
HOUSE BILL 2592

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By Representatives H. Sommers, Dyer, Cody, Hankins, Conway, Mitchell, Dickerson, Lantz, Anderson, Kessler, Gardner, Linville, Lambert, Keiser, Tokuda, Costa, Scott, Kenney, O'Brien, Cole, Mason, Chopp, Constantine, Wood and Ogden

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1 AN ACT Relating to federal funding; and creating a new section.

2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

3 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** The governor shall negotiate with the
4 federal department of health and human services' health care financing
5 administration to obtain a regulatory waiver of provisions of the
6 medical assistance statute, Title XIX of the federal social security
7 act, to permit Washington to provide family planning services under the
8 medical assistance program to families with income less than two
9 hundred percent of the federal poverty level and report to the
10 appropriate committees of the legislature by December 15, 1998, on the
11 status of these negotiations.

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