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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services  
(Stargel) recommended the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Between lines 530 and 531

insert:

(e) A nursing home or assisted living facility may not prevent a qualifying patient residing in the nursing home or assisted living facility from hiring a caregiver. A nursing home or assisted living facility may prohibit its employees from acting as caregivers to residents of the nursing home or assisted living facility. A nursing home or assisted living



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11 facility is not required to provide a caregiver to a resident  
12 who is a qualifying patient.

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14 ===== T I T L E   A M E N D M E N T =====

15 And the title is amended as follows:

16       Delete line 40

17 and insert:

18       registry; prohibiting a nursing home or assisted  
19       living facility from preventing certain residents from  
20       hiring a caregiver; authorizing a nursing home or  
21       assisted living facility to prohibit its employees  
22       from acting as caregivers to residents; providing that  
23       a nursing home or assisted living facility is not  
24       required to provide a caregiver to certain residents;  
25       revising the entities to which the