

- 1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 1225 as follows:
- 1.2 Page 2, line 5, delete "care personal care assistance services" and insert "rate"
- 1.3 Page 2, line 6, delete "included in a care plan developed according to subdivision 7"
- 1.4 Page 2, line 10, delete the new language
- 1.5 Page 2, line 13, delete the new language
- 1.6 Page 2, line 14 delete the new language
- 1.7 Page 2, line 17, delete the new language
- 1.8 Page 2, line 18, delete the new language
- 1.9 Page 2, line 19, delete the new language
- 1.10 Page 2, line 20, delete the new language
- 1.11 Page 3, line 11, strike "class A licensed nursing" and insert "comprehensive home care
- 1.12 licensed"
- 1.13 Page 5, line 4, strike "275" and insert "310"
- 1.14 Page 5, line 14, delete everything before "satisfy" and insert "(d) To qualify for the
- 1.15 enhanced rate, personal care assistance services must be provided by personal care assistants
- 1.16 who"
- 1.17 Page 5, line 17, delete "483.141" and insert "483.151"
- 1.18 Page 9, delete lines 10 to 14 and insert:
- 1.19 "(15) document that the additional revenue the agency receives for the enhanced rate is
- 1.20 passed on, in wages and benefits, to the personal care assistant who provided services to a
- 1.21 recipient who is eligible for the enhanced rate."
- 1.22 Page 9, line 27, delete "care" and insert "rate"

- 2.1 Page 11, line 4, delete "enhanced care personal"
- 2.2 Page 11, line 5, delete "care assistance services" and insert "the enhanced rate"
- 2.3 Page 11, line 19, delete "enhanced care personal care assistance services" and insert "the
- 2.4 enhanced rate"
- 2.5 Page 12, line 6, delete everything after "services"
- 2.6 Page 12, line 7, delete "services" and after "eight" insert "tenths of a"
- 2.7 Page 12, after line 7, insert:
- 2.8 "(c) For personal care assistance services eligible for the enhanced rate, the initial
- 2.9 competitive workforce factor is zero."
- 2.10 Page 12, line 8, delete "(c)" and insert "(d)"
- 2.11 Page 12, delete lines 9 to 22 and insert:
- 2.12 "(e) On January 1, 2022, and January 1, 2024, the commissioner shall increase the
- 2.13 competitive workforce factor in paragraphs (b) and (c) by three percentage points.
- 2.14 "(f) Beginning January 1, 2026, and every two years thereafter, the commissioner shall
- 2.15 recommend updates to the competitive workforce factor using:
- 2.16 (1) the most recently available wage data by standard occupational classification (SOC)
- 2.17 code from the Bureau of Labor Statistics for the weighted average wage of direct care staff
- 2.18 for personal care aides (SOC code 39-9021); and
- 2.19 (2) the most recently available wage data by SOC code from the Bureau of Labor
- 2.20 Statistics for the weighted average wage of all other SOC codes with the same Bureau of
- 2.21 Labor Statistics classifications for education, experience, and training required for job
- 2.22 competencies.
- 2.23 "(g) The commissioner shall not recommend an increase or decrease of the competitive
- 2.24 workforce factor from its current value by more than three percentage points. If, after the
- 2.25 biennial analysis as described in paragraph (f), the competitive workforce factor is less than
- 2.26 or equal to zero, the commissioner shall recommend a competitive workforce factor of
- 2.27 zero."
- 2.28 Page 12, line 30, delete "..." and insert "8.71"
- 2.29 Page 12, line 31, delete "..." and insert "11.56"
- 2.30 Page 12, line 32, delete "..." and insert "12.04"

- 3.1 Page 13, line 1, delete "..." and insert "0"
- 3.2 Page 13, line 2, delete "..." and insert "0"
- 3.3 Page 13, line 3, delete "..." and insert "14.40"
- 3.4 Page 13, line 10, delete "enhanced care personal care assistance services" and insert "the
- 3.5 enhanced rate"
- 3.6 Page 13, lines 12, 16, 20, and 23, delete "one plus"
- 3.7 Page 13, line 26, after "34" insert "and divide the sum by four" and after "rate" insert
- 3.8 "for a 15 minute unit"
- 3.9 Page 14, line 29, delete "shall" and insert "may"
- 3.10 Page 15, delete lines 4 to 10 and insert:
- 3.11 "(d) Beginning February 1, 2022, and every two years thereafter, the commissioner shall
- 3.12 report to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees and divisions
- 3.13 with jurisdiction over health and human services policy and finance the following:
- 3.14 (1) an analysis of cost documentation in paragraph (a) and section 256B.0715, and submit
- 3.15 recommended updates to the component values and base wage component values; and
- 3.16 (2) an analysis of the competitive workforce factor under subdivision 34, and submit
- 3.17 recommended updates to the factor."
- 3.18 page 15, after line 33, insert:
- 3.19 "Sec. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 256B.0659, is amended by adding a subdivision
- 3.20 to read:
- 3.21 Subd. 39. **Payment rates; collective bargaining.** The commissioner's authority to set
- 3.22 payment rates, including wages and benefits, for the services of individual providers as
- 3.23 defined in section 256B.0711, subdivision 1, paragraph (d), shall be subject to the state's
- 3.24 obligations to meet and negotiate under chapter 179A, as modified and made applicable to
- 3.25 individual providers under section 179A.54, and to agreements with any exclusive
- 3.26 representative of individual providers, as authorized by chapter 179A, as modified and made
- 3.27 applicable to individual providers under section 179A.54."
- 3.28 Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references
- 3.29 Amend the title accordingly