

Amend CSHB 3540 on third reading by inserting the following appropriately numbered Section and renumbering subsequent sections:

SECTION _____. Amend Section 62.102(a), Health and Safety Code to read as follows:

(a) The commission shall provide that an individual who is determined to be eligible for coverage under the child health plan remains eligible for those benefits until the earlier of:

(1) the end of a period[~~, not to exceed~~] of 12 months, following the date of the eligibility determination; or

(2) the individual's 19th birthday.