



FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 197

Committee: Military and Veterans Affairs

Sponsor: Representative Chip Brown

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House Bill 197 as introduced would increase the annual obligations of the Alabama Department of Veterans Affairs by a significant undetermined amount dependent on the cost to establish and operate a statewide integrated health care system dedicated to Alabama veterans and their immediate family members, as provided by this bill. The increased obligations of the Department could be offset, in whole or partly, by any of the following, as authorized pursuant to the provisions of this bill: (1) federal, state, or private funds for the purpose of delivering services to veterans; (2) borrowing money to implement the plan; and (3) investment of certain funds.