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Amendment

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Offered by:
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To: Subst. House Bill No. 6582 File No. 259 Cal. No. 225

"AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE CONNECTICUT HEALTHCARE PARTNERSHIP."

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

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) The Comptroller shall offer
4 to state employees, not later than the expiration of the current
5 agreement for health and welfare benefits for state employees
6 negotiated pursuant to subdivision (1) of subsection (f) of section 5-278
7 of the general statutes, the option to establish a high deductible health
8 plan, as defined in Section 220(c)(2) or Section 223(c)(2) of the Internal
9 Revenue Code of 1986, or any subsequent corresponding internal
10 revenue code of the United States, as from time to time amended, and
11 a health savings account as set forth in Section 223 of said Internal
12 Revenue Code. The Comptroller may enter into such contracts as
13 necessary to implement the provisions of this section. The State of
14 Connecticut and the State Employees Bargaining Agent Coalition may
15 negotiate such plan or account."