RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 265 (HB 1140)

2016 Regular Session

Broadwater

<u>Existing law</u> regulates the terms and provisions of contracts between healthcare providers and managed care organizations. <u>New law</u> additionally prohibits managed care organizations from terminating a contractual relationship with a provider due to the provider refusing to participate in all healthcare plans and provider networks offered by the insurer.

<u>New law</u> prohibits managed care organizations from requiring healthcare providers to agree to participate in all healthcare plans and provider networks offered by the managed care organization as a condition of the provider entering a contractual relationship with the insurer.

New law provides an exception for insureds from other states traveling in Louisiana.

Effective August 1, 2016.

(Amends R.S. 22:1007(J); Adds R.S. 22:1007(K))