
DIGEST

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HB No. 370

Abstract: Provides for fees for Medical Necessity Review Organization (MNRO) licenses and filing of annual reports. Specifies that such fees apply to MNROs other than health insurance issuers.

Present law provides for biannual licensing of Medical Necessity Review Organizations (MNROs) other than health insurance issuers with the fee for initial licensing and the fee for renewal of licensure each set at \$1,500. Further requires an annual report of MNROs with which no fee is associated.

Proposed law deletes the requirement for annual renewal and its associated fee of \$1,500 and instead provides for a licensing fee of \$1,500 and an annual report filing fee of \$500 for MNROs. Specifies that the annual report filing fee applies to MNROs other than health insurance issuers.

(Amends R.S. 22:1124(A)(intro. para.) and 1138(D); Adds R.S. 22:821(B)(28); Repeals R.S. 22:1125)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Insurance to the original bill.

1. Specifies that the annual report filing fee shall apply to MNROs other than health insurance issuers.