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L.D. 597

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HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 416,
L.D. 597, Bill, "An Act To Inform Persons of the Options for the Treatment of Lyme
Disease"

Amend the amendment by striking out all of section 1.

Amend the amendment by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter
or section number to read consecutively.

SUMMARY

This amendment removes the provision that requires any health care provider that
orders a laboratory test for the presence of Lyme disease to inform the patient that a
negative test for Lyme disease does not necessarily mean that Lyme disease is not present
and that if symptoms continue, the patient should contact a health care provider and
inquire about the appropriateness of retesting or additional treatment.

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