

# FISCAL NOTE

## HB 87 - SB 1589

March 4, 2005

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Clarifies that any express or implied contract, covenant, or agreement to keep medical information confidential is waived under certain circumstances.

### ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

**MINIMAL**

Assumptions:

- The Department of Health continues to have authority pursuant to TCA 63-1-117 to request records.
- The bill will have no impact on the existing programs of the Department.

### CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James W. White, Executive Director

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