

SENATE
STATE OF MINNESOTA
EIGHTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

S.F. No. 1436

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05/17/2011	2097	Introduction and first reading Referred to Health and Human Services

1.1A bill for an act

1.2relating to human services; providing for a nursing facility rate increase in Clay

1.3County and Koochiching County; amending Minnesota Statutes 2010, section

1.4256B.434, by adding a subdivision.

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

1.6Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 256B.434, is amended by adding a

1.7subdivision to read:

1.8Subd. 22. **Rate increase for facilities in Clay County and Koochiching County.**

1.9For the rate year beginning October 1, 2011, a nursing facility in Clay County that is

1.10licensed for 35 beds as of February 1, 2011, and a nursing facility in Koochiching County

1.11that is licensed for 64 beds as of April 1, 2011, shall receive a rate increase to increase

1.12its operating rate to the 50th percentile of the operating rates of all nursing facilities in

1.13Minnesota. The commissioner shall determine the 50th percentile of the case mix portion

1.14of the operating rates with a RUGS weight of 1.0 of all nursing facilities in Minnesota. The

1.1550th percentile of the operating per diem for all nursing facilities in Minnesota must then

1.16be added to the case mix rates to determine the operating payment rates. The nonoperating

1.17components of the facility's rates must not be adjusted under this subdivision.