

# **Bill Comparison Summary of Senate File 2934 (third engrossment) / Senate File 2934 (second unofficial engrossment)**

## **House Article 7: Licensing**

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**Comparison Summary of S.F. 2934 – Senate (S.F. 2934, third engrossment) / House (S.F. 2934, second unofficial engrossment)**

Section	SENATE....	Comparison	HOUSE Article 7: Licensing
1		House only	<p><b>Grant of license; license extension.</b> Amends § 245A.04, subd. 7. Modifies the circumstances under which the commissioner cannot issue a license under chapter 245A or may revoke a license under chapter 245A.</p>
2		House only	<p><b>Immediate suspension of residential programs.</b> Adds a subdivision to § 245A.07. Modifies the process for issuing suspensions to licensed residential programs to provide for the continuity of care of recipients of the programs.</p>
3		House only	<p><b>Immediate suspension for program with multiple licensed service sites.</b> Adds a subdivision to § 245A.07. Provides that a suspension order for a license holder that operates more than one service site under a single license must be specific to the site or sites where the commissioner has determined a suspension order is required.</p>
4		House only	<p><b>License not issued until license or certification fee is paid.</b> Amends § 245A.10, subd. 6. Provides that the commissioner cannot reissue a license or certification until a license or certification fee is paid.</p>
5		House only	<p><b>License not reissued until outstanding debt is paid.</b> Adds a subdivision to § 245A.10. Specifies that the commissioner must not reissue a license or certification until the license holder has paid all outstanding debts related to licensing finds or settlement agreements. Outlines notice requirements and expiration provisions.</p>

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6		House only	<p><b>Application.</b> Amends § 245A.13, subd. 1. Modifies requirements for the commissioner’s petition in district court related to receivership of a program; lists circumstances that must be proven by affidavit.</p>
7		House only	<p><b>Appointment of receiver.</b> Amends § 245A.13, subd. 2. Adds list of prohibited conduct by a managing agent when the commissioner is appointed as a receiver to operate a program. Requires the commissioner to establish and maintain a list of qualified persons or entities with experience in delivering services and with winding down licensed programs.</p>
8		House only	<p><b>Powers and duties of receiver.</b> Amends § 245A.13, subd. 3. Requires an appointed receiver to determine within 18 months after the receivership order whether to close the program or keep it open. Specifies requirements related to program closure and transfer of individuals served, corrective steps that must be made during the receivership, managing agent contracting and expenses, and other authority and requirements related to activities during receivership.</p>
9		House only	<p><b>Emergency procedure.</b> Amends § 245A.13, subd. 6. Shortens timeline from five to two days for a court to order a temporary order for appointment of a receiver. Specifies notice and hearing timelines and requirements.</p>

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10		House only	<p><b>Rate recommendation.</b> Amends § 245A.13, subd. 7. Makes clarifying change.</p>
11		House only	<p><b>Receivership accounting.</b> Amends § 245A.13, subd. 9. Allows the commissioner to adjust Medicaid rates and use Medicaid funds and waiver funds for specified purposes, within the approved Medicaid state plan; adds receivership administrative fees to allowable purposes.</p>