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## SENATE BILL NO. 538

## 95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

## AN ACT

To amend chapter 198, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to nursing homes.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 198, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 198.188, to read as follows:

198.188. All nursing home residents who are receiving MO

- 2 HealthNet benefits shall be allowed to retain not less than fifty dollars
- 3 per month for discretionary spending.

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