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SCR No. 87

Directs the Department of Health and Hospitals to submit a Section 1115 Medicaid demonstration waiver to the Centers of Medicare and Medicaid Services designed to protect Medicaid and uninsured services being delivered and complement existing upper payment limit funding programs.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to the original bill.

1. Changed the purpose of the waiver from a waiver that replaces upper payment limit funding and creates funding pools to replace upper payment limit payments to a waiver designed to protect Medicaid and uninsured services being delivered and complement existing upper payment limit funding programs.
2. Clarified the potential benefits of a Section 1115 Medicaid demonstration waiver.