

**Adopted  
COMMITTEE AMENDMENT NO 1 PROPOSED TO**

**Senate Bill No. 2725**

**BY: Committee**

**Amend by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting  
in lieu thereof the following:**

7           **SECTION 1.** The following shall be codified as Section  
8 41-10-5, Mississippi Code of 1972:  
9           41-10-5. A health care provider or its agent(s), or both,  
10 shall provide medical records and billing records that are in  
11 their possession or custody to the patient who is the subject of  
12 the records within forty-five (45) days from the date a valid  
13 request from the patient is received by the health care provider  
14 or its agent(s). As used in this section, the term "medical  
15 records" shall have the same meaning as defined in Section  
16 41-10-3(1).



17           **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from  
18 and after July 1, 2022, and shall stand repealed on June 30, 2022.

**Further, amend by striking the title in its entirety and  
inserting in lieu thereof the following:**

1           AN ACT TO CREATE NEW SECTION 41-10-5, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF  
2 1972, TO REQUIRE HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS TO PROVIDE MEDICAL RECORDS  
3 AND BILLING RECORDS THAT ARE IN THEIR POSSESSION OR CUSTODY TO A  
4 PATIENT WITHIN 45 DAYS FROM THE DATE THAT IT RECEIVES A VALID  
5 REQUEST; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

