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AMENDMENT

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TO: SCS CSHB 17(HSS), Draft Version "U"

1 Page 1, line 1:

2 Delete the second occurrence of "and"

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4 Page 1, line 2, following "services":

5 Insert "; and providing for an effective date"

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7 Page 2, lines 7 - 9:

8 Delete all material and insert:

9 "(c) Except as provided in (d) of this section, a health care insurer may not
10 require cost sharing for contraceptives or services covered under (a) of this section
11 when provided by a participating health care provider or dispensing entity."

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13 Page 2, lines 14 - 23:

14 Delete all material and insert:

15 "(e) A health care insurer that applies medical management techniques,
16 including step therapy or prior authorization, must provide without delay a simple and
17 easy to understand exception procedure for a covered person to access contraceptives
18 covered under (a) of this section."

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20 Page 2, line 28, following "prescribed":

21 Insert "by a participating health care provider"

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23 Page 3, lines 6 - 13:

1 Delete "A religious employer that opposes coverage under this subsection shall
2 provide a list of the contraceptives or services described in (a) of this section for which the
3 religious employer opposes coverage

4 (1) to each prospective enrollee in the religious employer's health care
5 insurance plan before the enrollee's enrollment in the plan; and

6 (2) annually to all insureds enrolled in the religious employer's health
7 care insurance plan."
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9 Page 7, following line 31:

10 Insert a new bill section to read:

11 **"* Sec. 9.** Section 1 of this Act takes effect January 1, 2025."