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A BILL

- 1 FOR AN ACT relating to long-term care; to state intent relating to
- 2 requests for proposals.
- 3 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1           Section 1. The Legislature finds that sufficient planning  
2 and meaningful input from stakeholders, including, but not limited  
3 to, service providers and consumers, is critical for establishing an  
4 effective managed care system for medicaid recipients. To ensure the  
5 safety and well-being of the state's most vulnerable population, the  
6 Department of Health and Human Services shall not release a request  
7 for proposals relating to procurement of managed care for long-term  
8 care services and support prior to September 1, 2015.