

# Bill History

## Session Year 2023

### S.B. No. 6

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#### **Introducer(s):**

Insurance and Real Estate Committee

**Title:** AN ACT CONCERNING UTILIZATION REVIEW AND HEALTH CARE CONTRACTS, HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR NEWBORNS AND STEP THERAPY.

**Statement of Purpose:** To: (1) Establish a utilization review exemption standard for certain participating providers; (2) require that each health carrier process utilization review requests more efficiently; (3) require that each health carrier develop an electronic prior authorization process; (4) extend the time period within which an insured shall provide notice of the birth of a newborn and pay any required premium or subscription fee to continue the newborn's coverage beyond such period; (5) prohibit health carriers from requiring the use of step therapy for drugs prescribed to treat behavioral health conditions or chronic, disabling or life-threatening conditions or diseases; and (6) to prohibit health carriers from requiring utilization review of a health care service or prescription drug after it has been certified through utilization review.

#### **Bill History:**

01-04-2023 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Insurance and Real Estate Committee

01-31-2023 VOTE TO DRAFT

02-28-2023 DRAFTED BY COMMITTEE

03-01-2023 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Insurance and Real Estate Committee

03-03-2023 PUBLIC HEARING 03/09

03-14-2023 JOINT FAVORABLE

03-15-2023 FILED WITH LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE

03-24-2023 REFERRED TO OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH AND OFFICE OF FISCAL ANALYSIS 03/29/23-5:00 PM

03-30-2023 REPORTED OUT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE  
03-30-2023 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, SENATE  
03-30-2023 SENATE CALENDAR NUMBER 197  
03-30-2023 FILE NUMBER 337  
05-03-2023 REFERRED BY SENATE TO COMMITTEE ON Appropriations Committee  
05-08-2023 JOINT FAVORABLE  
05-08-2023 FILED WITH LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE  
05-09-2023 REPORTED OUT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE  
05-09-2023 NO NEW FILE BY COMMITTEE ON Appropriations Committee  
05-09-2023 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, SENATE  
05-17-2023 SENATE ADOPTED SENATE AMENDMENT SCHEDULE A:LCO-8168  
05-17-2023 SENATE ADOPTED SENATE AMENDMENT SCHEDULE B:LCO-8181  
05-17-2023 SENATE PASSED AS AMENDED BY SENATE AMENDMENT SCHEDULE A,B  
05-19-2023 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, HOUSE  
05-19-2023 HOUSE CALENDAR NUMBER 546

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