

BY: Senator Harris

AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL NO. 623, AS AMENDED

(First Reading File Bill)

On page 5 of the Budget and Taxation Committee Amendments (SB0623/479031/1), in line 19 of Amendment No. 4, after "ILLNESSES" insert "AND BRAIN DISORDERS"; in line 21, strike the first "AND"; and in the same line, after "INHIBITORS" insert ", ATYPICAL ANTIDEPRESSANTS, AND DRUGS TO TREAT EPILEPSY AND OTHER CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM BRAIN DISORDERS".

On page 8 of the bill, in line 32, strike "AND"; and in line 35, after "HOURS" insert ";AND

(III) FOR A SINGLE SOURCE COVERED OUTPATIENT DRUG THAT IS NEWLY APPROVED BY THE FEDERAL FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION, THE DRUG IS INCLUDED ON THE PREFERRED DRUG LIST FOR A PERIOD OF 6 MONTHS UNLESS THE DEPARTMENT, WITH THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE COMMITTEE, DETERMINES THAT THE DRUG SHOULD BE EXCLUDED FROM THE PREFERRED DRUG LIST".