



SENATE BILL 487: Health Choice Technical Revisions.-AB

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SUMMARY: *Senate Bill 487 would make changes to Chapter 108A of the General Statutes as recommended by the Department of Health and Human Services.*

BILL ANALYSIS:

Section 1 would delete the obsolete definition of "predecessor plan" from Part 8 (Health Insurance Program for Children) of Chapter 108A (Social Services.)

Section 2 would add language to G.S. 108A-70.20 to require that claims made under the Health Insurance Program for Children be processed in accordance with the federal guidelines on the timely processing of claims.

Section 3 would repeal G.S. 108A-70.20A which established the Child Health Insurance Fund.

Section 4 would add language to G.S. 108A-70.21 stating that payments to Health Insurance Program for Children providers under Part 8 of Chapter 108A must be paid in full and not subject to cost settlement.

Section 5 would make conforming changes.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This act is effective when it becomes law.

