

# FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

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The Free Conference Committee on **SB 65** has met as provided in the Rules of the House and Senate and hereby reports the following to be adopted:

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For the above-referenced bill, with these amendments (if applicable):

Committee (list by chamber and number): \_\_\_\_\_;

Floor (list by chamber and number): \_\_\_\_\_; and

The following Free Conference Committee action:

On page 3, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

"➔Section 4. The Department for Medicaid Services shall reimburse providers utilizing the fee schedule in effect as of January 1, 2023, for services rendered or initiated prior to the effective date of this Act. Nothing in Section 2 of this Act shall be construed to prohibit or prevent the Department for Medicaid Services from covering the services that were initiated prior to the effective date of this Act.

➔Section 5. Nothing in Section 2 of this Act shall be construed to prohibit or prevent the Department for Medicaid Services from increasing reimbursement rates after the effective date of this Act for the dental, hearing, and vision services that were covered before January 1, 2023."; and

Renumber the subsequent section accordingly.

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**Senate Members**

**House Members**

Stephen West

Derek Lewis

Julie Raque Adams

David Hale

Stephen Meredith

Deanna Frazier Gordon

Gerald Neal

Daniel Grossberg

The above-named members, in separate votes by house, all concur in the provisions of this report.

DATE

For Clerk's Use:

Adopted: \_\_\_\_\_

Repassage Vote: \_\_\_\_\_