Hall of the House of Representatives

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Amendment Form

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 31

"TO CREATE THE BREAST CANCER, PROSTATE CANCER, AND COLON CANCER
EARLY DETECTION PROGRAM ACT."

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 31.

Amend Senate Bill No. 31 as engrossed, H02/06/03:

Add Representatives Green and Biggs as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 28, insert after the comma and before the word "shall" the following phrase:

"major medical policies whose duration is for six (6) months or less, or policies issued by the Arkansas Comprehensive Health Insurance Pool,"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 30 through 32 and substitute "examination for the presence of breast cancer."

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "shall not"

AND

Page 1, line 34, delete "Be" and substitute "Shall be"

AND

Page 1, line 35, delete "or" and substitute "but"

AND

Page 1, line 36, delete "Require" and substitute "Shall not require"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 2 through 14, and substitute



"(c) The coverage required by subsection (a) of this section shall be provided for mammograms, clinical breast examinations by a health care professional and other diagnostic tests at the ages and frequencies recommended by the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force, as in existence on January 1, 2003."

AND

Page 2, line 20, insert after the comma and before the word "shall" the following phrase:

"major medical policies whose duration is for six (6) months or less, or policies issued by the Arkansas Comprehensive Health Insurance Pool,

AND

Page 2, delete lines 22 through 23 and substitute "prostate cancer."

AND

Page 2, line 24, delete "shall not"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "Be" and substitute "Shall be"

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "or" and substitute "but"

AND

Page 2, line 27, delete "Require" and substitute "Shall not require"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 29 through 36 and substitute

"(c) The coverage required by subsection (a) of this section shall be provided for digital rectal examinations by a health care professional, prostate specific antigen tests and other diagnostic tests at the ages and frequencies recommended by the U. S. Preventive Services Task Force, as in existence on January 1, 2003."

AND

Page 3, line 1, delete entire line

AND

Page 3, line 7, insert after the comma and before the word "shall" the following phrase:

"major medical policies whose duration is for six (6) months or less,

or policies issued by the Arkansas Comprehensive Health Insurance Pool,"
AND
Page 3, delete lines 9 through 10 and substitute "cancer."
AND
Page 3, line 11, delete "shall not"
AND
Page 3, line 12, delete "Be" and substitute "Shall be"
AND
Page 3, line 13, delete "or" and substitute "but"
AND
Page 3, line 14, delete "Require" and substitute "Shall not require"
AND
Page 3, delete lines 16 through 31 and substitute "(c) The coverage required by subsection (a) of this section shall be provided for fecal occult blood tests performed by a health care professional, flexible sigmoidoscopy and other diagnostic tests at ages and frequencies recommended by the U. S. Preventive Services Task Force, as in existence on January 1, 2003." The Amendment was read By: Representatives Green, Biggs
KAS/RR - 031920030944 TWO292 Chief Clerk