

THE SENATE
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THE THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION OF 2025

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Wednesday, March 19, 2025
TIME: ~~8:30 AM~~ 9:30 AM
PLACE: Conference Room 229 & Videoconference
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street
TIMESLOT: CPN

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A G E N D A

HB 302, HD2

[\(HSCR1079\)](#)

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RELATING TO CANNABIS.

Repeals the requirement that a provider-patient relationship be established in person. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD2)

HHS/CPN, JDC

HB 1052, HD1

[\(HSCR935\)](#)

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RELATING TO THE UNIVERSAL SERVICE PROGRAM.

Clarifies that the Public Utilities Commission under the Universal Service Program may provide, and may use funds from the Universal Service Fund to provide, free telecommunications access to individuals with print disabilities. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD1)

CPN/HHS, WAM

HB 1482, HD1

[\(HSCR894\)](#)

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RELATED TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES.

For purposes of the hemp processors law, amends the definitions of "artificially derived cannabis" and "cannabis" to include, and the definition of "manufactured hemp product" to specifically exclude, all forms of cannabinoids classified as schedule I under the Uniform Controlled Substances Act. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD1)

HHS/CPN, JDC

[HB 712, HD2](#)
[\(HSCR1072\)](#)
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RELATING TO HEALTH.
Prohibits drug manufacturers from denying, restricting, or prohibiting the acquisition, shipping, or delivery of a 340B drug to pharmacies contracted with 340B covered entities under the federal 340B Drug Pricing Program. Authorizes the 340B covered entity and Attorney General to bring a civil action for enforcement. Specifies a four-year limitations period for bringing an action. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD2)

HHS/CPN,
WAM/JDC

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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