Bill No. CS for SB 1028 Amendment No. CHAMBER ACTION Senate House 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 Senator Forman moved the following amendment: 12 13 Senate Amendment (with title amendment) On page 30, between lines 18 & 19, 14 15 16 insert: 17 Section 10. Pursuant to section 187 of chapter 99-397, Laws of Florida, the Agency for Health Care Administration was 18 19 directed to conduct a detailed study and analysis of clinical 20 laboratory services for kidney dialysis patients in the State of Florida and to report back to the Legislature no later than 21 22 February 1, 2000. The agency reported that additional time and investigative resources were necessary to adequately respond 23 24 to the legislative directives. Therefore, the sum of \$230,000 25 from the Agency for Health Care Administration Tobacco 26 Settlement Trust Fund is appropriated to the Agency for Health 27 Care Administration to contract with the University of South Florida to conduct a review of laboratory test utilization, 28 29 any self-referral to clinical laboratories, financial 30 arrangements among kidney dialysis centers, their medical directors, referring physicians, and any business 31 1

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relationships and affiliations with clinical laboratories, and the quality and effectiveness of kidney dialysis treatment in this state. A report on the findings from such review shall be presented to the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the chairs of the appropriate substantive committees of the Legislature no later than February 1, 2001. (Renumber subsequent sections) ======= TITLE AMENDMENT========== And the title is amended as follows: On page 1, line 29, after the semicolon insert: providing an appropriation for continued review of clinical laboratory services for kidney dialysis patients and requiring a report thereon; 

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