Bill History Session Year 2025 Proposed S.B. No. 445

Proposed Bill

Introducer(s): SEN. SAUD ANWAR, 3rd DIST. SEN. JEFF GORDON, 35th DIST.

Title: AN ACT CONCERNING PATIENT CHOICE AND CONTINUITY OF CARE DURING HEALTH INSURANCE CONTRACT DISPUTES.

Statement of Purpose: To allow any covered person under a health insurance policy that is the subject of a health care contract dispute between such covered person's health care provider and the health insurer, resulting in such health care provider being deemed out-of-network, to terminate such policy and enroll in a new health insurance policy that provides in-network coverage, without any early termination fees, financial penalties, increased premiums, increased out-of-pocket expenses, changes in coverage or coverage gaps.

Bill History:

01-10-2025 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Insurance and Real Estate Committee

Co-sponsor(s):