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BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 242

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “and Young” and substitute “Young, Benson, Hershey, and Middleton”; in line 7, strike “prohibiting” and substitute “authorizing”; in the same line, strike “from requiring” and substitute “to require”; strike beginning with “comply” in line 7 down through “person” in line 10 and substitute “submit a certain form to the Department”; in line 10, after “Department” insert “, in consultation with the Maryland Health Care Commission,”; and strike beginning with “provide” in line 10 down through “comment” in line 13 and substitute “submit a certain report to certain committees of the General Assembly on or before a certain date”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, strike beginning with “NOT” in line 6 down through “PERSON” in line 10 and substitute “REQUIRE A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER TO SUBMIT A REGISTRATION FORM TO THE DEPARTMENT THAT INCLUDES INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR THE PROCESSING OF CLAIMS FOR REIMBURSEMENT FOR HEALTH CARE SERVICES PROVIDED TO PROGRAM RECIPIENTS UNDER THIS SUBSECTION”; in line 11, strike “(I)”; and strike in their entirety lines 13 through 20, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, after line 20, insert:

“SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, on or before October 1, 2016, the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, in consultation with the Maryland Health Care Commission, shall submit a report, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee:

(Over)

(1) assessing the telehealth policies of select Medicaid programs in other states, including reimbursement for telehealth services provided in a home setting; and

(2) detailing planned enhancements to the Maryland Medicaid telehealth program.”;

in line 21, strike “2.” and substitute “3.”; and in line 22, strike “October” and substitute “June”.