

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

Date

May 18, 2021

Committee on Judiciary.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

SB21-193 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 2, strike lines 4 through 8 and substitute:

2 **"10-4-106.5. Medical malpractice insurers - requirement to**
3 **provide information to the department of public health and**
4 **environment.** UPON REQUEST BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
5 AND ENVIRONMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 25-52-104 (5)(d)(II), AN
6 INSURER OFFERING A POLICY OF MEDICAL MALPRACTICE INSURANCE SHALL
7 PROVIDE THE DEPARTMENT WITH INFORMATION REGARDING THE INSURER'S
8 POLICIES RELATED TO LABOR AND DELIVERY SERVICES."

9 Page 10, strike lines 19 and 20 and substitute:

10 "(b) PRIORITIZES NEWBORNS BONDING WITH THEIR FAMILIES IN
11 ORDER TO FACILITATE THE PHYSIOLOGIC POSTPARTUM PROCESS;"

12 Page 10, line 23 strike "AND".

13 Page 10, strike lines 24 through 27 and substitute:

14 "(d) DETAILS THE FACILITY'S PROCESS RELATED TO RECEIVING A
15 PREGNANT PERSON'S PATIENT INFORMATION FROM ANY PROVIDER
16 REGULATED UNDER TITLE 12 WHO HAS PROVIDED CARE FOR THE PREGNANT
17 PERSON; AND

18 (e) ESTABLISHES A PROCESS TO TRANSFER AND RECEIVE PREGNANT

1 PERSONS ACROSS THE FACILITY'S LEVELS OF CARE WITHIN THE FACILITY'S
2 CAPACITY AND CAPABILITY."

3 Page 11, strike lines 6 and 7 and substitute:

4 "(a) PRIORITIZES NEWBORNS BONDING WITH THEIR FAMILIES IN
5 ORDER TO FACILITATE THE PHYSIOLOGIC POSTPARTUM PROCESS, UNLESS:"

6 Page 15, line 4, strike "This" and substitute "(1) Except as otherwise
7 provided in subsection (2) of this section, this".

8 Page 15, after line 12 insert:

9 "(2) Section 1 of this act, takes effect only if section 25-52-104
10 (5)(d)(II), as enacted in section 5 of Senate Bill 21-194 becomes law and
11 takes effect either upon the effective date of this act or Senate Bill
12 21-194, whichever is later."

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