

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Health & Human Services.

HB25-1297 be amended as follows:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 3, lines 6 and 7, strike "THE COMMISSIONER" and
- 2 substitute "IF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT DISCONTINUES OR DECREASES
- 3 THE ENHANCED FEDERAL "PATIENT PROTECTION AND AFFORDABLE CARE
- 4 ACT" SUBSIDIES CREATED BY THE FEDERAL "AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN
- 5 ACT OF 2021", PUB.L. 117-2, AND EXTENDED BY THE FEDERAL "INFLATION
- 6 REDUCTION ACT OF 2022", PUB.L. 117-169, 136 STAT. 1818 (2022), OR
- 7 MONEY IS OTHERWISE INSUFFICIENT, THE ENTERPRISE".

- 8 Page 3, strike lines 9 through 13 and substitute "IN SUBSECTION (1)(a)(I)
- 9 OF THIS SECTION TO THE EXTENT NECESSARY TO:".

- 10 Renumber succeeding subparagraph accordingly.

- 11 Page 3, line 14, strike "MAINTAINING" and substitute "MAINTAIN".

- 12 Page 3, strike lines 16 through 18 and substitute "REINSURANCE
- 13 PROGRAM, PROVIDE SUBSIDIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WHO PURCHASE
- 14 INSURANCE ON THE EXCHANGE AT THE 2026 SUBSIDY LEVELS
- 15 RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD IN 2025, AND PROVIDE".

- 16 Page 3, line 21, strike "COVERING" and substitute "COVER".

- 17 Page 3, strike lines 24 and 25 and substitute:

- 18 "(C) COVER THE COSTS OF ENSURING THAT COLORADANS HAVE
- 19 ACCESS TO LEGALLY PROTECTED HEALTH-CARE ACTIVITY, AS DEFINED IN
- 20 SECTION 12-30-121 (1)(d)".

- 21 Page 3, line 27, after "THAN" insert "AUGUST 31, 2025, FOR THE 2026
- 22 ASSESSMENT AND, FOR SUBSEQUENT YEARS, NOT LATER THAN JUNE 1".

- 23 Page 4, line 1, strike "AUGUST 31".

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