It is expected that the Board of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology will be able to perform the required review with existing staff and resources.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Health Professions

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None.

Date: 1/31/14