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SB2917, RELATING TO THE COMPACT OF FREE ASSOCIATION

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1 **Department's Position:** The Department of Health believes that this bill is not necessary.

2 **Fiscal Implications:** not applicable

3 **Purpose and Justification:** This bill is not necessary as the Department of Health is a member of the  
4 Task Force established pursuant to SR 142, SD 1, which is under the lead of the Department of the  
5 Attorney General. A duplicate task force was not established by the Department of Health as stated in  
6 SR 94, SD1. Any additional recommendations for the Attorney General Task Force could be addressed  
7 in SB2513.

8 Thank you for the opportunity to testify.

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