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Senator Thurston moved the following:

1           **Senate Substitute for Amendment (925284) (with title**  
2 **amendment)**

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4           Delete line 135

5 and insert:

6           Section 4. By July 1, 2019, the Agency for Health Care  
7 Administration shall submit an amendment to this state's Section  
8 1115 Medicaid demonstration waiver to the Federal Government to  
9 provide health care coverage through the statewide Medicaid  
10 managed medical assistance program for adults 19 to 65 years of  
11 age with family incomes up to 138 percent of the federal poverty



12 level and who do not otherwise qualify for Medicaid.

13 Section 5. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

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

16 And the title is amended as follows:

17 Delete lines 2 - 30

18 and insert:

19 An act relating to health care coverage; creating ss.  
20 627.6046 and 627.65612, F.S.; defining the terms  
21 "operative date" and "preexisting medical condition"  
22 with respect to individual and group health insurance  
23 policies, respectively; requiring insurers, contingent  
24 upon the occurrence of either of two specified events,  
25 to make at least one comprehensive major medical  
26 health insurance policy available to all residents of  
27 this state within a specified timeframe; prohibiting  
28 such insurers from excluding, limiting, denying, or  
29 delaying coverage under such policies due to  
30 preexisting medical conditions; requiring such  
31 policies to have been actively marketed on a specified  
32 date and during a certain timeframe before that date;  
33 providing applicability; amending s. 641.31, F.S.;  
34 defining the terms "operative date" and "preexisting  
35 medical condition" with respect to health maintenance  
36 contracts; requiring health maintenance organizations,  
37 contingent upon the occurrence of either of two  
38 specified events, to make at least one comprehensive  
39 major medical health maintenance contract available to  
40 all residents of this state within a specified



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41           timeframe; prohibiting such health maintenance  
42           organizations from excluding, limiting, denying, or  
43           delaying coverage under such contracts due to  
44           preexisting medical conditions; requiring such  
45           contracts to have been actively marketed on a  
46           specified date and during a certain timeframe before  
47           that date; requiring the Agency for Health Care  
48           Administration, by a specified date, to submit an  
49           amendment to this state's Section 1115 Medicaid  
50           demonstration waiver to the Federal Government to  
51           provide health care coverage for certain adults  
52           through the statewide managed medical assistance  
53           program; providing an effective date.