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2007 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 118

March 11, 2008 – Introduced by Representative RICHARDS. Referred to Committee on Health and Healthcare Reform.

Relating to: enactment of health care reform legislation.

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the state legislature should enact health care reform legislation by December 31, 2009, that meets the following standards:

Guarantees every Wisconsin resident a standard health care benefits package that is as good as what state legislators currently receive;

Guarantees health care coverage that is affordable for all Wisconsin residents and businesses and limits excessive insurance company profits;

Guarantees health care coverage that is available to every individual who applies for coverage and that cannot be denied to the individual based on his or her age, health status, occupation, or preexisting health conditions;

Guarantees that individuals can choose their own doctors and have a choice of high quality public and private health care plans; and

- Guarantees that responsibility for paying the cost of health care coverage will be shared fairly among employers, government, and individuals.
- 3 (END)