

By: Senator(s) Bryan, Nunnelee

To: Rules

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 655

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUSPENDING THE DEADLINES FOR THE
2 PURPOSE OF REQUESTING THE DRAFTING, INTRODUCTION, CONSIDERATION
3 AND PASSAGE OF A BILL ENTITLED "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 43-13-145,
4 MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL ASSESSMENT
5 IMPOSED ON EACH HOSPITAL LICENSED IN THE STATE BASED UPON
6 NON-MEDICARE HOSPITAL INPATIENT DAYS IN THE 2006 MEDICARE COST
7 REPORT; TO DELETE THE PRESENT PER BED ASSESSMENT LEVIED ON
8 HOSPITALS; TO AMEND SECTION 43-13-117, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,
9 TO ESTABLISH THE MEDICAID HOSPITAL ADVISORY BOARD AND PROVIDE FOR
10 ITS ORGANIZATION; TO CREATE THE MISSISSIPPI HOSPITAL FUND IN THE
11 STATE TREASURY; TO PROVIDE THAT THE FUND SHALL RECEIVE MONIES
12 DERIVED FROM THE HOSPITAL ASSESSMENT ALONG WITH FEDERAL MATCHING
13 FUNDS AND TO MAKE DISBURSEMENTS TO HOSPITALS PARTICIPATING IN THE
14 CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM, THE MEDICAID DISPROPORTIONATE
15 SHARE HOSPITAL (DSH) PROGRAM, THE MEDICARE UPPER PAYMENT LIMITS
16 (UPL) PROGRAM AND FOR MAKING ANY PAYMENTS REIMBURSABLE TO THE
17 FEDERAL GOVERNMENT; TO CLARIFY THAT PAYMENTS TO HOSPITALS UNDER
18 THE DISPROPORTIONATE SHARE HOSPITAL (DSH) PROGRAM AND THE UPPER
19 PAYMENT LIMITS (UPL) PROGRAM SHALL BE MADE AS PERMITTED BY FEDERAL
20 REGULATIONS; TO PROVIDE THAT THE METHODOLOGY AND RATE
21 DETERMINATIONS FOR CROSSOVER CLAIMS FOR DUAL ELIGIBLES SHALL
22 REMAIN THE SAME AS IN EFFECT ON JANUARY 1, 2008; TO BRING FORWARD
23 SECTIONS 43-13-107, 43-13-113, 43-13-115, 43-13-117.1,
24 43-13-117.2, 43-13-121, 43-13-122, 43-13-125, 43-13-126,
25 43-13-129, 43-13-131, 43-13-143, 43-13-213 AND 43-13-223,
26 MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, OF THE MISSISSIPPI MEDICAID LAW, FOR THE
27 PURPOSES OF AMENDMENT; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES."

28 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE
29 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN, That the Joint Rules
30 of the Senate and the House are hereby suspended for the purpose
31 of requesting the drafting, introduction, consideration and
32 passage, regardless of any deadlines imposed by said rules, of a
33 bill entitled "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 43-13-145, MISSISSIPPI CODE
34 OF 1972, TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL ASSESSMENT IMPOSED ON EACH
35 HOSPITAL LICENSED IN THE STATE BASED UPON NON-MEDICARE HOSPITAL
36 INPATIENT DAYS IN THE 2006 MEDICARE COST REPORT; TO DELETE THE
37 PRESENT PER BED ASSESSMENT LEVIED ON HOSPITALS; TO AMEND SECTION



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43 DISBURSEMENTS TO HOSPITALS PARTICIPATING IN THE CHILDREN'S HEALTH
44 INSURANCE PROGRAM, THE MEDICAID DISPROPORTIONATE SHARE HOSPITAL
45 (DSH) PROGRAM, THE MEDICARE UPPER PAYMENT LIMITS (UPL) PROGRAM AND
46 FOR MAKING ANY PAYMENTS REIMBURSABLE TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT; TO
47 CLARIFY THAT PAYMENTS TO HOSPITALS UNDER THE DISPROPORTIONATE
48 SHARE HOSPITAL (DSH) PROGRAM AND THE UPPER PAYMENT LIMITS (UPL)
49 PROGRAM SHALL BE MADE AS PERMITTED BY FEDERAL REGULATIONS; TO
50 PROVIDE THAT THE METHODOLOGY AND RATE DETERMINATIONS FOR CROSSOVER
51 CLAIMS FOR DUAL ELIGIBLES SHALL REMAIN THE SAME AS IN EFFECT ON
52 JANUARY 1, 2008; TO BRING FORWARD SECTIONS 43-13-107, 43-13-113,
53 43-13-115, 43-13-117.1, 43-13-117.2, 43-13-121, 43-13-122,
54 43-13-125, 43-13-126, 43-13-129, 43-13-131, 43-13-143, 43-13-213
55 AND 43-13-223, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, OF THE MISSISSIPPI
56 MEDICAID LAW, FOR THE PURPOSES OF AMENDMENT; AND FOR RELATED
57 PURPOSES."

