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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETY-THIRD SESSION

H. F. No. 1170

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to human services; increasing medical assistance payment rates for abortion
1.3 and abortion-related services; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section
1.4 256B.0625, by adding a subdivision.

1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 256B.0625, is amended by adding a subdivision
1.7 to read:

1.8 Subd. 16a. Payment rates for abortion services. The commissioner shall increase
1.9 payment rates for surgical and medication abortion services and abortion-related services
1.10 by percent, effective for services provided on or after July 1, 2023. For purposes of this
1.11 subdivision, "abortion-related services" means services provided in connection with a
1.12 surgical or medication abortion except those services which would otherwise be provided
1.13 in the course of a pregnancy. Abortion-related services include but are not limited to:

- 1.14 (1) hospitalization when the abortion is performed in an outpatient setting;
1.15 (2) the use of a facility when the abortion is performed in an outpatient setting;
1.16 (3) counseling about the abortion;
1.17 (4) general and local anesthesia provided in connection with the abortion; and
1.18 (5) antibiotics provided directly after the abortion.