

HB 1373 -- REIMBURSEMENT OF INSURANCE COST

SPONSOR: Miller

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Civil and Criminal Proceedings by a vote of 11 to 1.

This bills allows an insurance policyholder to petition the court for reimbursement of insurance costs as they occur during the pendency of a dissolution of marriage or legal separation. Either party may request the court to issue an order for reimbursement of insurance costs after a notice and hearing which reallocates or reapportions any or all insurance costs incurred during the proceedings.

This bill is the same as HB 95 (2015).

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that this would allow a policy holder to get reimbursement costs for health care insurance while the premiums are occurring throughout the pendency of the divorce.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Miller.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.