

SENATE FILE NO. SF0118

Continuance of insurance coverage.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Esquibel, F. and
Representative(s) Throne

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to insurance coverage; specifying the level
2 of benefits required for continuance of coverage for a
3 preexisting condition under a new plan by a succeeding
4 carrier; and providing for an effective date.

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

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8 **Section 1.** W.S. 26-19-203(a)(ii)(B)(intro) is amended
9 to read:

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11 **26-19-203. Continuance of coverage where 1 carrier's**
12 **contract replaces a plan of similar benefits of another**
13 **carrier.**

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1 (a) In those instances in which one (1) carrier's
2 contract replaces a plan of similar benefits of another
3 carrier:

5 (ii) The succeeding carrier is liable under the
6 following circumstances:

8 (B) In the case of a preexisting conditions
9 limitation included in the succeeding carrier's plan, the
10 level of benefits applicable to preexisting conditions of
11 persons becoming covered by the succeeding carrier's plan
12 in accordance with this paragraph during the period of time
13 this limitation applies under the new plan shall be the
14 ~~lesser~~ greater of:

16 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2009.

18 (END)