

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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