

HCS HJR 48, 50 & 57 -- HEALTH CARE SYSTEM PARTICIPATION
(Jones, 89)

COMMITTEE OF ORIGIN: Special Committee on General Laws

Upon voter approval, this proposed constitutional amendment prohibits any person, employer, or health care provider from being compelled to participate in any health care system. Individuals and employers may pay directly for lawful health care services without being subject to fines or penalties, and health care providers can accept payment for health care services from individuals or employers without being subject to fines or penalties. The purchase or sale of health care insurance in private health care systems cannot be prohibited by law or rule.

FISCAL NOTE: Estimated Effect on General Revenue Fund of an income of \$0 or a cost of More than \$7,000,000 in FY 2011, an income of \$0 in FY 2012, and an income of \$0 in FY 2013. No impact on Other State Funds in FY 2011, FY 2012, and FY 2013.