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Introducer(s):

Insurance and Real Estate Committee

Title: AN ACT REQUIRING A STUDY OF HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR MEDICAL SERVICES AND TREATMENT FOR MORBID OBESITY AND PROSTHETIC DEVICES.

Statement of Purpose: To require individual and group health insurance policies to provide coverage for medically necessary expenses associated with the diagnosis and treatment of morbid obesity, including, bariatric surgery and associated physician office visits, health and behavior assessments, nutrition education, patient self-management education and training and therapeutic exercises.

Bill History:

03/02/06 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Insurance and Real Estate Committee

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03/16/06 JOINT FAVORABLE SUBSTITUTE

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04/13/06 NEW FILE BY COMMITTEE ON Joint Committee on Legislative Management

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Co-sponsor(s):

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