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HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Health, Insurance, & Environment.HB18-1212 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 3, strike lines 11 through 13 and substitute:

2 "(II) LICENSED AS A COMMUNITY CLINIC AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION
3 25-3-101 AND:

4 (A) IS OPERATING IN A RURAL AREA, AS DEFINED IN SECTION
5 39-30-103 (1.5); OR

6 (B) IS GRANTED A WAIVER BY THE DEPARTMENT IN ACCORDANCE
7 WITH SUBSECTION (2) OF THIS SECTION.

8 (2) THE DEPARTMENT MAY GRANT A WAIVER OF THE LICENSURE
9 REQUIREMENTS SET FORTH IN THIS SECTION AND IN RULES ADOPTED BY
10 THE BOARD FOR A COMMUNITY CLINIC SERVING AN UNDERSERVED
11 POPULATION IN THE STATE."

12 Renumber succeeding subsections accordingly.

13 Page 4, line 10, strike "(2)(a)" and substitute "(3)(a)".

14 Page 4, strike lines 11 through 15 and substitute:

15 "(III) THE BOARD SHALL, BY RULE, ESTABLISH THE FINES THAT
16 THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT MAY ASSESS
17 AGAINST ANY FREESTANDING EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT THAT THE
18 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE POLICY AND FINANCING REPORTS AS
19 VIOLATING SUBSECTION (3)(a) OF THIS SECTION. THE FINES MUST NOT
20 EXCEED ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS PER PATIENT OCCURRENCE. ANY
21 PENALTY COLLECTED PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION SHALL BE TRANSMITTED
22 TO THE STATE TREASURER FOR DEPOSIT INTO THE GENERAL FUND."

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