

BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 435

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “and Jones” and substitute “, Jones, Benson, Costa, Donoghue, Elliott, Hammen, Hubbard, Jenkins, Kipke, Krebs, Kullen, McDonough, Montgomery, Morhaim, Nathan-Pulliam, Oaks, Pena-Melnyk, Pendergrass, Reznik, Riley, Tarrant, and V. Turner”; strike beginning with “Physicians” in line 2 down through “Online” in line 3 and substitute “Primary Care Providers - Bonus Payments”; in lines 4 and 5, in each instance, after “requiring” insert “certain”; in lines 4 and 5, strike “reimburse physicians a bonus payment” and substitute “pay a bonus to primary care providers”; strike beginning with “reimburse” in line 6 down through “circumstances” in line 8 and substitute “include certain items in their contracts with primary care providers”; in line 8, after the first semicolon insert “specifying the contracts and policies to which this Act applies; making certain provisions of this Act applicable to health maintenance organizations;”; and in line 9, strike “physicians” and substitute “primary care providers”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 8, after the semicolon insert “OR”; strike beginning with “A” in line 9 down through “(5)” in line 10; after line 11, insert:

**“(B) THIS SECTION APPLIES ONLY TO CONTRACTS OR POLICIES THAT:**

**(1) ARE ISSUED OR DELIVERED BY A CARRIER; AND**

**(2) PROVIDE HOSPITAL, MEDICAL, OR SURGICAL BENEFITS TO INDIVIDUALS OR GROUPS ON AN EXPENSE-INCURRED BASIS.”;**

(Over)

in line 12, strike “(B)” and substitute “(C) (1)”; strike beginning with “REIMBURSE” in line 12 down through “PAYMENT” in line 13 and substitute “PAY A BONUS TO PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS”; strike beginning with “AT” in line 14 down through “HOURS” in line 15 and substitute “AFTER 6 P.M. AND BEFORE 8 A.M.”; in line 16, strike “ON DAYS WHEN THE OFFICE IS NORMALLY CLOSED; AND” and substitute “ON WEEKENDS AND NATIONAL HOLIDAYS.”; strike beginning with “A” in line 17 down through “COMMUNICATION” in line 23 and substitute “A CARRIER SHALL PROVIDE FOR AND DESCRIBE THE TERMS OF THE BONUS PAYMENT REQUIRED IN PARAGRAPH (1) OF THE SUBSECTION IN A SEPARATE CLAUSE IN THE CARRIER’S CONTRACT WITH THE PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER”.