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SB-134

AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC OPTIONS FOR HEALTH CARE IN  
CONNECTICUT.

## AMENDMENT

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### ***OFA Fiscal Note***

#### ***See Fiscal Note Details***

The amendment prohibits state funds from being used to subsidize premiums for plans that offered under the ConnectHealth Plan (CHP) and for small employers who elect coverage under a plan offered by the State Comptroller. The bill does not require premium subsidies to support CHP participants and therefore the amendment is not anticipated to result in a fiscal impact related to the CHP plans. The amendment may eliminate a potential cost in the underlying bill by requiring small employer plans to be structured in a manner which would eliminate any potential state liability for claims overruns to the extent this is perceived as a premium subsidy. Premium subsidies are not required in the underlying bill and are not defined in either the bill or the amendment.

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