



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 6928

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Referred to Committee on Human Services

Introduced by:

(HS)

AN ACT CONCERNING INDEXING OF PRIVATE PROVIDER RATES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective July 1, 2005) For the fiscal year ending
2 June 30, 2006, and each fiscal year thereafter, the Secretary of the Office
3 of Policy and Management shall increase the compensation rate paid to
4 private providers under contract with the state to provide services
5 related to health and hospitals, human services, education and
6 correction by an amount equal to the annual mean average increase
7 paid to state employees providing the same or similar services during
8 the previous biennium, as determined by the Secretary of the Office of
9 Policy and Management.

10 Sec. 2. (Effective July 1, 2005) The sum of ____ dollars is appropriated
11 to the Office of Policy and Management, from the General Fund, for
12 the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006, to provide an increase in the
13 compensation rate paid by the state to private providers under
14 contract with the state to provide services related to health and
15 hospitals, human services, education and correction.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2005</i>	New section
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2005</i>	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To enhance the quality and continuity of care afforded state residents by the private provider community by increasing compensation rates paid by the state to such private providers.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]