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Senate Bill 372 (as introduced 3-12-09)
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Committee: Health Policy

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CONTENT

The bill would amend the Public Health Code to require a physician's report of an abortion procedure to include the woman's Hispanic ethnicity, if applicable.

Under the Code, a physician who performs an abortion must report the performance of that procedure to the Department of Community Health within seven days. Each report must contain specific information, such as the woman's age, marital status, and race. The report must contain only the information prescribed in the Code.

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FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would add one item to a reporting form that is already required and would have no fiscal impact.

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