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	<u>Senate</u>	CHAMBER ACTION	<u>House</u>
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Representative(s) Kelly offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 17, between lines 4 and 5,

insert:

Section 14. Subsection (7) of section 430.703, Florida Statutes, is renumbered as subsection (8), and a new subsection (7) is added to said section to read:

430.703 Definitions.--As used in this act, the term:

(7) "Other qualified provider" means an entity licensed under chapter 400 that meets all the financial and quality assurance requirements for a provider service network as specified in s. 409.912, and can demonstrate a long-term care continuum.

Section 15. Subsection (1) of section 430.707, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

430.707 Contracts.--

(1) The department, in consultation with the agency, shall select and contract with managed care organizations and with other qualified providers to provide long-term care

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1 within community diversion pilot project areas. Other
2 qualified providers are exempt from all licensure and
3 authorization requirements under the Florida Insurance Code
4 with respect to their provision of long-term care under a
5 contract with the department.

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9 And the title is amended as follows:

10 On page 2, line 17, after the second semicolon

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12 insert:

13 amending s. 430.703, F.S.; defining "other
14 qualified provider"; amending s. 430.707, F.S.;
15 authorizing the Department of Elderly Affairs
16 to contract with other qualified providers to
17 provide long-term care within community
18 diversion pilot project areas; providing for
19 exemptions from certain requirements;

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