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Mr. Speaker,

The Public Utilities, Energy, and Technology Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **H.B. 534**, TELEMEDICINE AMENDMENTS, by Representative M. G. Ballard, with the following amendments:

- 1. Page 2, Lines 45 through 49:
  - (c) for a health benefit plan entered into or renewed on or after January 1, 2024, if a
  - 46 <u>network provider also provides health care services at an in-person location in the state,</u>
  - 47 reimburse the telemedicine services described in Subsection (2)(a) that are delivered by the
  - 48 <u>network provider</u> <u>, other than for telemedicine services related to urgent care as</u>

    <u>defined in 29 C.F.R. Sec. 2560.503-1,</u> at a rate that is at least 90% of the rate that is

    paid to the network provider for
  - 49 the same health care service that is delivered in-person.

Respectfully,

Carl R. Albrecht Chair

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