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Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 639

TO AUTHORIZE OFF-LABEL USE OF DRUG TREATMENTS TO TREAT PATIENTS DIAGNOSED WITH PEDIATRIC ACUTE-ONSET NEUROPSYCHIATRIC SYNDROME AND PEDIATRIC AUTOIMMUNE NEUROPSYCHIATRIC DISORDERS ASSOCIATED WITH STREPTOCOCCAL INFECTION.

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 639

Amend Senate Bill No. 639 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Cloud as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 3, delete lines 23 through 26, and substitute the following: "et seq., shall provide coverage for off-label use of intravenous immunoglobulin, also known as "IVIG", to treat individuals diagnosed with pediatric acute-onset neuropsychiatric syndrome and pediatric autoimmune neuropsychiatric disorders associated with streptococcal infection, or both, on or after January 1, 2022, under a patient-specific treatment plan established by the Childhood Post-infectious Autoimmune Encephalopathy Clinic established by the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences in collaboration with Arkansas Children's Hospital."



The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and ______ By: Senator K. Hammer ANS/ANS - 04-13-2021 13:58:01 ANS428