

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO REENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1441

In lieu of the amendments adopted by the Senate as printed on pages 874-876 of the Senate Journal, Reengrossed House Bill No. 1441 is amended as follows:

Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "for an Act to provide for a legislative council study relating to the children's health insurance program.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STUDY. The legislative council shall consider studying, during the 2001-02 interim, the children's health insurance program. If chosen, the study must include a review of the eligibility requirements for the program, including an analysis of the effect of determining eligibility based on gross or net income and the effect of personal assets on eligibility. The study must also include a review of the levels of provider reimbursement for services covered by the program, including medical, dental, and optometric services. The legislative council shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the fifty-eighth legislative assembly."

Renumber accordingly

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

Dept. 325 - Department of Human Services

This amendment removes provisions included in the bill relating to medical assistance benefits and to eligibility determination for the children's health insurance program and provides for a legislative council study of the children's health insurance program.