

By: Senator(s) Hill

To: Medicaid

SENATE BILL NO. 2029

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 43-13-117.7, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF
2 1972, TO PROHIBIT THE DIVISION OF MEDICAID FROM REIMBURSING OR
3 PROVIDING COVERAGE FOR GENDER TRANSITION PROCEDURES FOR A PERSON
4 OVER 18 YEARS OF AGE; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

6 **SECTION 1.** Section 43-13-117.7, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
7 amended as follows:

8 43-13-117.7. (1) Notwithstanding any other provisions of
9 Section 43-13-117, the division shall not reimburse or provide
10 coverage for gender transition procedures for a person under
11 eighteen (18) years of age. As used in this section, the term
12 "gender transition procedures" means the same as defined in
13 Section * * * 41-141-3.

14 (2) The division shall not reimburse or provide coverage for
15 gender transition procedures for a person over eighteen (18) years
16 of age.

17 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
18 and after July 1, 2024.

