## Senate Study Bill 3055 - Introduced

SENATE FILE

BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES BILL BY CHAIRPERSON RAGAN)

## A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to participation of chiropractors in certain
  2 limited provider network plans.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 514C.13, Code 2009, is amended by adding
2 the following new subsection:

3 <u>NEW SUBSECTION</u>. 5. A carrier or organized delivery system 4 or a large employer which offers a limited provider network 5 plan shall permit any chiropractor licensed under chapter 6 151 who is located in the geographic area served by the plan 7 and who agrees to abide by the plan's terms, conditions, 8 reimbursement rates, and quality standards, to serve as a 9 participating provider in the limited provider network plan. 10 EXPLANATION

11 This bill provides that a carrier or organized delivery 12 system or a large employer that offers a limited provider 13 network plan is required to allow any chiropractor licensed 14 under Code chapter 151 who is located in the geographic area 15 served by the plan and who agrees to abide by the terms, 16 conditions, reimbursement rates, and quality standards of the 17 plan, to serve as a participating provider in the limited 18 provider network plan.

19 A "limited provider network plan" means a managed care 20 health plan which limits access to or coverage for services to 21 selected health care providers who are under contract with the 22 managed care health plan.

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