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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1569

TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS FAIRNESS IN COST SHARING ACT.

Amendment No. 2 to House Bill 1569

Amend House Bill No. 1569 as engrossed H3/4/21 (version: 03/04/2021 10:27:16 AM):

Add Representatives C. Fite, V. Flowers, McCullough, Rye as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Senator T. Garner as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 3, and substitute the following:

"(a)(1) When calculating an enrollee's contribution to any applicable cost-sharing requirement, a healthcare insurer shall include any cost-sharing amounts paid by the enrollee or on behalf of the enrollee by another person.

(2) The cost-sharing requirement under subdivision (a)(1) of this section does not apply for cost-sharing of a prescription drug if a name-brand prescription drug is prescribed and the prescribed drug:

(A) Is not considered to be medically necessary by the prescriber; and

(B) Has a medically appropriate generic prescription drug equivalent."

AND

Page 5, delete lines 28 through 31, and substitute the following:

"(b)(1) When calculating an enrollee's contribution to any applicable cost-sharing requirement, a healthcare insurer shall include any cost-sharing amounts paid by the enrollee or on behalf of the enrollee by another person.

(2) The cost-sharing requirement under subdivision (b)(1) of this section does not apply for cost-sharing of a prescription drug if a name-brand prescription drug is prescribed and the prescribed drug:

(A) Is not considered to be medically necessary by the



prescriber; and

(B) Has a medically appropriate generic prescription drug equivalent."

The Amendment was read _____

By: Representative Lundstrum

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