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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 559, L.D. 1498, Bill, “An Act To Amend the Labor Laws as They Relate to Payment for Required Medical Examinations”

Amend the bill in section 1 in §592 in the first paragraph in the 10th and 11th lines (page 1, lines 14 and 15 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "100% of the cost of which is paid by the employer"

Amend the bill in section 1 in §592 in the first paragraph in the 12th line (page 1, line 16 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "ultimately" and inserting the following: 'ultimately'

Amend the bill in section 1 in §592 in the first paragraph in the 12th line (page 1, line 16 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "examination" the following: ', including but not limited to any copayments or other out-of-pocket expenses'

SUMMARY

This amendment clarifies that an employer may not require an employee or accepted applicant for employment to bear the expense of any copayments or other out-of-pocket expenses when the employer pays the medical expense of a medical exam ordered or required by the employer.