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1                    A bill to be entitled
2            An act relating to home medical equipment
3            providers; amending s. 400.925, F.S.;
4            eliminating the regulation of certain home
5            medical equipment by the Agency for Health Care
6            Administration; providing an effective date.
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8   Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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10           Section 1.  Subsection (8) of section 400.925, Florida
11   Statutes, is amended to read:
12           400.925  Definitions.--As used in this part, the term:
13           (8)  "Home medical equipment" includes any product as
14   defined by the Federal Drug Administration's Drugs, Devices
15   and Cosmetics Act, any products reimbursed under the Medicare
16   Part B Durable Medical Equipment benefits, or any products
17   reimbursed under the Florida Medicaid durable medical
18   equipment program. Home medical equipment includes, but is not
19   limited to, oxygen and related respiratory equipment; manual,
20   motorized, or. Home medical equipment includes customized
21   wheelchairs and related seating and positioning, but does not
22   include prosthetics or orthotics or any splints, braces, or
23   aids custom fabricated by a licensed health care
24   practitioner;. Home medical equipment includes assistive
25   technology devices, including: manual wheelchairs, motorized
26   wheelchairs,motorized scooters;, voice-synthesized computer
27   modules, optical scanners, talking software, braille printers,
28   environmental control devices for use by person with
29   quadriplegia, motor vehicle adaptive transportation aids,
30   devices that enable persons with severe speech disabilities to
31   in effect speak,personal transfer systems;and specialty
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CODING: Words ~~stricken~~ are deletions; words <u>underlined</u> are additions.

1 beds~~, including demonstrator,~~for use by a person with a

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3   Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a

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