



H.F. No. 3379, as amended by sch3379a-1 – Repeal housing stabilization services

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H.F. No. 3379, as amended by sch3379a-1, contains two proposals related to the medical assistance program: repealing housing stabilization services and clarifying the commissioner’s authority to terminate medical assistance benefits.

Sections 1 through 4 make conforming changes related to the repeal of housing stabilization services.

Section 5 amends **256B.04, subdivision 24, Medicaid waiver requests and state plan amendments**, by requiring the commissioner to publicly post on the website of the Department of Human Services the text of all public comments received by the Department during a proposed waiver plan or state plan amendment public comment period.

Section 6 amends **256B.04** by adding **subdivision 24a, Medicaid waiver requests and state plan amendments; prohibited actions**, which prohibits the commissioner from terminating or substantially modifying or requesting assistance to terminate a medical assistance benefit.

Section 7 makes a conforming change related to the repeal of housing stabilization services by preserving for the purposes of the housing access grant a definition of “individual with a disability” that would have otherwise been repealed with the repeal of housing stabilization services.

Section 8 corrects a drafting error from the 2025 legislative special session.

Section 9 makes a conforming change related to the repeal of housing stabilization services.

Section 10 is a Direction to the Commissioner of Human Services directing the commissioner to develop a recommendation for a new service to support individuals experiencing homelessness or at risk of homelessness in obtaining and maintaining safe, stable housing.

Section 11 repeals the housing stabilization services statutes and related session law from the 2025 special session.



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