

VETOES

(II) STAFF SUPPORT FOR THE COMMITTEE SHALL BE PROVIDED BY THE RESPECTIVE AGENCIES ON THE COMMITTEE.

(C) (1) AT THE REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR OR THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE, THE INTERDEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE SHALL EVALUATE LEGISLATIVE PROPOSALS OR STATUTES THAT ESTABLISH, EXPAND, OR REPEAL MANDATED HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFITS, NONDISCRIMINATION PROVISIONS, AND BENEFICIARY OR LENGTH OF COVERAGE PROVISIONS.

(2) BY ~~APRIL 30~~ MAY 31 OF EACH YEAR, THE GOVERNOR OR THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE SHALL NOTIFY THE COMMITTEE AS TO WHICH EVALUATIONS SHALL BE ~~CONSIDERED AT~~ MADE BEFORE THE ENSUING REGULAR SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

(3) NOTHING IN THIS SECTION SHALL AFFECT THE ABILITY OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ENACT LEGISLATION ON MANDATED HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFITS ~~OR~~, NONDISCRIMINATION PROVISIONS, AND BENEFICIARY OR LENGTH OF COVERAGE PROVISIONS.

(D) THE COMMITTEE SHALL:

(1) APPOINT EXPERT REVIEW PANELS TO EVALUATE LEGISLATIVE PROPOSALS OR STATUTES REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE FOR REVIEW; AND

(2) DESIGNATE THE CHAIR OF EACH PANEL; ~~AND~~

~~(3) WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE, ESTABLISH A TIME SCHEDULE FOR THE REVIEW OF EXISTING STATUTES ON MANDATED HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFITS AND NONDISCRIMINATION PROVISIONS.~~

(E) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHALL:

(1) IDENTIFY EXPERT MEMBERS FOR THE VARIOUS PANELS TO BE APPOINTED BY THE COMMITTEE;

(2) SUPERVISE AND NEGOTIATE THE CONSULTANT CONTRACTS AND THE DAY-TO-DAY OPERATIONS OF THE PANELS;

(3) GIVE PUBLIC NOTICE:

(I) OF THE APPOINTMENT OF THE PANELS;

(II) THAT THE RECORDS OF THE PANELS ARE OPEN TO PUBLIC INPUT AND REVIEW; AND

(III) OF THE DATES AND LOCATION OF THE PANELS' MEETINGS AND HEARINGS;

(4) ON OR BEFORE NOVEMBER 10, TRANSMIT ~~THE PANELS'~~