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Abstract: Defines health organizations, changes the formula for determining risk-based capital for health organizations, and clarifies what constitutes a company-action level event.

Present law provides for regulation of health maintenance organizations.

<u>Proposed law</u> deletes "maintenance" from the title of the Subpart and provides an expanded definition of health organizations subject to regulation.

<u>Present law</u> provides that "authorized-control level risk-based capital" means the product of 1.25 and the number determined under the risk-based capital formula in accordance with the risk-based capital instructions.

<u>Proposed law</u> changes <u>present law</u> to provide that "authorized-control level risk-based capital" means the number determined under the risk-based capital formula in accordance with the risk-based capital instructions.

<u>Present law</u> provides that "mandatory-control level risk-based capital" is the product of ninetyfive hundredths (.95) and the number determined under the risk-based capital formula in accordance with the risk-based capital instructions.

<u>Proposed law</u> changes <u>present law</u> to require the use of seventy hundredths (.70) in the formula to determine mandatory-control risk-based capital.

<u>Present law</u> provides that one instance of "company-action level event" means the filing of a riskbased capital report by a health organization that indicates that the health organization's total adjusted capital is greater than or equal to its regulatory action level risk-based capital but less than its company-action level risk-based capital.

<u>Proposed law</u> clarifies that a "company-action level event" means if a health organization has total adjusted capital which is greater than or equal to its company-action level risk-based capital but less than the product of its authorized-control level risk-based capital and three, and triggers the trend test determined in accordance with the trend test calculation included in the health risk-based capital instructions.

(Amends the heading of Subpart D of Part III of Chapter 2 of Title 22 of the La. Revised Statutes of 1950 and R.S. 22:631(intro. para.), (4), and (6)(c) and (d) and 634(A)(1))