

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 58th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB 647
Version:	Senate Engr
Request Number:	
Author:	Rep. Stark and Sen. Pugh
Date:	3/24/2021
Impact:	No impact

Research Analysis

Engrossed SB 647 creates Lily's Law and provides definitions of fetal death and stillbirth. Additionally, the measure subjects birthing centers and medical facilities to the requirements to maintain a written policy for the disposition of the remains of a child from a stillbirth or fetal death event, notify the parents of their right to direct the disposition and that a disposition may be made if no direction is given by a parent within 14 days of delivery. Nothing in the statute prohibits additional notification and assistance to a parent. Current statute only includes licensed hospitals in this language.

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Fiscal Analysis

After review, SB 647 has no fiscal or revenue considerations to the state.

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Other Considerations

None.