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AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS - 2025 REGULAR SESSION

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SECTION I: GENERAL INFORMATION

{Indicate if analysis is on an original bill, amendment, substitute or a correction of a previous bill}

Bill Number: 2.17.25 *Check all that apply:*
SB392 Original Correction
 Amendment Substitute

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SECTION II: FISCAL IMPACT

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY25	FY26		

(Parenthesis () indicate expenditure decreases)

REVENUE (dollars in thousands)

Estimated Revenue			Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY25	FY26	FY27		

(Parenthesis () indicate revenue decreases)

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY25	FY26	FY27	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total						

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SECTION III: NARRATIVE

BILL SUMMARY

Synopsis: The Bill would enact a new section of the hospital fund to require a county hospital or contracting hospital to provide a patient with a standard of care or services for their location and an affordable payment plan for treatment for a life-threatening condition, including cancer, which places the patient's health in serious jeopardy or causes serious impairment to bodily function or causes serious dysfunction of any bodily organ if the county hospital or contracting hospital is the only provider of the care or services needed to treat the patient's condition in the county where the patient resides.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

SB392 does not have fiscal impact on the New Mexico Retiree Health Care Authority.

This bill does not apply to any individual who has private health insurance through an employer which would exempt the members of the New Mexico Retiree Health Care Authority.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

None.

PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS

None.

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

None.

CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP

None.

TECHNICAL ISSUES

None.

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

None.

ALTERNATIVES

None.

WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL

None.

AMENDMENTS