

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senators Heitmeier and Martiny to Reengrossed House Bill No. 1 by Representative Fannin

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 103, after line 43, insert the following:

"Payable out of Federal Funds to the  
Uncompensated Care Costs Program for the  
reimbursement of uninsured costs incurred by  
non-state, non-rural public hospitals \$ 5,383,215

Provided, however, that the funding appropriated herein to the Uncompensated Care Costs Program for the reimbursement of uninsured costs incurred by non-state, non-rural hospitals shall only be paid to non-state public hospitals, excluding small rural hospitals as defined in R.S. 40:1300.143, that provide certifications to the department of incurred uncompensated care costs that qualify for public expenditures that are eligible for federal financial participation under Title XIX of the Social Security Act. Provide, further, that these payments shall be prorated based upon the individual hospital's remaining amount of unreimbursed qualifying uninsured cost, as calculated and paid pursuant to the current reimbursement methodology for uncompensated care costs payments to non-rural community hospitals."