## HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chairman of Committee

February 4, 2010 Date

Committee on Health and Human Services.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

<u>HB10-1008</u> be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

Amend printed bill, page 2, strike lines 7 and 8 and substitute "individual
 sickness, accident, or health insurance policy, contract, certificate, or
 other evidence of coverage POLICY ISSUED AS A HEALTH COVERAGE PLAN,
 A HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN, OR A POLICY OF SICKNESS AND ACCIDENT
 INSURANCE issued or delivered to any".

Page 3, strike lines 2 and 3 and substitute "AN INDIVIDUAL POLICY ISSUED
AS A HEALTH COVERAGE PLAN, A HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN, OR A POLICY OF
SICKNESS AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE DUE TO THE".

9 Page 3, strike lines 8 through 21 and substitute:

10 "SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - specified effective date - applicability. (1) This act shall take effect January 1, 2011; except 11 12 that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V 13 of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this 14 act within the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general 15 assembly, then the act, item, section, or part shall not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in November 16 17 2010 and shall take effect on January 1, 2011, or on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor, whichever is 18 19 later.

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(2) The provisions of this act shall apply to rates for individual

- 1 health coverage plans, health benefit plans, and policies of sickness and
- 2 accident insurance set on or after the applicable effective date of this
- 3 act.".

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