

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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This legislation repeals §56-267 of Idaho Code, Medicaid Expansion, the costs of which have been considerably more than originally projected. Additional changes are made to §31-3502 and §56-263 where the expansion is referenced.

FISCAL NOTE

In FY 2026, the Department of Health and Welfare estimated Medicaid Expansion would cost \$1,123,526,800. With expenses split approximately 90% federal and 10% state, estimated savings are anticipated to be at least \$110 million annually to the state.

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