

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT
Committee on Health & Human Services.

SB25-124 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 2, after line 8 insert:

2 **"25.5-2.5-302. Legislative declaration.** (1) THE GENERAL
3 ASSEMBLY FINDS THAT:

4 (a) NONPROFIT HOSPITALS COVERED UNDER THE 340B PROGRAM
5 USE 340B PROFITS TO DECREASE OUT-OF-POCKET COSTS FOR LOW-INCOME
6 PATIENTS;

7 (b) FEDERALLY QUALIFIED HEALTH CENTERS, RYAN WHITE
8 CLINICS, STATE AIDS DRUG ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS, AND CHILDREN'S
9 HOSPITALS ARE REQUIRED TO REPORT CERTAIN REVENUE AND USE DATA
10 TO THE BENEFIT OF THE COMMUNITIES THEY SERVE. NO SIMILARLY
11 SITUATED REQUIREMENT EXISTS FOR NONPROFIT HOSPITALS COVERED
12 UNDER THE 340B PROGRAM.

13 (c) REQUIRING HOSPITALS COVERED UNDER THE 340B PROGRAM
14 THAT ARE LICENSED BY THE STATE TO REPORT INFORMATION RELATED TO
15 THEIR PARTICIPATION IN THE 340B PROGRAM TO THE STATE WOULD
16 CREATE PARITY IN THE USE OF 340B PROGRAM PROFITS.

17 (2) THEREFORE, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY DECLares THAT THE
18 STATE OF COLORADO HAS BOTH A SPECIFIED INTEREST IN AND PROPER
19 RESPONSIBILITY TO MONITOR NONPROFIT HOSPITALS COVERED UNDER THE
20 340B PROGRAM AND ENSURE THEY ARE APPROPRIATELY SERVING THEIR
21 COMMUNITIES AND THE TAXPAYER INTERESTS OF THE STATE.".

22 Renumber succeeding C.R.S. sections accordingly.

23 Page 5, line 27, strike "25.5-2.5-303" and substitute "25.5-2.5-304".

24 Page 6, line 3, strike "25.5-2.5-303" and substitute "25.5-2.5-304".

25 Page 6, line 6, strike "25.5-2.5-303 (1)(b); and substitute "25.5-2.5-304
26 (1)(b);".

27 Page 6, line 10, strike "25.5-2.5-303 (1); and substitute "25.5-2.5-304
28 (1);".

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