



General Assembly

Amendment

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Offered by:
SEN. FASANO, 34th Dist.

To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 273

File No. 254

Cal. No. 199

"AN ACT CONCERNING REGULATION OF THE SECONDARY MARKET IN PHYSICIAN DISCOUNTS."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2008*) No health insurer, health
4 care center or fraternal benefit society that provides coverage under an
5 individual health insurance policy, or utilization review company that
6 provides services on behalf of any such entity may provide medical
7 advice, make a medical diagnosis or recommend medical treatment,
8 other than to recommend routine preventive care, directly to an
9 individual insured by such entity, but may provide such advice,
10 diagnosis or recommended treatment if it is set forth in writing and
11 sent to the individual's appropriate treating physician.

12 Sec. 502. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2008*) No health insurer, health
13 care center or fraternal benefit society that provides coverage under a
14 group health insurance policy, or utilization review company that
15 provides services on behalf of any such entity may provide medical

16 advice, make a medical diagnosis or recommend medical treatment,
17 other than to recommend routine preventive care, directly to an
18 individual insured by such entity, but may provide such advice,
19 diagnosis or recommended treatment if it is set fourth in writing and
20 sent to the individual's appropriate treating physician."