BILL SUMMARY

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Research Analysis

The second floor substitute to engrossed Senate Bill 1709 transfers the Office of Client Advocacy and the Office of the State Long-Term Care Ombudsman within the Department of Human Services to the State Department of Health and the Office of the Attorney General, respectively.

CHANGES BETWEEN THE FLOOR SUBSTITUTE AND ENGROSSED VERSION

The floor substitute transfers of the Office of Client Advocacy to the State Department of Health and the Office of the State Long-Term Care Ombudsman to the Office of the Attorney General.

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Fiscal Analysis

The second floor substitute to SB1709 clarifies language relating to the Long-Term Care Ombudsman and the Office of Client Advocacy, within the Office of the Attorney General and the State Department of Health, respectively. The measure further clarifies that the Director of Human Services shall promulgate certain rules. The second floor substitute does not alter the fiscal impact of the measure. Therefore, the measure remains cost neutral.

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Other Considerations

None.

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