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BY: Senator Washington
(To be offered in the Finance Committee)

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 682
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 5, after “provide” insert “medically necessary”; and in the same line, after “treatment” insert “in a nondiscriminatory manner; requiring that the gender-affirming treatment be assessed according to nondiscriminatory criteria that are consistent with current clinical standards”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, strike beginning with “, INCLUDING” in line 2 down through “SCAR” in line 4; strike beginning with “, INCLUDING” in line 8 down through “SCAR” in line 14; in lines 15 and 29, in each instance, strike “SURGERY” and substitute “ALTERATIONS”; strike beginning with “, INCLUDING” in line 15 down through “SCAR” in line 28; and strike beginning with the comma in line 29 down through “VULVOPLASTY” in line 38.

On page 4, strike beginning with the colon in line 14 down through “INCLUDE” in line 15 and substitute “INCLUDE”; strike beginning with “; AND” in line 17 down through “INDIVIDUALS” in line 19; after line 21 insert:

“(B) IT IS THE INTENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT THE PROGRAM PROVIDE GENDER-AFFIRMING TREATMENT TO ALL PROGRAM RECIPIENTS FOR WHOM GENDER-AFFIRMING TREATMENT IS MEDICALLY NECESSARY, INCLUDING TRANSGENDER, NONBINARY, INTERSEX, TWO SPIRIT, AND OTHER GENDER DIVERSE INDIVIDUALS.”;

and in line 22, strike “(B)” and substitute “(C)”.

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On page 5, after line 5 insert:

“(4) THE PROGRAM MAY NOT DENY OR LIMIT COVERAGE FOR GENDER-AFFIRMING TREATMENT BASED ON THE PROGRAM RECIPIENT’S GENDER IDENTITY.”;

in lines 6 and 9, strike “(4)” and “(5)”, respectively, and substitute “(5)” and “(7)”, respectively; after line 8 insert:

“(6) THE PROGRAM MAY NOT ESTABLISH A CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION FOR A PARTICULAR GENDER-AFFIRMING TREATMENT.”;

and in line 14, strike “(C)” and substitute “(D)”.