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Final Fiscal Note

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Prime Sponsors:	Sen. Fenberg; Pettersen Rep. Esgar; Tipper	Bill Status:	Signed into Law
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Bill Topic: **COMPENSATION REQUIREMENTS FOR MEMBERS OF THE GA**

Summary of Fiscal Impact: **No fiscal impact.** The bill sets the conditions for a member of the General Assembly to be absent for an extended period of time without a loss in compensation. This codifies current practice and is assessed as having no fiscal impact.

Appropriation Summary: No appropriation is required.

Fiscal Note Status: The fiscal note reflects the enacted bill.

Summary of Legislation

Subject to approval by the Senate President or Speaker of the House, this bill allows a member of the General Assembly to be absent for a long-term illness, parental leave of up to 12 weeks, or extended parental leave for an additional 4 weeks for a serious health condition related to pregnancy or childbirth complications without a loss of compensation.

Assessment of No Fiscal Impact

Members of the General Assembly who have been absent for parental leave have had their absences excused under the existing long-term illness exception, and have not lost compensation. Because this bill codifies current practice, it is assessed as having no fiscal impact.

Effective Date

The bill was signed into law by the Governor and took effect on June 8, 2022.

State and Local Government Contacts

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