HOUSE AMENDMENT

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Amendment No. ____ (for drafter's use only) CHAMBER ACTION Senate House 1 2 3 4 5 ORIGINAL STAMP BELOW 6 7 8 9 10 Representative(s) Richardson offered the following: 11 12 13 Amendment (with title amendment) On page 5, line 11, 14 15 16 insert: 17 Section 1. Subsection (8) of section 400.925, Florida 18 Statutes, is amended to read: 400.925 Definitions.--As used in this part, the term: 19 20 (8) "Home medical equipment" includes any product as 21 defined by the Federal Drug Administration's Drugs, Devices 22 and Cosmetics Act, any products reimbursed under the Medicare Part B Durable Medical Equipment benefits, or any products 23 reimbursed under the Florida Medicaid durable medical 24 25 equipment program. Home medical equipment includes, but is not 26 limited to, oxygen and related respiratory equipment; manual, 27 motorized, or. Home medical equipment includes customized 28 wheelchairs and related seating and positioning, but does not 29 include prosthetics or orthotics or any splints, braces, or 30 aids custom fabricated by a licensed health care 31 practitioner; . Home medical equipment includes assistive 1

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technology devices, including: manual wheelchairs, motorized 1 2 wheelchairs, motorized scooters; , voice-synthesized computer 3 modules, optical scanners, talking software, braille printers, 4 environmental control devices for use by person with 5 quadriplegia, motor vehicle adaptive transportation aids, 6 devices that enable persons with severe speech disabilities to 7 in effect speak, personal transfer systems; and specialty 8 beds, including demonstrator, for use by a person with a 9 medical need. 10 11 12 And the title is amended as follows: 13 On page 1, line 2, after the semicolon 14 15 16 insert: 17 amending s. 400.925, F.S.; eliminating the regulation of certain home medical equipment by 18 the Agency for Health Care Administration; 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 2

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