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“An Act relating to utilization review entities; exempting certain health care providers from making preauthorization requests for certain services; and providing for an effective date.”

SUMMARY OF CHANGES

Version A to Version B

Section 1:

Version B raises the approval rate to 90% for prior authorization requests that health care providers must have to be exempt from preauthorization requirements, instead of 80% in Version A.

Version B adds that the approval rate for prior authorization requests is determined after the appeal process.

Section 2:

Version B adds a definition for health care provider, which is a person licensed in this state or another state of the United States to provide medical care services, a health care facility, or a health care institution.