

Senate proposal of amendment

H. 620

An act relating to health insurance and Medicaid coverage for contraceptives

The Senate proposes to the House to amend the bill as follows:

First: By adding a new section to be Sec. 4 to read as follows:

Sec. 4. 33 V.S.A. § 1811(l) is added to read:

(l) A registered carrier shall allow for the enrollment of a pregnant individual, and of any individual who is eligible for coverage under the terms of the health benefit plan because of a relationship to the pregnant individual, at any time after the commencement of the pregnancy. Coverage shall be effective as of the first of the month following the individual's selection of a health benefit plan.

And by renumbering the existing Sec. 4, effective dates, to be Sec. 5

Second: In the newly renumbered Sec. 5, effective dates, by striking out subsection (a) in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new subsection (a) to read as follows:

(a) Secs. 3 (appropriation), 4 (Exchange special enrollment period for pregnancy), and this section shall take effect on July 1, 2016.