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AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 280

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with "including" in line 4 down through "carriers;" in line 6 and substitute "prohibiting certain health insurance carriers from reimbursing a health care practitioner in an amount that is less than the cost of certain supplies and administrative services; providing for a certain exception;"; and in line 8 after "source;" insert "repealing a provision that authorizes carriers to reimburse a health care practitioner in an amount less than the practitioner's cost under certain circumstances;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 17, strike "(2)" and substitute "(3)"; in line 19, strike "for the cost"; in the same line, after "drug" insert ", AND SUPPLIES AND ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES THAT ARE MEDICALLY NECESSARY FOR USE WITH THE ONCOLOGY DRUG,"; strike beginning with "A" in line 22 down through "SUBSECTION," in line 31; and after line 35 insert:

"(3) NOTHING IN THIS SUBSECTION SHALL PROHIBIT A HEALTH CARE PRACTITIONER AND A CARRIER FROM NEGOTIATING A REIMBURSEMENT RATE IN THE CARRIER'S PROVIDER CONTRACT FOR ONCOLOGY DRUGS, SUPPLIES, AND ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES THAT IS LESS THAN THE AMOUNT REQUIRED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION.".