



COMMITTEE REPORT

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Senate Committee on Health and Provider Services, to which was referred House Bill No. 1358, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

- 1 Page 5, between lines 29 and 30, begin a new paragraph and insert:
2 "SECTION 17. IC 16-19-3-30, AS AMENDED BY P.L.181-2015,
3 SECTION 39, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
4 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 30. (a) The state department may establish a
5 nonprofit subsidiary corporation that is exempt from federal income
6 taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, to
7 solicit and accept private funding, gifts, donations, bequests, devises,
8 and contributions.
9 (b) A subsidiary corporation established under this section:
10 (1) shall use money received under subsection (a) to carry out in
11 any manner the purposes and programs of the state department,
12 which may include programs intended to:
13 (A) reduce infant mortality;
14 (B) increase childhood immunizations;
15 (C) reduce obesity; ~~and~~
16 (D) reduce smoking rates; **and**
17 (E) **enhance health care resources and infrastructure for**
18 **veterans;**
19 (2) shall report to the budget committee each year concerning:
20 (A) the use of money received under subsection (a); and

- 1 (B) the balances in any accounts or funds established by the
 2 subsidiary corporation; and
 3 (3) may deposit money received under subsection (a) in an
 4 account or fund that is:
 5 (A) administered by the subsidiary corporation; and
 6 (B) not part of the state treasury.
 7 (c) A subsidiary corporation established under this section is
 8 governed by a board of directors comprised of members appointed by
 9 the governor. Employees of the state department may serve on the
 10 board of directors.
 11 (d) Employees of the state department shall provide administrative
 12 support for a subsidiary corporation established under this section.
 13 Employees of the state department directly involved in the subsidiary
 14 corporation established under this section may engage in fundraising
 15 activities on behalf of the subsidiary corporation.
 16 (e) The state board of accounts shall audit a subsidiary corporation
 17 established under this section."
 18 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
 (Reference is to HB 1358 as printed January 20, 2026.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass and be reassigned to the Senate Committee on Appropriations.

Committee Vote: Yeas 12, Nays 0.

Senator Charbonneau, Chairperson