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CHAMBER ACTION

<u>Senate</u>	.	<u>House</u>
Comm: FAV	.	
3/26/2008	.	
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1 The Committee on Health Regulation (Fasano) recommended the
2 following **amendment to amendment (457874)**:

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4 **Senate Amendment**

5 Delete lines 64 through 73
6 and insert:

7 (7) For care other than for ambulance transport or
8 treatment under to part III of chapter 401 or services provided
9 under s. 395.1041, if an insured under this section is requesting
10 services from a nonpreferred provider and requests information
11 from the insurer or the provider in order to determine patient
12 financial responsibility:

13 (a) The nonpreferred provider shall provide the insured
14 with an estimated average charge for the service and a statement
15 notifying the insured that the final charge may exceed the
16 estimated charge.



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17 | (b) The insurer shall provide the insured and the
18 | nonpreferred provider with an estimate of the payment to the
19 | provider and a statement notifying the insured that the final
20 | charge may exceed the estimated allowable payment amount.

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22 | The nonpreferred provider and the insurer are not liable if the
23 | total charges of the provider or the insurer's actual payment
24 | differs from the estimate.