

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. _____

Offered by _____ of _____

Amend SCS/House Bill No. 1682, Page 6, Section 376.1237, Line 22,

2 by inserting after all of said line the following:

3 "376.2020. 1. For purposes of this section, the following
4 terms shall mean:

5 (1) "Contractual payment amount" or "payment amount", shall
6 mean the total amount a health care provider is to be paid for
7 providing a given health care service pursuant to a contract with
8 a health carrier, and includes both the portions to be paid by
9 the patient and by the health carrier. It is commonly referred
10 to as the allowable amount;

11 (2) "Enrollee", shall have the same meaning ascribed to it
12 in section 376.1350;

13 (3) "Health care provider", shall have the same meaning
14 ascribed to it in section 376.1350;

15 (4) "Health care service", shall have the same meaning
16 ascribed to it in section 376.1350;

17 (5) "Health carrier", shall have the same meaning ascribed
18 to it in section 376.1350.

19 2. No provision in a contract in existence or entered into,
20 amended, or renewed on or after August 28, 2016, between a health
21 carrier and a health care provider shall be enforceable if such

1 contractual provision prohibits, conditions, or in any way
2 restricts any party to such contract from disclosing to an
3 enrollee, patient, potential patient, or such person's parent or
4 legal guardian, the contractual payment amount for a health care
5 service if such payment amount is less than the health care
6 provider's usual charge for the health care service, and if such
7 contractual provision prevents the determination of the potential
8 out-of-pocket cost for the health care service by the enrollee,
9 patient, potential patient, parent, or legal guardian."; and

10 Further amend the title and enacting clause accordingly.