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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 1626

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 1626 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Illinois Insurance Code is amended by
5 adding Section 368g as follows:

6 (215 ILCS 5/368g new)

7 Sec. 368g. Coverage for physical therapy. On and after
8 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 98th General
9 Assembly, no insurer that amends, delivers, issues, or renews a
10 policy of accident and health insurance in this State may
11 impose greater fees for copayments, coinsurance, or office
12 visit deductibles for covered services provided by a licensed
13 physical therapist than the fees charged for copayments,
14 coinsurance, and office visit deductibles for the same covered
15 services provided by a licensed primary care physician. Every
16 insurer that amends, delivers, issues, or renews a policy of

1 accident and health insurance in this State that provides
2 coverage for physical therapy shall clearly state in its
3 policies the availability of coverage for physical therapy and
4 all related limitations, conditions, and exclusions."