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BY: Health Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1364
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “**Delegate Pena–Melnyk**” and substitute “**Delegates Pena–Melnyk, Alston, Bagnall, Cullison, Guzzone, Hill, Hutchinson, S. Johnson, Kaufman, Kipke, Lopez, Martinez, Reilly, Rosenberg, Ross, Taveras, White Holland, and Woorman**”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in lines 24 and 27, in each instance, strike “section” and substitute “**SUBSECTION**”.

On page 3, strike in their entirety lines 9 through 15, inclusive; and in line 25, after “(d)” insert “**(1) THIS SUBSECTION MAY NOT BE CONSTRUED TO CREATE A STANDARD OF CARE, OBLIGATION, OR DUTY THAT PROVIDES A BASIS FOR A CAUSE OF ACTION.**”

(2) SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION, A CENTER WHERE MAMMOGRAPHY TESTING IS PERFORMED SHALL INCLUDE IN A SCREENING RESULTS LETTER THAT IS SENT TO A PATIENT, AS REQUIRED BY FEDERAL LAW, THE FOLLOWING NOTICE:

“THIS NOTICE CONTAINS THE RESULTS OF YOUR RECENT MAMMOGRAM, INCLUDING INFORMATION ABOUT BREAST ARTERIAL CALCIFICATION.

IF YOUR MAMMOGRAM SHOWS BREAST ARTERIAL CALCIFICATION, YOU SHOULD KNOW THAT BREAST ARTERIAL CALCIFICATION IS A COMMON FINDING. HOWEVER, BREAST ARTERIAL CALCIFICATION MAY BE AN INDICATOR OF AN

INCREASED RISK OF CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE. IF YOU HAVE BREAST ARTERIAL CALCIFICATIONS, PLEASE DISCUSS THIS WITH YOUR PHYSICIAN TO ASSESS YOUR CARDIOVASCULAR RISKS AND DETERMINE IF ADDITIONAL TESTING MAY BE APPROPRIATE FOR YOU.

THIS INFORMATION ABOUT THE RESULT OF YOUR MAMMOGRAM IS GIVEN TO YOU TO RAISE YOUR AWARENESS AND TO INFORM YOUR CONVERSATIONS WITH YOUR PHYSICIAN. TOGETHER YOU CAN DECIDE WHETHER ADDITIONAL SCREENING OPTIONS ARE RIGHT FOR YOU BASED ON YOUR MAMMOGRAM RESULTS, INDIVIDUAL RISK FACTORS, OR PHYSICAL EXAMINATION. A REPORT OF YOUR RESULTS WAS SENT TO YOUR PHYSICIAN.”.

(3) IF THE DEPARTMENT FINDS SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE CONTENT OF THE NOTICE THAT IS REQUIRED TO BE PROVIDED UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION AND CURRENT MEDICAL EVIDENCE ON BREAST ARTERIAL CALCIFICATION, THE DEPARTMENT MAY ADOPT REGULATIONS THAT CHANGE THE CONTENT OF THE NOTICE.

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