

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 276
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Requested by Representative Michele Reinhart

For the House Business and Labor Committee

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1. Title, line 5.

Following: "INSURANCE"

Insert: "UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS"

2. Page 2, line 18.

Following: "UNDERTAKER"

Insert: "licensed to do business in this state"

3. Page 2, line following 23.

Insert: "(6) After the death of a person who at any time received medicaid benefits, a funeral director, mortician, mortuary, undertaker, or other person, including but not limited to the decedent's spouse, heir, devisee, or personal representative, who is the beneficiary of funeral insurance in excess of \$5,000 in value designated to pay for the disposition of the medicaid recipient's remains and for related expenses shall, after paying for the disposition and related expenses, pay all remaining funds to the department of public health and human services within 30 days following the receipt of the funeral insurance death benefit. The funds must be paid to the department regardless of any provision in a written contract, insurance policy, or other agreement entered into on or after [the effective date of this act] directing a different disposition of the funds. Funds paid to the department under this section are not considered to be property of the deceased medicaid recipient's estate, and the provisions of 53-6-167 do not apply to recovery of the funds by the department."

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