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HOUSE BILL NO. 468

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides for insurance coverage of breast reduction procedures

1 AN ACT 2 To enact R.S. 22:1059.2, relative to health insurance coverage, to require coverage benefits 3 for medically necessary breast reduction procedures; and to provide for related 4 matters. 5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana: 6 Section 1. R.S. 22:1059.2 is hereby enacted to read as follows: 7 §1059.2. Required coverage for breast reduction procedures 8 A health coverage plan issued for delivery, delivered, renewed, or otherwise 9 contracted for in this state shall provide coverage benefits for breast reduction 10 procedures medically necessary to improve a debilitating condition including but not 11 limited to persistent pain, and the underlying condition is not breast cancer.

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Abstract: Requires health insurance coverage benefits for medically necessary breast reduction procedures.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires a health coverage plan issued in this state to provide coverage benefits for breast reduction procedures when medical necessary to improve debilitating conditions, including but not limited to persistent pain, and the underlying condition is not breast cancer.

(Adds R.S. 22:1059.2)

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