

**FIFTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND SESSION, 2026**

**February 11, 2026**

**Mr. Speaker:**

Your **HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE**, to whom has been referred

**HOUSE BILL 279**

has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation that it **DO NOT PASS**, but that

**HOUSE HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
FOR HOUSE BILL 279**

**DO PASS**, and thence referred to the **JUDICIARY COMMITTEE**.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Elizabeth Thomson, Chair**

Adopted \_\_\_\_\_  
(Chief Clerk)

Not Adopted \_\_\_\_\_  
(Chief Clerk)

Date \_\_\_\_\_

The roll call vote was 6 For 2 Against  
Yes: Anaya, Cates, Chávez, E, Ferrary, Herndon, Thomson  
No: Jones, Sena Cortez  
Excused: Chavez, N, Martinez, A.  
Absent: None

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