The Florida Senate HOUSE MESSAGE SUMMARY

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BILL: CS/HB 1125

INTRODUCER: Health and Human Services Quality Subcommittee and Rep. Corcoran

SUBJECT: Health and Human Services

DATE: May 4, 2011

I. Amendments Contained in Message:

Senate Amendment 1 –170500 (body with title)

House Amendment 1-- 832493 to Senate Amendment 2- 213174 (body with title)

House Amendment 2 – 233315 to Senate Amendment 2- 213174 (body with title)

II. Summary of Amendments Contained in Message:

Senate Amendment 1 provides technical conforming changes relating to the Florida Health Choices program. The House refused to concur.

House Amendment 1 revises the eligibility requirement for the health flex plans by eliminating the requirement that a person must be 64 years of age or younger.

House Amendment 2 adds licensed orthotists and prosthetists to the current definition of "health care provider," under s. 766.202, F.S., for purposes of medical malpractice actions pursuant to ch. 766, F.S.