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Overview

This bill fully funds enhanced rural hospital DRG payments.

Section

- 1 Greater Minnesota payment adjustment after June 30, 2001.** Amends § 256.969, subd. 26. Strikes language that allows the commissioner to adjust enhanced rural hospital diagnostic related group (DRG) payments to reflect the level of funding provided through an intergovernmental transfer. Since the DRG payments are not fully funded through the intergovernmental transfer, striking this language has the effect of fully funding the payments.
- 2 Payments to certain safety net providers.** Amends § 256B.195, subd. 3. Clarifies that funding enhanced rural DRG payments through the intergovernmental transfer shall not limit the level of the DRG payments. (This is a conforming change related to section 1.)