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PUBLIC ACT SUMMARY



PA 21-123—SB 909

Human Services Committee

AN ACT CONCERNING CHANGES TO THE HUSKY B PROGRAM

SUMMARY: This act prohibits copayments under HUSKY B (the state's Children's Health Insurance Program) from exceeding copayments paid by active state employees enrolled in one of the state's point of enrollment health care plans. Under prior law, these copayments were required to be equal.

The act also repeals the HUSKY Plus program, which provides supplemental coverage for HUSKY B enrollees with intensive physical health needs that exceed the basic benefit package (e.g., provides power wheelchairs as a service benefit). It makes several technical and conforming changes to remove program references in statute.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon passage