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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1977

TO PROVIDE EMPLOYEE EXEMPTIONS FROM FEDERAL MANDATES AND EMPLOYER MANDATES
RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 1977

Amend House Bill No. 1977 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 12, delete "treatment" and substitute "vaccination or immunization"

AND

Page 2, line 13, delete "variants, including without limitation a" and substitute "variants"

AND

Page 2, line 14, delete "vaccination or immunization,"

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "variants" and substitute "variants, including without limitation the presence of antibodies, T cell response, or proof of a positive coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) or its variants test,"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 34 through 36, and substitute the following:

“(3)(A) The cost of the testing shall be covered through any state or federal funding made available, including without limitation coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) relief funds distributed from the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, Pub. L. No. 117-2, if the employee’s health benefit plan does not provide coverage for the testing.

(B) In the event that the cost of testing under subdivision (c)(3)(A) of this section is not available, the cost of the testing shall be covered by the employee.”

AND



Page 3, delete lines 1 through 4

The Amendment was read _____
By: Representative Bryant
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Chief Clerk