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SECOND REGULAR SESSION

7 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 800, L.D. 2101,
8 Bill, "AN ACT to Include Drugs for Treatment of
9 Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease in the Elderly
10 Low-Cost Drug Program."

11 Amend the Bill in the first line after the
12 enacting clause (page 1, line 7 in L.D.) by striking
13 out the following: "Sec. 1."

14 Further amend the Bill in section 1 in the first
15 paragraph after the amending clause in the 10th line
16 (page 2, line 10 in L.D.) by striking out the
17 following: "raised \$1 for the entire program" and
18 inserting in its place the following: '\$3'

19 Further amend the Bill in section 1 by inserting
20 before the last paragraph the following:

21 'In any year in which this program is conducted,
22 it shall also include antiarthritic drugs and the
23 amount that a recipient pays toward the cost of any
24 such covered purchase shall be \$10.'

25 Further amend the Bill by striking out all of
26 section 2 and inserting in its place the following:

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'FISCAL NOTE

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This bill adds chronic obstructive drugs with a \$3
29 copayment to the Elderly Low-Cost Drug Program at

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1 an estimated cost of \$251,000 in fiscal year 1989 and
2 reduces the copayment for antiarthritic drugs to \$10
3 at an estimated cost in fiscal year 1989 of \$25,500.
4 The Department of Human Services has sufficient funds
5 in the account to cover this cost without additional
6 appropriation.'

7 STATEMENT OF FACT

8 This amendment adds chronic obstructive drugs with
9 a \$3 copayment to the Elderly Low-Cost Drug Program
10 and reduces the copayment on antiarthritic drugs to
11 \$10.

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