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AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 974
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, after “**Services –**” insert “**High Deductible Health Plans and**”; and in line 3, after “of” insert “clarifying the application of certain health insurance preventive services coverage requirements to certain high deductible health plans.”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 1, strike “**(D)**” and substitute “**(E)**”; in line 2, strike the first “and” and substitute a comma; in the same line, after “(c)” insert “, and (d)”; after line 30, insert:

“(C) (1) IN THIS SUBSECTION, “HIGH DEDUCTIBLE HEALTH PLAN” HAS THE MEANING STATED IN 26 U.S.C. § 223(C)(2).

(2) IF AN INSURED OR ENROLLEE IS COVERED UNDER A HIGH DEDUCTIBLE HEALTH PLAN, A CARRIER MAY APPLY THE DEDUCTIBLE REQUIREMENT OF THE HIGH DEDUCTIBLE HEALTH PLAN TO THE COVERAGE REQUIRED UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION, UNLESS THE COMMISSIONER DETERMINES THAT THE COVERAGE IS INCLUDED IN THE SAFE HARBOR PROVISIONS FOR PREVENTIVE CARE UNDER 26 U.S.C. § 223(C)(2)(C).”;

in line 31, strike “(c)” and substitute “**(D)**”; and in line 35, strike “**(D)**” and substitute “**(E)**”.