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BY: Economic Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 738

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike "and Cryor" and substitute "<u>Cryor, and Barve</u>"; in line 6, strike "fertilization;" and substitute "<u>fertilization, unless the infertility is due to certain causes; providing for the application of this Act;</u>".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 31, after "(D)" insert "(1)"; and after line 33, insert:

"(2) THE EXCEPTION UNDER PARAGRAPH (I) OF THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT APPLY IF THE CAUSE OF THE PATIENT'S SPOUSE'S INFERTILITY IS ELECTIVE STERILIZATION OR THE UNSUCCESSFUL REVERSAL OF ELECTIVE STERILIZATION."

On page 3, after line 8, insert:

"SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall apply to all policies, contracts, and health benefit plans issued, delivered, or renewed in the State on or after October 1, 2002.";

and in line 9, strike "2." and substitute "3.".