

# COMMITTEE REPORT

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## MADAM PRESIDENT:

The Senate Committee on Health and Provider Services, to which was referred House Bill No. 1277, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

- 1 Delete the title and insert the following:  
2 A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning human services.  
3 Page 1, delete lines 1 through 17, begin a new paragraph and insert:  
4 "SECTION 1. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2010] (a) As used in this  
5 SECTION, "commission" refers to the select joint commission on  
6 Medicaid oversight established by IC 2-5-26-3.  
7 (b) The Indiana Minority Health Coalition shall report to the  
8 commission during the 2010 interim concerning minority health  
9 disparities.  
10 (c) The Indiana board of pharmacy shall report to the  
11 commission during the 2010 interim concerning the feasibility and  
12 cost of requiring pharmacies to print prescription labels in foreign  
13 languages. The pharmacy board shall also report the number of  
14 foreign languages, if any, that the board would recommend to be  
15 required to be printed on a prescription drug label.  
16 (d) The director of the office of Medicaid policy and planning  
17 shall report to the commission during the 2010 interim concerning  
18 the information currently collected by the office or a contractor of  
19 the office in the Medicaid program concerning the following:  
20 (1) Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set  
21 (HEDIS) measurements.

- 1           **(2) Minority status.**
- 2           **The director shall also report any future plans the office may have**
- 3           **to collect additional information described in this subsection.**
- 4           **(e) This SECTION expires December 31, 2010."**
- 5           Delete pages 2 through 7.  
              (Reference is to HB 1277 as reprinted February 2, 2010.)

**and when so amended that said bill do pass .**

Committee Vote: Yeas 8, Nays 0.

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**Senator Miller, Chairperson**