AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2543

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- Amend Bill, page 2, lines 26 through 28, by striking out "The 1
- 2 Department of" in line 26, all of line 27 and "at each long-term
- care nursing facility in this Commonwealth" in line 28 and 3
- inserting
- 5 The Department of Health shall ensure COVID-19 testing is
- available for all recipients and employees at each long-term
- 7 care nursing facility in this Commonwealth
- 8 Amend Bill, page 3, lines 1 through 4, by striking out "The
- Department" in line 1, all of lines 2 and 3 and "residence in 9
- 10 this Commonwealth" in line 4 and inserting
- The Department of Human Services shall ensure COVID-19 11
- testing is available for all recipients and employees at each 12
- 13 personal care home and assisted living facility in this
- 14 Commonwealth
- 15 Amend Bill, page 3, lines 8 and 9, by striking out all of
- 16 said lines and inserting
- 17 A recipient or employee shall submit the billing for the
- 18 COVID-19 testing under section 3 to the recipient's or
- 19 employee's health insurance carrier for coverage. The cost of
- 20 COVID-19 testing not covered by the recipient's or employee's
- health insurance shall be covered as follows: 21
- 22 Amend Bill, page 3, line 11, by striking out the period after
- 2.3 "Health" and inserting
- 2.4 from money appropriated for COVID-19 relief received by
- 25 the Commonwealth from the Families First Coronavirus Response
- Act (Public Law 116-127, 29 U.S.C. § 2601 et seq.) or the 26
- Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (Public 27
- Law 116-136, 134 Stat 281). 28
- 29 Amend Bill, page 3, line 13, by striking out the period after

1 "Services" and inserting

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