

1.1 Senator moves to amend S.F. No. 4476 as follows:

1.2 Page 16, after line 14, insert:

1.3 "Sec. 11. Minnesota Statutes 2025 Supplement, section 256.9657, subdivision 1, is amended
1.4 to read:

1.5 Subdivision 1. **Nursing home license surcharge.** (a) Each non-state-operated nursing
1.6 home licensed under chapter 144A shall pay to the commissioner an annual surcharge
1.7 according to the schedule in subdivision 4. The surcharge shall be calculated as \$2,815 per
1.8 licensed bed. If the number of licensed beds is changed, the surcharge shall be based on the
1.9 number of licensed beds on the first day of the month following the change in number of
1.10 licensed beds. The nursing home must notify the commissioner of health in writing when
1.11 beds are licensed or delicensed. The commissioner of human services must acknowledge a
1.12 medical care surcharge appeal within 90 days of receipt of the written appeal from the
1.13 provider.

1.14 ~~(b) Effective January 1, 2026, or the first day of the month following federal approval,~~
1.15 ~~whichever is later, the surcharge under this subdivision shall be increased to \$5,900.~~

1.16 ~~(e)~~ (b) The commissioner must decrease the amount under this subdivision as necessary
1.17 to remain under the allowable federal tax percent in Code of Federal Regulations, title 42,
1.18 part 433.

1.19 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the first day of the month following final
1.20 enactment."

1.21 Page 26, after line 4, insert:

1.22 "Sec. 20. Minnesota Statutes 2025 Supplement, section 256R.25, subdivision 2, is amended
1.23 to read:

1.24 Subd. 2. **Provider surcharges.** (a) For a facility licensed as a nursing home, the portion
1.25 related to the provider surcharge under section 256.9657 is equal to ~~\$19.02~~ \$8.86 per resident
1.26 day. For a facility licensed as both a nursing home and a boarding care home, the portion
1.27 related to the provider surcharge under section 256.9657 is equal to ~~\$19.02~~ \$8.86 per resident
1.28 day multiplied by the result of its number of nursing home beds divided by its total number
1.29 of licensed beds.

1.30 (b) The commissioner must decrease the portion related to the provider surcharge as
1.31 necessary to conform to decreases in the nursing home license surcharge fee under section
1.32 256.9657.

2.1 (c) The commissioner must reduce the portion related to the provider surcharge on
2.2 January 1 for each rate year the surcharge revenue received under section 256.9657,
2.3 subdivision 1, in the previous state fiscal year is less than the forecasted amount by 15
2.4 percent or more. The commissioner's computation must be based on the forecast published
2.5 most immediately prior to the beginning of the state fiscal year. A reduction of the portion
2.6 related to the provider surcharge under this paragraph is equal to the difference between
2.7 the forecasted amount and actual collections divided by total resident days from the most
2.8 recent cost reports, not to exceed a ten dollar reduction per resident day.

2.9 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the first day of the month following final
2.10 enactment."

2.11 Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

2.12 Amend the title accordingly