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**Bill Number:** S. 0972 Author: Hayes

Subject: SC Unclaimed Life Insurance Benefits Act

Requestor: Senate Banking and Insurance

RFA Analyst(s): Stein

Impact Date: January 22, 2016

**Estimate of Fiscal Impact** 

	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18
State Expenditure		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Full-Time Equivalent Position(s)	0.00	0.00
State Revenue		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Local Expenditure	\$0	\$0
Local Revenue	\$0	\$0

#### **Fiscal Impact Summary**

This bill would have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds.

# **Explanation of Fiscal Impact**

## **State Expenditure**

The bill requires insurers to compare their list of insureds holding policies that provide death benefits (life and accident insurance, annuities, pre-need funeral contracts) against a death master file at least semi-annually, and to make good faith efforts to locate the beneficiaries. The bill provides guidelines and record-keeping requirements for insurers.

The Department of Insurance reports that this bill would have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Fedeal funds, or Other Funds.

#### **State Revenue**

N/A

### **Local Expenditure**

N/A

#### **Local Revenue**

N/A

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