

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

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Representative(s) Maygarden and Heyman offered the following:

Amendment to Amendment (645115) (with title amendment)

On page 1, between lines 16 & 17,

insert: There is established within the Agency for Health Care Administration a demonstration project entitled the "Acute Care Subdistrict 1-1" pilot project. the pilot project shall utilize general acute care beds from any hospital within the Acute Care Subdistrict 1-1, as defined in 59-C2.100, Florida Administrative Code; which may relocate existing beds within the same subdistrict for the establishment of a satellite hospital as the demonstration project. the establishment of a satellite hospital under this section shall be exempt from the provisions of s. 408.036(1), Florida Statutes, as provided in this section. any exemption under s. 408.036(1) must be requested on or before July 1, 2003. Construction of the satellite hospital must commence within the timeframes applicable to certificates of need. the Agency for Health Care Administration shall monitor the demonstration project and report its findings on the impact of granting the

1 exemption under this section to the Governor, the President of
 2 the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives
 3 one year after any satellite hospital exempted under this
 4 section becomes operational. The report shall contain findings
 5 with respect to the impact that the granting of the exemption
 6 had on competition in the district and subdistrict, costs to
 7 providers, patients, and payors, and the use and occupancy
 8 rates of acute care beds in the subdistrict.

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And the title is amended as follows:

On page 39, line 2, of the amendment after the semicolon

insert:

authorizing a demonstration satellite hospital project in Escambia County; providing an exemption from certain certificate-of-need requirements; providing requirements; requiring the Agency for Health Care administration to monitor the project; requiring a report; specifying report criteria;