

5459-S

Sponsor(s): Senate Committee on Health & Human Services (originally sponsored by Senators West, Wojahn, Sheldon and Sellar)

Brief Description: Regulating prescription claims for insurance coverage that were initially approved over the telephone or by other means.

**SB 5459-S - DIGEST**

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Prohibits disability insurance companies, health care service companies, and health care maintenance entities from rejecting prescription claims which were previously approved by phone or other means.

Requires a written record to be kept of preapprovals.