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## Bill Summary

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### Overview

This bill eliminates, effective July 1, 2015, payment rate reductions for ambulance services and certain nonemergency medical transportation services.

#### Section

- 1**      **Transportation costs.** Amends § 256B.0625, subd. 17. Effective July 1, 2015, eliminates a rate reduction of 4.5 percent for nonemergency medical transportation services provided by ambulances and vehicles operated by providers certified by the commissioner of transportation under section 174.30.
- 2**      **Payment for ambulance services.** Amends § 256B.0625, subd. 17a. Effective July 1, 2015, eliminates a 4.5 percent reduction in payments rates for ambulance services.