

Department of Fiscal Services
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE
Revised

House Bill 871 (Delegates Frank and V. Mitchell)
Economic Matters

Referred to Finance

**Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance -
Benefits Under Personal Injury Protection Coverage - Notice to Insureds**

This enrolled bill specifies that insurers must notify an insured by mail of the latest date on which a claim may be filed for benefits under personal injury protection coverage. The bill also specifies the requirement does not apply to any first party claim for benefits other than the benefits under personal injury protection coverage.

The clarifications made to the notification requirement from the insurer to the insured will be construed retroactively and will be interpreted to apply as of July 1, 1990.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None. The bill would not directly affect governmental operations or finances.

Local Effect: None.

Small Business Effect: None. The bill would not directly affect small businesses.

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