

SSB 5623 - S AMD 231  
By Senator Short

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1 Beginning on page 11, line 31, after "the" strike all material  
2 through "representative." on page 12, line 15 and insert "state.  
3 ~~(3) This subsection (3) applies only to individual providers who~~  
4 ~~contract with the department of social and health services. If the~~  
5 ~~governor and the exclusive bargaining representative of a bargaining~~  
6 ~~unit of individual providers enter into a collective bargaining~~  
7 ~~agreement that meets the requirements in subsection (1)(b)(i) or (ii)~~  
8 ~~of this section, and the state as payor, but not as the employer,~~  
9 ~~contracts with a third-party entity to perform its obligations as set~~  
10 ~~forth in those subsections, and that third-party contracts with the~~  
11 ~~exclusive bargaining representative to perform voluntary deductions~~  
12 ~~for individual providers, the exclusive bargaining representative may~~  
13 ~~direct the third-party to make the deductions required by the~~  
14 ~~collective bargaining agreement, at the expense of the exclusive~~  
15 ~~bargaining representative, so long as such deductions by the~~  
16 ~~exclusive bargaining representative do not conflict with any federal~~  
17 ~~or state law.) ) "~~

EFFECT: Removes authorization for an exclusive bargaining representative of individual providers to designate a third-party entity to, with the individual provider's authorization, act as the individual provider's agent in receiving payments from the state for the purposes of deducting and remitting union dues.

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