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Proposed CS, HB 267 ver. S Sectional Analysis

Section 1.

- (a) Requires that an STLD plan provide coverage for emergency services, hospitalization, and laboratory services. Requires that for any renewals of an STLD plan, the insurer cover services related to a pre-existing condition. This requirement also applies to plans that are issued within 90 days of the end of a plan issued by the same insurer.
- (b) Limits the sale of STLD plans to outside of the federal marketplace's open enrollment period and a qualifying individual's special enrollment period. Limits the number of renewals that an insurer can issue to two. Contains a cost-sharing provision for self-only and family coverage.
- (c) Provides that the Director of the Division of Insurance may increase the annual cost-sharing amounts by inflation.
- (d) Provides references for definitions in statute and federal code.

Section 2. Applies the requirements of Section 1 to insurance policies, contracts, and renewals entered into after the effective date.

Section 3. Transition regulations. Directs the Director of the Division of Insurance to adopt necessary regulations.

Section 4. Sets an immediate effective date for Section 3.

Section 5. Sets an effective date of July 1, 2021 for Sections 1 and 2.