

Amendment to HB 1-A

1 Amend the bill by inserting after section 6 the following and renumbering the original sections 7-8 to
2 read as 8-9, respectively:

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4 7 Department of Health and Human Services; Staffing; Budget Reduction. In addition to any
5 other required reductions, the department of health and human services is hereby directed to reduce
6 general fund appropriations by \$23,400,000 for the biennium ending June 30, 2025. At no time
7 during the biennium shall the department exceed 3,000 filled, full-time, authorized positions. The
8 department shall provide to the department of administrative services the accounting units and
9 class lines to be reduced, and shall report on said reductions to the fiscal committee of the general
10 court by September 30, 2023 for reductions made in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024, and by
11 September 30, 2024 for reductions made in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025.