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### Section

- 1 Rateable reduction and readmissions reduction.** Amends § 256.969, subd. 3c. Effective July 1, 2013, exempts facilities designated as level I trauma centers from an existing 10 percent reduction in inpatient hospital payment rates. Under current law, the reduction applies for the period September 1, 2011, through June 30, 2015, and beginning July 1, 2013, can be partially offset based upon reductions in the rate of readmissions.