

Chairperson:Rich PahlsCommittee:Banking, Commerce and InsuranceDate of Hearing:February 19, 2008

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

The intent of the bill is to require insurers or other entities which issue group health benefit plans of fifty-one or more eligible employees to provide to the plan sponsor, or a producer acting on behalf of the plan sponsor, information, on an annual basis, regarding the total amount of actual claims identified as paid or incurred and paid, and the total amount of premiums by line of coverage. Lines of coverage would include such things as medical, prescription drug card program, dental, vision, long-term disability, and short-term disability.

Principal Introducer:

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