<u>SHB 1551</u> - H AMD TO H AMD (H-4187.1/20) **1030** By Representative Caldier

NOT ADOPTED 02/12/2020

1 On page 8, beginning on line 20 of the striking amendment, 2 strike all of section 7 3 4 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any 5 internal references accordingly. 6 7 On page 22, after line 3 of the striking amendment, insert the 8 following: "NEW SECTION. Sec. 23. A minor sixteen years of age or older may 10 give consent to treatment to avoid HIV infection. Such consent shall 11 not be subject to disaffirmance because of minority. The consent of 12 the parent, parents, or legal guardian of such minor shall not be 13 necessary to authorize hospital, medical, and surgical care related to 14 treatment to avoid HIV infection, and such parent, parents, or legal 15 guardian shall not be liable for payment for any care rendered 16 pursuant to this section." 17 18 Renumber the remaining section consecutively and correct any 19 internal references. 20

21 Correct the title.

<u>EFFECT:</u> Changes the age a minor may provide consent, without the consent of a parent or guardian, for treatment to avoid HIV infection from fourteen to sixteen.

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