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122ND LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 975, L.D. 1411, Bill, "An Act To Require Standardized Reporting of the Prices for Certain Health Care Services and To Repeal the Confidentiality of Sentinel Events"

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act Regarding the Reporting of Hospital and Ambulatory Surgical Center Prices'

Further amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the summary and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 1. 22 MRSA §1718, as corrected by RR 2003, c. 1, §16, is amended by adding at the end a new paragraph to read:

The Maine Health Data Organization, established in chapter 1683, shall adopt rules to establish criteria for the services and procedures and to standardize the manner of listing prices by hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers under this section. Rules adopted pursuant to this paragraph are routine technical rules as defined in Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A.

Sec. 2. 22 MRSA §8712, sub-§2, as enacted by PL 2003, c. 469, Pt. C, §29, is amended to read:

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



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An Act To Require Standardized Reporting of the Prices for Certain Health Care Services and To Repeal the Confidentiality of Sentinel Events

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"

Committee: Health and Human Services

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Any additional costs to the Maine Health Data Organization in implementing this bill can be absorbed by the organization utilizing existing budgetary resources.