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Bill Summary

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Overview

This bill exempts HMOs from the state health care program participation requirement.

1 **Reimbursement under other state health care programs.** Amends § 256B.0644. Exempts HMOs from the state health care program participation requirement (also referred to as Rule 101). Rule 101 requires HMOs and other health care providers to participate in the MA and MinnesotaCare programs, as a condition of participating as providers in health plans for state and local government and school district employees, workers' compensation, and the Minnesota Comprehensive Health Association. Provides an effective date of January 1, 2013.

2 **Repealer; mandatory HMO participation as provider in public programs.** Repeals § 62D.04, subd. 5, effective January 1, 2013. (This provision requires HMOs to participate in MA and MinnesotaCare as a condition of receiving and retaining a certificate of authority.)