

# HOUSE BILL REPORT

## HB 1038

---

As Passed House  
March 8, 1993

**Title:** An act relating to correcting a double amendment relating to authorized functions of health care assistants.

**Brief Description:** Correcting a double amendment related to authorized functions of health care assistants.

**Sponsors:** Representative Dellwo; by request of Law Revision Commission.

**Brief History:**

Reported by House Committee on:  
Health Care, February 12, 1993, DP;  
Passed House, March 8, 1993, 97-0.

---

### HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE

**Majority Report:** Do pass. Signed by 14 members:  
Representatives Dellwo, Chair; L. Johnson, Vice Chair; Dyer, Ranking Minority Member; Ballasiotes, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; Appelwick; Campbell; Conway; Cooke; Flemming; R. Johnson; Lisk; Morris; Thibaudeau; and Veloria.

**Staff:** John Welsh (786-7133).

**Background:** A section of the law pertaining to the scope of practice of a health care assistant was amended twice during the 1986 legislative session, each without reference to the other. The two amendments were drafted in a manner that could not be reconciled without the section appearing twice in the code.

**Summary of Bill:** The section is reenacted incorporating the two disparate amendments in a manner consistent with proper drafting.

**Fiscal Note:** Not requested.

**Effective Date:** Ninety days after adjournment of session in which bill is passed.

**Testimony For:** This is necessary for maintaining proper standards of code revision.

**Testimony Against:** None.

**Witnesses:** None.