

April 25, 2023

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1413

That the Senate recede from its amendments as printed on pages 1429 and 1430 of the House Journal and page 1181 of the Senate Journal and that Engrossed House Bill No. 1413 be 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 management study relating to accumulator adjustment programs.

SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - ACCUMULATOR ADJUSTMENT PROGRAM BANS. During the 2023-24 interim, the legislative management shall consider studying the impact of third-party payments and accumulator adjustment programs on North Dakota patients' out-of-pocket costs, medications adherence, and health care systems costs and impacts. The study shall assess health benefit participants' usage and prevalence of third-party payments in North Dakota. The study shall also review data from states with accumulator adjustment program bans since 2019 and shall seek input from all relevant stakeholders in the health care industry. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any proposed legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-ninth legislative assembly."

Renumber accordingly