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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to health care clinics; amending s.
3 400.9905, F.S.; redefining the term "clinic" for
4 purposes of the Health Care Clinic Act to exclude
5 those entities that derive more than a certain
6 percentage of their revenue from oncology services or
7 radiation therapy services; providing an effective
8 date.

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10 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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12 Section 1. Paragraph (i) of subsection (4) of section
13 400.9905, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

14 400.9905 Definitions.—

15 (4) "Clinic" means an entity at which health care services
16 are provided to individuals and which tenders charges for
17 reimbursement for such services, including a mobile clinic and a
18 portable equipment provider. For purposes of this part, the term
19 does not include and the licensure requirements of this part do
20 not apply to:

21 (i) Entities that provide only oncology or radiation
22 therapy services by physicians licensed under chapter 458 or
23 chapter 459, ~~or~~ entities that provide oncology or radiation
24 therapy services by physicians licensed under chapter 458 or
25 chapter 459 which are owned by a corporation whose shares are
26 publicly traded on a recognized stock exchange, or an entity
27 that provides oncology services or radiation therapy services,
28 whether at a single location or multiple locations, by or under
29 the supervision of physicians licensed under chapter 458 or

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30 chapter 459, if the entity derives more than 50 percent of its
31 total revenues from those services.

32 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009.