<u>ESHB 1109</u> - S AMD TO WM COMM AMD (S-3636.2/19) **502** By Senator Short

ADOPTED 04/04/2019

1 On page 108, after line 15, insert the following:

2 "(46) Within the amounts appropriated within this section the 3 authority shall conduct an evaluation of purchasing arrangements and paid claims or encounter data for prescription drugs under managed 4 care contracts for plan years 2017 and 2018 and compare these to 5 contract purchasing agreements under the same 6 years for the 7 prescription drug consortium and identify any cost differences. The 8 authority shall report its findings to the governor and appropriate committees of the legislature by November 15, 2019." 9

EFFECT: Requires the Health Care Authority to conduct an evaluation of its managed care purchasing arrangements for prescription drugs in comparison to the Prescription Drug Consortium and identify any cost differences. A report is due by November 15, 2019.

FISCAL IMPACT (2019-2021): \$0
FOUR-YEAR OUTLOOK EFFECT: \$0

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