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Requested by Senator HAYDEN

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO A-ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 3008

1 On <u>page 1</u> of the printed A-engrossed bill, delete lines 22 through 27 and 2 insert:

"(a) 'Dental insurer' means an insurer that offers a policy or certificate
of insurance or other contract, that provides only a dental benefit.

5 "(b)(A) 'Material modification' includes, but is not limited to, changes to 6 the terms or conditions of a contract that alter:

7 "(i) Reimbursement rates paid to dental care providers;

8 "(ii) Fee schedules for dental care providers; or

9 "(iii) Dental benefits or covered procedures under a plan for which a 10 dental care provider is a network provider.

"(B) 'Material modification' does not include adding a new third party to an existing third party network contract without any material modification to the third party network contract.

"(c) 'Provider network contract' means a contract entered into between a dental care provider and a dental insurer for the provision of services to enrollees in plans offered by the dental insurer.

"(d) 'Third party' means an entity that enters into a third party network
 contract with a dental insurer.

"(e) 'Third party network contract' means a contract entered into between a dental insurer and third party insurer to gain access to the dental care services and discounted rates of a dental care provider under the dental 1 insurer's provider network contract with the dental care provider.

2 "(2) A dental insurer may enter into a third party network contract to 3 provide access to the dental care".

On page 2, line 6, after "the" delete the rest of the line and delete line
7 and insert "third party network contract;".
In line 11, after the first "party" insert "network".

7 In line 30, after "party" insert "network".

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