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AN ACT CONCERNING HEALTH INSURANCE AND PATIENT PROTECTION.

AMENDMENT

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See Fiscal Note Details

The amendment strikes the underlying bill and its associated fiscal impact.

The amendment results in a potential cost annually beginning in FY 27¹ to fully insured municipal employee health insurance plans to the extent they would otherwise utilize step therapy after the policy sunset. The amendment has no fiscal impact to the state employee health plan or state partnership plan as they do not require step therapy on these conditions.

The amendment also makes a procedural change regarding the step therapy override process for certain prescription drugs. This has no fiscal impact.

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¹ Half-year potential cost in FY 27 and full-year potential cost thereafter