

Amendment No. 6

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	<u>      </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	<u>      </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	<u>      </u>	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	<u>      </u>	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	<u>      </u>	(Y/N)
OTHER	<u>      </u>	

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Regulatory Affairs  
 2 Committee

3 Representative Santiago offered the following:

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 5 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

6 Between lines 790 and 791, insert:

7 Section 16. Paragraph (t) is added to subsection (1) of  
 8 section 626.88, Florida Statutes, to read:

9 626.88 Definitions.—For the purposes of this part, the  
 10 term:

11 (1) "Administrator" is any person who directly or  
 12 indirectly solicits or effects coverage of, collects charges or  
 13 premiums from, or adjusts or settles claims on residents of this  
 14 state in connection with authorized commercial self-insurance  
 15 funds or with insured or self-insured programs which provide  
 16 life or health insurance coverage or coverage of any other  
 17 expenses described in s. 624.33(1) or any person who, through a

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18 health care risk contract as defined in s. 641.234 with an  
19 insurer or health maintenance organization, provides billing and  
20 collection services to health insurers and health maintenance  
21 organizations on behalf of health care providers, other than any  
22 of the following persons:

23 (t) A corporation not-for-profit whose membership consists  
24 entirely of local governmental units authorized to enter into  
25 risk management consortiums under s. 112.08.

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27 A person who provides billing and collection services to health  
28 insurers and health maintenance organizations on behalf of  
29 health care providers shall comply with the provisions of ss.  
30 627.6131, 641.3155, and 641.51(4).

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**T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

Remove line 64 and insert:

a cross-reference; amending s. 626.88, F.S; providing an  
exception to the definition of "administrator;" amending s.  
626.8805, F.S.;