



FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

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1 Amend C.S.H.B. No. 1 (house committee printing) in Article II
2 of the bill immediately following the appropriations to the Health
3 and Human Services Commission (page II-73) by adding the following
4 appropriately numbered rider and renumbering subsequent riders
5 accordingly:

6 _____. Transparency in Medicaid and CHIP Rate-setting Process.
7 The Health and Human Services Commission may not spend any of the
8 funds appropriated in this Act to the commission for purposes of
9 Goal B, Medicaid, or Goal C, CHIP Services, unless the commission,
10 using money appropriated by this Act, ensures the transparency of
11 the premium payment rate-setting process for the payment of
12 premiums under the Medicaid and CHIP managed care programs by
13 publishing actuarial reports. It is the intent of the legislature
14 that the actuarial reports satisfy the following requirements:

15 a. A report must be in a format that allows for tracing data
16 and formulas across attachments, exhibits, and examples.

17 b. A report must clearly identify and describe the
18 methodology by which the executive commissioner of the Health and
19 Human Services Commission set the payment rates, the data sources
20 used, the components of the process that are assumptions and how the
21 assumptions are developed, multipliers and factors used throughout
22 the reports, including the source and purpose of the multipliers
23 and factors, and the methodology by which the executive
24 commissioner determined that the rates are actuarially sound for
25 the populations covered and the services provided.