



General Assembly

Amendment

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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 134

File No. 361

Cal. No. 192

**"AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC OPTIONS FOR HEALTH CARE
IN CONNECTICUT."**

1 Strike lines 76 to 103, inclusive, in their entirety and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "(c) (1) Not later than March 1, 2020, the Comptroller, in
4 consultation with the advisory council and the Office of Health
5 Strategy, shall submit, in accordance with section 11-4a of the general
6 statutes, to the General Assembly:

7 (A) A plan to make the ConnectHealth Plan available to prospective
8 enrollees in this state not later than January 1, 2021;

9 (B) Strategies to ensure that health care providers and health care

10 facilities in this state participate in the ConnectHealth Plan;

11 (C) An analysis of the likely impact of the ConnectHealth Plan on
12 the individual and group health insurance markets in this state;

13 (D) A proposed schedule of the initial payments and reimbursement
14 rates for the ConnectHealth Plan;

15 (E) A proposal to implement state-financed cost-sharing subsidies
16 for enrollees in the ConnectHealth Plan who do not qualify for cost-
17 sharing subsidies under the Affordable Care Act, which proposal shall
18 include, but need not be limited to, (i) eligibility criteria for enrollees to
19 receive such subsidies, (ii) the recommended amount or amounts of
20 such subsidies, and (iii) a plan to administer and disburse such
21 subsidies; and

22 (F) A proposed application for a waiver from the United States
23 Department of the Treasury or the United States Department of Health
24 and Human Services, as applicable, pursuant to Section 1332 of the
25 Affordable Care Act.

26 (2) The General Assembly may approve all proposals submitted
27 pursuant to subparagraphs (D) to (F), inclusive, of subdivision (1) of
28 this subsection, in whole, by a majority vote of each house not later
29 than sixty days after submittal, or may reject all such proposals, in
30 whole, by a majority vote of either house not later than sixty days after
31 submittal. If the General Assembly does not approve such proposals,
32 such proposals shall be deemed to have been rejected by the General
33 Assembly and shall not be implemented."