

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

Senator Negron moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 6024 - 6051 and insert:

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(15) "Provider service network" means a network authorized under s. 409.912(4)(d), reimbursed on a prepaid basis, operated by a health care provider or group of affiliated health care providers, and which directly provides health care services under a Medicare, Medicaid, or Healthy Kids contract.

Section 82. Section 641.2019, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

641.2019 Provider service network certificate of authority.—A prepaid provider service network that applies for



and obtains a health care provider certificate pursuant to part III of this chapter, meets the surplus requirements of s. 641.225, and meets all other applicable requirements of this part may obtain a certificate of authority under s. 641.21. A certified provider service network has the same rights and responsibilities as a health maintenance organization certified under this part.

Section 83. Subsection (2) of section 641.2261, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

641.2261 Application of solvency requirements to providersponsored organizations and Medicaid provider service networks.-

(2) Except for a provider service network seeking to obtain a certificate of authority under s. 641.2019, the solvency requirements in 42 C.F.R. s. 422.350, subpart H, and the solvency requirements established in approved federal waivers pursuant to chapter 409 apply to a Medicaid provider service network rather than the solvency requirements of this part.

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> ======= T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========== And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 414

35 and insert:

> that chapter; amending s. 641.2261, F.S.; limiting the solvency requirements applicable to provider service networks; amending s. 641.47, F.S.; redefining the