The Committee on Appropriations (Flores) recommended the following amendment:

**Section: 03  On Page: 061  Spec App: 241**

**EXPLANATION:**
Clarifies proviso for provider rate increases for waiver support coordinators and for nursing services provided by licensed practical nurses.

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DELETE the proviso immediately following Specific Appropriation 241:

From the funds in Specific Appropriation 241, $3,030,410 from the General Revenue Fund and $4,865,396 from the Operations and Maintenance Trust Fund are provided for a rate increase for Waiver Support Coordinator providers.

From the funds in Specific Appropriation 241, $1,294,969 from the General Revenue Fund and $2,079,104 from the Operations and Maintenance Trust Fund are provided for a rate increase for Private Duty Nursing services provided by Licensed Practical Nurses.

AND INSERT:

From the funds in Specific Appropriation 241, $3,030,410 from the General Revenue Fund and $4,865,396 from the Operations and Maintenance Trust Fund are provided for a rate increase for Waiver Support Coordinator providers that meet criteria for agency designation.
From the funds in Specific Appropriation 241, $1,294,969 from the General Revenue Fund and $2,079,104 from the Operations and Maintenance Trust Fund are provided for a rate increase for nursing services provided by Licensed Practical Nurses.

Line item amendments are accepted as part of the amendatory process. However, due to the necessity of using computerized systems this may entail a different placement within a budget entity or the renumbering of the specific appropriation items.