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MEMORANDUM

March 5, 2014

SUBJECT: Sectional summary
(CSHB 134()(Work Order No. 28-LS0303(T))

TO: Representative Mia Costello
Attn: Charles Guinchard

FROM: Jean M. Mischel
Legislative Counsel

You have requested a sectional summary of the above-described bill.

As a preliminary matter, note that a sectional summary of a bill should not be considered an authoritative interpretation of the bill and the bill itself is the best statement of its contents. If you would like an interpretation of the bill as it may apply to a particular set of circumstances, please advise.

Section 1. Requires the Department of Health and Social Services to establish an additional fee under the Medicaid program, to be paid to a qualified pharmacy, for dispensing services for prescriptions that require medication compliance packaging into scheduled unit doses for specified Medicaid recipients. Describes specialized dispensing and delivery services to be covered.

Section 2. Provides for a contingent effect of sec. 1 based on approval by the United States Department of Health and requires the commissioner of health and social services to request the approval.

Section 3. Establishes an effective date for the bill based on notification of the revisor of statutes by the commissioner of health and social services of federal approval received under sec. 2 of the bill.

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