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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary.

## AN ACT

To amend chapter 376, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to health benefit plan rate release.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 376, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new 2 section, to be known as section 376.1950, to read as follows:

376.1950. 1. Any health carrier or health benefit plan that offers or issues individual health benefit plans which are delivered, issued for delivery, continued, or renewed in this state shall release and make available to the public its individual health benefit plan rates and designs no later than forty-five days prior to the beginning of the

6 annual enrollment period, in accordance with federal law.

2. No provision in this section shall be construed to provide the department of insurance, financial institutions and professional registration with approval authority over any health benefit rates or plans.