

S.B. 166

HOSPITAL PROVIDER ASSESSMENT AMENDMENTS

Senator **Lyle W. Hillyard** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 4, Line 111 through Page 5, Line 121:*

111 26-36a-203. Calculation of assessment.

112 ~~[(1) The division shall calculate the inpatient upper payment limit gap for hospitals for~~
113 ~~each state fiscal year.]~~

114 ~~[(2)]~~ (1) (a) An annual assessment is payable on a quarterly basis for each hospital in
115 an amount calculated at a uniform assessment rate for each hospital discharge, in accordance
116 with this section.

117 (b) The uniform assessment rate shall be determined using the total number of hospital
118 discharges for assessed hospitals divided into the total nonfederal portion ~~[of the upper~~
119 ~~payment limit gap]~~ in an amount {equal to the \$154 million} consistent with 26-36a-205 that is
120 needed to support capitated
121 rates for accountable care organizations for purposes of hospital services provided to Medicaid
enrollees.

2. *Page 8, Line 242 through Page 9, Line 245:*

242 Quarterly assessments imposed by this chapter shall be paid to the division within ~~[10]~~
243 15 business days after the ~~[hospital receives its Medicaid inpatient hospital access payment due~~
244 ~~for the applicable quarter under Section 26-36a-205]~~ original invoice date that appears on the invoice
245 issued by
the division.

3. *Page 9, Lines 247 through 253:*

247 26-36a-205. Medicaid hospital adjustment under accountable care organization
248 rates.

249 ~~[(1)]~~ To preserve and improve access to ~~[hospitals]~~ hospital services, the division shall
250 ~~[make Medicaid inpatient hospital access payments to hospitals in accordance with this section,~~
251 ~~Section 26-36a-204, and Subsection 26-36a-203(7)],~~ for accountable care organization rates
252 effective on or after April 1, 2013, incorporate an annualized amount equal to \$154 million into the
253 accountable care organization rate structure calculation consistent with the certified actuarial rate range.

4. *Page 11, Line 328 through Page 12, Line 340:*

328 Section 7. Section **26-36a-207** is amended to read:
329 26-36a-207. Restricted Special Revenue Fund -- Creation -- Deposits.
330 (1) There is created a restricted special revenue fund known as the "Hospital Provider
331 Assessment Special Revenue Fund."
332 (2) The fund shall consist of:
333 (a) the assessments collected by the department under this chapter;
334 (b) any interest and penalties levied with the administration of this chapter; and
335 (c) any other funds received as donations for the restricted fund and appropriations
336 from other sources.
337 (3) Money in the fund shall be used:
338 [~~(a) to make inpatient hospital access payments under Section 26-36a-205; and~~]
339 (a) to support capitated rates consistent with 26-36a-203(1)(d) for accountable care organizations
340 { in an amount equal to
\$154 million } ; and