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Bill Number:	H. 4202 Introduced on March 7, 2019
Author:	Pope
Subject:	Certificate of Foreign Birth
Requestor:	House Medical, Military, Public, and Municipal Affairs
RFA Analyst(s):	Griffith
Impact Date:	March 18, 2019 Updated for Additional Agency Response

Fiscal Impact Summary

This bill will have no expenditure impact on the Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC) because any costs associated with the implementation of the bill can be managed within its existing appropriations. This impact statement has been updated to include a response from the agency.

Explanation of Fiscal Impact

Updated for Additional Agency Response on March 18, 2019 Introduced on March 7, 2019

State Expenditure

This bill requires the state registrar to prepare, upon request, a Certificate of Foreign Birth for a child born in a foreign country who was a United States citizen at the time of birth and born to a parent who is a resident of South Carolina. It also requires DHEC to notify the adoptive parents of a person born in a foreign country who was a United States citizen at the time of birth the procedure for obtaining a revised Consular Report of Birth Abroad (FS-240), rather than a revised birth certificate. DHEC indicates that any costs associated with the implementation of the bill can be managed within its existing appropriations. This impact statement has been updated to include a response from the agency.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure N/A

Local Revenue N/A

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procedure for obtaining a revised Consular Report of Birth Abroad (FS-240), rather than a revised birth certificate. The expenditure impact of the bill on DHEC is pending, contingent upon a response from the agency.

State Revenue N/A

Local Expenditure N/A

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