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AMENDMENTS PREPARED BY THE DEPT. OF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES

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(To be offered in the Finance Committee and the Budget and Taxation Committee)

## AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 947 (First Reading File Bill)

On page 4, after line 1, insert:

"(D) WITH ANY REMAINING FUNDS, THE SECRETARY SHALL PROVIDE GRANTS TO SUPPORT:

(1) <u>ABORTION CARE FOR UNINSURED INDIVIDUALS OR</u> <u>INDIVIDUALS UNABLE TO USE THEIR INSURANCE DUE TO THE RISKS POSED BY</u> <u>COMMUNICATION FROM INSURANCE CARRIERS REGARDING COVERAGE;</u>

(2) TRAVEL AND RELATED COSTS FOR INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE UNABLE TO ACCESS ABORTION CARE IN THEIR OWN COMMUNITIES; AND

(3) ANY OTHER INITIATIVE TO IMPROVE ACCESS TO ABORTION CARE AS DETERMINED BY THE SECRETARY, IN CONSULTATION WITH NATIONAL, STATE, AND LOCAL CONSUMER, HEALTH PROFESSIONAL, AND PUBLIC HEALTH ORGANIZATIONS THAT HAVE A FOCUS ON INCREASING ACCESS TO CULTURALLY COMPETENT ABORTION CARE.".