

BY: Judicial Proceedings Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 138

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with “Unpaid” in line 2 down through “Services” in line 3 and substitute “Vehicle Repair Estimates”; in line 5, strike “an unpaid bill or a written estimate for goods or services” and substitute “a written vehicle repair estimate prepared by an insurer or its authorized representative”; in line 6, strike “to prove”; strike beginning with “provider” in line 6 down through “reasonable” in line 8 and substitute “preparer of the estimate, as evidence of the authenticity and the fairness and reasonableness of the estimate”; in line 9, strike “apply to unpaid bills and” and substitute “applicable to certain”; in the same line, after “written” insert “vehicle repair”; in lines 9 and 10, strike “for goods and services”; in line 11, strike “unpaid bills and” and substitute “certain”; in the same line, after “written” insert “vehicle repair”; and in the same line, strike “for goods or services”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in lines 4, 9, 22, and 23, in each instance, strike the brackets.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, in lines 4 and 5, strike “OR WRITTEN ESTIMATE”; in line 5, after “services” insert “OR A WRITTEN VEHICLE REPAIR ESTIMATE PREPARED BY AN INSURER OR ITS AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE”; in line 6, after “services” insert “OR THE PREPARER OF THE VEHICLE REPAIR ESTIMATE”; in line 7, strike “for THE goods or services”; in line 8, strike “OR ESTIMATE”; in the same line, after “services” insert “OR OF THE VEHICLE REPAIR ESTIMATE”; in line 16, after “OR” insert “THE PREPARER OF THE”; in line 23, strike “Stating” and substitute “IN THE CASE OF A BILL, STATING”; and in line 29, strike “WRITTEN” and substitute “OF THE PREPARER OF THE VEHICLE REPAIR”.

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On page 3, in line 6, after “OR” insert “THE PREPARER OF THE”; in line 7, strike “OR WRITTEN ESTIMATE”; and in line 8, after “services” insert “AND THE DATE OF EACH WRITTEN ESTIMATE”.