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## HOUSE BILL 446

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FOR THE LEGISLATIVE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

## AN ACT

RELATING TO TAXATION: PROVIDING A GROSS RECEIPTS TAX DEDUCTION FOR CERTAIN SERVICES OF PHYSICAL THERAPISTS; RECONCILING MULTIPLE AMENDMENTS TO THE SAME SECTION OF LAW IN LAWS 2003.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. Section 7-9-77. 1 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1998, Chapter 96, Section 1, as amended by Laws 2003, Chapter 350, Section 1 and by Laws 2003, Chapter 351, Section 1) is amended to read:

"7-9-77.1. DEDUCTION--GROSS RECEIPTS TAX--CERTAIN MEDICAL AND HEALTH CARE SERVICES. --

Receipts from payments by the United States government or any agency thereof for provision of medical and other health services by medical doctors, [and] osteopathic physicians, physical therapists and podiatrists or of medical,

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deducted; and

| 1  | other health and palliative services by [a hospice] hospices to |
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| 2  | medicare beneficiaries pursuant to the provisions of Title 18   |
| 3  | of the federal Social Security Act may be deducted from gross   |
| 4  | receipts.   |
| 5  | B. Receipts from payments by a third-party                      |
| 6  | administrator of the federal TRICARE program for provision of   |
| 7  | medical and other health services by medical doctors and        |
| 8  | osteopathic physicians to covered beneficiaries may be deducted |
| 9  | from gross receipts.  |
| 10 | C. Receipts from payments by the United States                  |
| 11 | government or any agency thereof for medical services provided  |
| 12 | by a clinical laboratory to medicare beneficiaries pursuant to  |
| 13 | the provisions of Title 18 of the federal Social Security Act   |
| 14 | may be deducted from gross receipts pursuant to the following   |
| 15 | schedul e:  |
| 16 | (1) from July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2004,                    |
| 17 | thirty-three and one-third percent of the receipts may be       |
| 18 | deducted;   |

(2) from July 1, 2004 through June 30, 2005, sixty-six and two-thirds percent of the receipts may be

(3) after June 30, 2005, one hundred percent of the receipts may be deducted.

D. Receipts from payments by the United States
government or any agency thereof for medical, other health and
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| 1  | palliative services provided by a home health agency to       |
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| 2  | medicare beneficiaries pursuant to the provisions of Title 18 |
| 3  | of the federal Social Security Act may be deducted from gross |
| 4  | receipts pursuant to the following schedule:                  |
| 5  | (1) from July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2004,                  |
| 6  | thirty-three and one-third percent of the receipts may be     |
| 7  | deducted;   |
| 8  | (2) from July 1, 2004 through June 30, 2005,                  |
| 9  | sixty-six and two-thirds percent of the receipts may be       |
| 10 | deducted; and   |
| 11 | (3) after June 30, 2005, one hundred percent                  |
| 12 | of the receipts may be deducted.                              |
| 13 | [C.] E. For the purposes of this section:                     |
| 14 | (1) "clinical laboratory" means a laboratory                  |
| 15 | accredited pursuant to 42 USCA 263a;                          |
| 16 | (2) "home health agency" means a for-profit                   |
| 17 | entity that is licensed by the department of health and       |
| 18 | certified by the federal centers for medicare and medicaid    |
| 19 | services as a home health agency;                             |
| 20 | [(1)] (3) "hospice" means a for-profit entity                 |
| 21 | licensed and certified by the department of health as a       |
| 22 | hospi ce;   |
| 23 | $[\frac{(2)}{(2)}]$ "medical doctor" means a person           |
| 24 | licensed as a physician to practice medicine pursuant to the  |
| 25 | provisions of the Medical Practice Act;                       |
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| person licensed as | s an oste                   | eopathi c | physi ci a | n pursuan   | t to  | the |
| provisions of Chap | oter 61,                    | Arti cl e | 10 NMSA    | 1978;       |       |     |

(6) "physical therapist" means a person

licensed as a physical therapist pursuant to the provisions of

Chapter 61, Article 12D NMSA 1978;

 $\label{eq:continuous} \hbox{$[\frac{\mbox{$(4)$}}{\mbox{$(2)$}}]$ $[\frac{\mbox{$(7)$}}{\mbox{$(2)$}}$ "podiatrist" means a person licensed as a podiatrist pursuant to the provisions of the Podiatry Act; and$ 

 $\label{eq:continuous} \hbox{$[\frac{(5)}{]}$ $\underline{(8)}$ "TRICARE program" means the program defined in 10 U.S.C. 1072(7)."}$ 

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