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**Amendment**

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**"AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CONNECTICUT HEALTH INSURANCE EXCHANGE TO ESTABLISH SUBSIDIARIES."**

1 In line 1, strike "Subsections (a) to (c), inclusive, of section" and  
2 insert "Section" in lieu thereof

3 In line 2, strike "are" and insert "is" in lieu thereof

4 After line 96, insert the following:

5 "(d) Prior to changing the amount of an assessment or user fee  
6 charged to any health carrier pursuant to subdivision (7) of subsection  
7 (c) of this section, if such change is for more than a ten per cent  
8 increase, the board shall submit such proposed change with the joint  
9 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of  
10 matters relating to insurance. Not later than thirty days after the date  
11 of such submission, said committee shall hold a public hearing on and  
12 vote to approve or reject such proposed change. If said committee fails  
13 to hold a public hearing or to vote to approve or reject such proposed  
14 change within the thirty-day period, the proposed change shall be

15 deemed approved.

16 [(d)] (e) (1) The chief executive officer of the exchange shall provide  
17 to the commissioner the name of any health carrier that fails to pay any  
18 assessment or user fee under subdivision (7) of subsection (c) of this  
19 section to the exchange. The commissioner shall see that all laws  
20 respecting the authority of the exchange pursuant to said subdivision  
21 (7) are faithfully executed. The commissioner has all the powers  
22 specifically granted under this title and all further powers that are  
23 reasonable and necessary to enable the commissioner to enforce the  
24 provisions of said subdivision (7).

25 (2) Any health carrier aggrieved by an administrative action taken  
26 by the commissioner under subdivision (1) of this subsection may  
27 appeal therefrom in accordance with the provisions of section 4-183,  
28 except venue for such appeal shall be in the judicial district of New  
29 Britain."