

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

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Senator Hays moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 4121 and 4122 insert:

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Section 107. A county may implement a hospital-based local financing mechanism in partnership with hospitals located within that county. The partnership shall be scheduled to expire no later than 3 years after the partnership is implemented unless reviewed and renewed by the parties. The funding mechanism must be permissible under federal law in order to be used for providing the state share of matching funds for buying back hospital rate reductions up to the allowable cost for hospital payments in the Medicaid program.



14 ======== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ============ 15 And the title is amended as follows: 16 17 Delete line 376 18 19 and insert: 20 21 prescription drugs by blood establishments; authorizing a county to implement a hospital-based 22 local financing mechanism in partnership with 23 24 hospitals within that county to provide state matching 25 funds under the Medicaid program; requiring review of 26 such partnerships within a specified period after 27 implementation; providing