



# SENATE MOTION

MR. PRESIDENT:

**I move** that Senate Bill 85 be amended to read as follows:

1       Page 9, delete lines 25 through 36, begin a new paragraph and  
2       insert:

3       **"(9) For health care debt, the lesser of the following amounts:**

4           **(a) An amount equal to either ten percent (10%) of the**  
5           **individual's disposable earnings for that week, or if the**  
6           **individual requests, a higher percentage requested by the**  
7           **individual.**

8           **(b) The amount by which the individual's disposable earnings**  
9           **for that week exceed forty-five (45) times the federal**  
10           **minimum hourly wage prescribed by 29 U.S.C. 206(a)(1) in**  
11           **effect at the time the earnings are payable.**

12       **In the case of earnings for a pay period other than a week, the**  
13       **earnings shall be computed upon a multiple of the federal**  
14       **minimum hourly wage equivalent to forty-five (45) times the**  
15       **federal minimum hourly wage as prescribed in this section.".**

16       Page 9, line 40, delete "Lien" and insert "Foreclosure".

17       Page 10, delete lines 37 through 42, begin a new paragraph and  
18       insert:

19       **"Sec. 5. (a) A person that has obtained a judgment against a**  
20       **consumer for the recovery of health care debt may file a judgment**  
21       **lien on the principal residence of the consumer, but may not**  
22       **foreclose on the lien until the principal residence is sold or**  
23       **transferred. This subsection does not prohibit a person from filing**  
24       **or enforcing a lien for debt that is not health care debt.".**

25       Page 11, delete lines 1 through 6.

26       Page 12, delete lines 27 through 31, begin a new paragraph and  
27       insert:

1       **"(b) A person that has obtained a judgment against a consumer**  
2       **for the recovery of health care debt may file a judgment lien on the**  
3       **principal residence of the consumer, but may not foreclose on the**  
4       **lien until the principal residence is sold or transferred. This**  
5       **subsection does not prohibit a person from filing or enforcing a lien**  
6       **for debt that is not health care debt."**

7       Page 13, delete lines 4 through 8, begin a new paragraph and insert:

8       **"(b) A person that has obtained a judgment against a consumer**  
9       **for the recovery of health care debt may file a judgment lien on the**  
10       **principal residence of the consumer, but may not foreclose on the**  
11       **lien until the principal residence is sold or transferred. This**  
12       **subsection does not prohibit a person from filing or enforcing a lien**  
13       **for debt that is not health care debt."**

(Reference is to SB 85 as printed January 23, 2026.)

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Senator FREEMAN