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Senator Saunders moved the following amendment:

Senate Amendment

On page 57, between lines 17 and 18,

insert:

(50) The agency shall contract with established
federally qualified health centers that provide services to
historically underserved and uninsured patients. The networks
must provide cost-effective Medicaid services, comply with the
requirements of a MediPass provider, and provide their primary
care physicians with access to data and other management tools
necessary to assist them in ensuring the appropriate use of
services, including inpatient hospital services and
pharmaceuticals.

(a) The agency shall provide for the development and
expansion of federally qualified health center based provider
service networks in each service area to provide services to
Medicaid recipients who are eligible to participate under
federal law and rules.

(b) The agency shall reimburse each federally

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1 qualified health center based network as a fee-for-service
 2 provider, including the case management fee for primary care
 3 or as a capitated rate provider for Medicaid services. Any
 4 savings shall be shared with the federally qualified health
 5 center networks under the contract.

6 (c) For purposes of this subsection, the term
 7 "cost-effective" means that a network's per-member, per-month
 8 costs to the state, including, but not limited to,
 9 fee-for-service costs, administrative costs, and
 10 case-management fees must be no greater than the state's costs
 11 associated with contracts for Medicaid services, which shall
 12 be actuarially adjusted for case mix, model, and service area.
 13 The agency shall conduct actuarially sound audits adjusted for
 14 case mix and model in order to ensure such cost-effectiveness
 15 and shall publish the audit results on its Internet website
 16 and submit the audit results annually to the Governor, the
 17 President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of
 18 Representatives no later than December 31.

19 (d) The agency may apply for any federal waivers
 20 needed to administer this subsection.

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 22 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)
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