

**WORKING DRAFT**

SENATE FILE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Health insurance pool amendments.

Sponsored by: Joint Labor, Health and Social Services  
Interim Committee

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to the Wyoming Health Insurance Pool Act;  
2 and providing for an effective date.

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4 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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6 **Section 1.** W.S. 26-43-106(b)(iii) and (iv) and  
7 26-43-113 are amended to read:

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9 **26-43-106. Minimum benefits; limitations.**

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11 (b) In establishing the pool coverage, the  
12 commissioner shall:

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14 (ii) Promulgate benefit levels, deductibles,  
15 coinsurance factors, exclusions and limitations determined

1 to be generally reflective of and commensurate with health  
2 insurance plans marketed in the state and required by this  
3 act. The commissioner shall also establish benefit levels,  
4 deductibles, coinsurance factors, exclusions and  
5 limitations for alternative plan coverage under the pool  
6 meeting the requirements of this act and the requirements  
7 for an acceptable alternative mechanism under section 2744  
8 of the federal Public Health Service Act as defined in P.L.  
9 104-191. For both categories of coverage, the commissioner  
10 shall offer at least two (2) plans, including a high  
11 deductible plan designed to keep premiums affordable;

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13 **26-43-113. Termination of provisions.**

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15 This act is not effective after June 30, ~~2005~~2011.

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17 **Section 2.** W.S. 26-43-106(b)(iii) and (iv) are  
18 repealed.

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20 **Section 3.** This act is effective July 1, 2005.

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