HB 2097 -- Medical Malpractice Insurance Data Collection

Sponsor: Dempsey

This bill requires the Director of the Department of Insurance to establish risk-reporting categories for reporting base rates and premiums charged on medical malpractice insurance by May 30, 2007.

All insurers and self-insured health care providers will furnish the director a report containing all rates charged for medical malpractice insurance by category. The director will establish reporting standards and publish an annual report including this information along with the market rate reflecting the median of the actual rates charged for each of the categories.

The director is authorized to issue administrative orders or take civil action for violations of the provisions of Sections 383.100 - 383.125, RSMo.