HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Bill No. 322 by Representative Thierry

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

- 2 On page 3, at the beginning of line 2, delete "Each" and insert in lieu thereof "A. Except as
- 3 provided in Subsection B of this Section, each"
- 4 <u>AMENDMENT NO. 2</u>
- 5 On page 3, after line 5, insert the following:
- 6 "B. Nothing in this Section shall be construed to require a hospital to perform pulse
- oximetry screening if the hospital cannot be compensated for the procedure at the normal
- 8 or prevailing rate which is at least equal to the screening cost plus any administrative costs
- 9 for performing the screening over and above the reimbursement level for inpatient care."