

Appropriations Committee JOINT FAVORABLE REPORT

Bill No.: SB-1215

Title: AN ACT CONCERNING SMALL HOSPITALS.

Vote Date: 4/20/2023

Vote Action: Joint Favorable Substitute

PH Date: 3/28/2023

File No.:

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SPONSORS OF BILL:

Appropriations Committee

REASONS FOR BILL:

PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE:

During the 2022 legislative session the Department of Developmental Services (DDS) received funding to provide wage and benefit enhancements for DDS employees of the agency's contracted private providers. It was intended that the wage and benefit enhancement also be extended to employees who work in Department of Social Services-funded Intermediate Care Facilities for Individuals with Intellectual Disability(ICF/ID). This bill would authorize payment to ICF/IDD employees, as originally intended.

ORIGINAL BILL:

The original bill called for a report from the Office of Health Strategy on the status of small hospitals in the state.

RESPONSE FROM ADMINISTRATION/AGENCY:

None submitted on the proposed substitute

NATURE AND SOURCES OF SUPPORT:

None submitted on the proposed substitute

NATURE AND SOURCES OF OPPOSITION:

None submitted on the proposed substitute

Reported by: James Angelopoulos

Date: 4/25/2023