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FROM: Senator Dave Argall *DA*

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SUBJECT: Feasibility Study of Placing PA's Prescription Drug Plans under Single Administrator

In the near future, I will introduce a resolution requiring the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to conduct a study on the feasibility of consolidating the Commonwealth's prescription drug plans under a single administrator in an effort to save taxpayer dollars.

The Legislative Budget and Finance Committee would work with experts and specialists in the pharmacy benefits field, as well as representatives from various pharmacy benefits programs to conduct a study that will weigh the pros and cons of current legislative proposals that deal with consolidation, along with experiences other states with regard to consolidation efforts with pharmacy benefits programs.

If you would like to co-sponsor, please contact Susan Bentzel at sbentzel@pasen.gov or 7-2637.