

FIFTIETH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SESSION, 2011

SB 232/a

February 18, 2011

Mr. President:

Your **FINANCE COMMITTEE**, to whom has been referred

**SENATE BILL 232**

has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation that it **DO PASS**, amended as follows:

1. On page 1, line 20, before "EXEMPTING", insert "REQUIRING THE HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT TO ENSURE THAT PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER BUPRENORPHINE RECEIVE PAYMENT FOR OFFICE-BASED BUPRENORPHINE TREATMENT SERVICES;".

2. On page 2, line 12, before "patients", insert "to".

3. On page 2, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following new subsection:

"C. The department shall ensure that a primary care provider authorized to administer buprenorphine receives payment for office-based buprenorphine treatment services.".

4. Reletter the succeeding subsections accordingly.

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Respectfully submitted,

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John Arthur Smith, Chairman

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

Date \_\_\_\_\_

The roll call vote was 8 For 0 Against

Yes: 8

No: 0

Excused: Cisneros, Papen, Smith

Absent: None

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