MR. CHAIRMAN:

I move to amend HB 2764, as amended by House Committee, on page 4, following line 4, by inserting:

"New Sec. 3. (a) (1) On January 1, 2013, and on January 1 of the year following the year in which the rule and regulation required pursuant to subsection (b) becomes effective, the commissioner of insurance shall obtain from each health insurer who provided autism coverage in this state pursuant to this act the total cost of that portion of all premiums paid in all insurance policies or similar documents as specified in section 2(a), and amendments thereto, which is attributable to coverage for autism spectrum disorder as required by section 2, and amendments thereto, for the preceding calendar year.

(2) From the data accumulated by the commissioner of insurance shall be calculated an autism spectrum disorder premium rate which shall be equal to the average cost per person per month of the total premium collected which is attributable to coverage for autism spectrum disorder as required by section 2, and amendments thereto.

(3) If the autism spectrum disorder rate calculated pursuant to paragraph (2) exceeds $.31 per person per month, then the amount of benefits specified in paragraphs (3) and (4) of section 2(a), and amendments thereto, shall be reduced by the percentage which is equal to the ratio which is determined by dividing the difference between the autism spectrum disorder rate by $.31, except that the amount of benefits specified in paragraphs (3) and (4) of section 2(a), and amendments thereto, shall not be reduced below zero.

(b) As soon as a new level of benefits has been calculated pursuant to subsection (a), the
commissioner of insurance shall adopt a rule and regulation establishing the new benefit levels for paragraphs (3) and (4) of section 2(a), and amendments thereto, for the next policy year commencing after the rule and regulation required by this subsection becomes effective. The benefit levels established by such rule and regulation shall remain in effect until changed by a subsequent rule and regulation or by legislation.

(c) The commissioner is hereby authorized and directed to adopt rules and regulations necessary to implement this section."

And by renumbering the remaining sections accordingly

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