Bill No. <u>CS for SB 314</u>

Amendment No. ____

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11	Senator Gutman moved the following amendment:
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13	Senate Amendment (with title amendment)
14	On page 15, lines 15-17, delete those lines
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16	and insert:
17	Section 17. Subsections (1), (2), and (5) of section
18	408.062, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:
19	408.062 Research, analyses, studies, and reports
20	(1) The agency shall have the authority to conduct
21	research, analyses, and studies relating to health care costs
22	and access to and quality of health care services as access
23	and quality are affected by changes in health care costs.
24	Such research, analyses, and studies shall include, but not be
25	limited to, research and analysis relating to:
26	(a) The financial status of any health care facility
27	or facilities subject to the provisions of this chapter.
28	(b) The impact of uncompensated charity care on health
29	care facilities and health care providers.
30	(c) The state's role in assisting to fund indigent
31	care.

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31 And the title is amended as follows:

- (d) The availability and affordability of health insurance for small businesses.
- (e) Total health care expenditures in the state according to the sources of payment and the type of expenditure.
- (f) The quality of health services, using techniques such as small area analysis, severity adjustments, and risk-adjusted mortality rates.
- (g) The development of an alternative uniform system of financial reporting of gross revenues per adjusted admission, based on the American Institute of Certified Public Accounts' Hospital Audit and Accounting Guide, which also measures the services provided by a hospital to charity, medically indigent, and other underinsured patients. Recommendations for the development of an alternative uniform system of financial reporting shall be submitted to the Legislature by July 1, 1993.
- (h) The development of physician payment systems which are capable of taking into account the amount of resources consumed and the outcomes produced in the delivery of care.
- (i) The impact of subacute admissions on hospital revenues and expenses for purposes of calculating adjusted admissions as defined in s. 408.07.
- (j) Increases in hospital emergency room charges since 1995, the impact on such charges from cost-shifting, coding and billing practices, and ss. 641.513 and 409.9128, and the effect of such charges on the cost of health care.

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1	On page 2, line 11, after the semicolon
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3	insert:
4	authorizing the agency to conduct research and
5	analysis relating to hospital emergency room
6	charges;
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