HOUSE AMENDMENT

Bill No. HB 423, 1st Eng. (2016)

Amendment No. CHAMBER ACTION Senate House Representative Raulerson offered the following: 1 2 3 Amendment to Amendment (156670) (with title amendment) Between lines 922 and 923 of the amendment, insert: 4 5 Section 20. Paragraph (a) of subsection (3) of section 6 766.1115, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 7 766.1115 Health care providers; creation of agency 8 relationship with governmental contractors.-9 (3) DEFINITIONS.-As used in this section, the term: 10 "Contract" means an agreement executed in compliance (a) with this section between a health care provider and a 11 12 governmental contractor for volunteer, uncompensated services which allows the health care provider to deliver health care 13 services to low-income recipients as an agent of the 14 740423 Approved For Filing: 3/10/2016 10:09:26 PM

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15 governmental contractor. The contract must be for volunteer, 16 uncompensated services, except as provided in paragraph (4)(g). 17 For services to qualify as volunteer, uncompensated services under this section, the health care provider, or any employee or 18 19 agent of the health care provider, must receive no compensation 20 from the governmental contractor for any services provided under 21 the contract and must not bill or accept compensation from the 22 recipient, or a public or private third-party payor, for the 23 specific services provided to the low-income recipients covered 24 by the contract, except as provided in paragraph (4)(g). A free 25 clinic as described in subparagraph (d)14. may receive a legislative appropriation, a gran<u>t through a legislative</u> 26 27 appropriation, or a grant from a governmental entity or nonprofit corporation to support the delivery of contracted 28 29 services by volunteer health care providers, including the 30 employment of health care providers to supplement, coordinate, 31 or support the delivery of such services. The appropriation or 32 grant for the free clinic does not constitute compensation under 33 this paragraph from the governmental contractor for services 34 provided under the contract, nor does receipt or use of the appropriation or grant constitute the acceptance of compensation 35 36 under this paragraph for the specific services provided to the 37 low-income recipients covered by the contract. 38 39 TITLE AMENDMENT 40

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Between lines 1146 and 1147 of the amendment, insert: 41

42 766.1115, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "contract"; amending s.

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