

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

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1 AMEND Senate Bill No. 194, Page 4, Section 354.603, Line 102, by inserting after all of said line
2 the following:

3 "376.1065. 1. As used in this section, the following terms shall mean:

4 (1) "Contracting entity", any health insurer subject to the jurisdiction of the department
5 engaged in the act of contracting with providers for the delivery of dental services, or the selling or
6 assigning of dental network plans to other entities under the jurisdiction of the department;

7 (2) "Department", department of insurance, financial institutions and professional
8 registration;

9 (3) "Official notification", written communication by the participating provider with the
10 contracting entity describing such participating provider's change in participation status with the
11 contracting entity or contact information;

12 (4) "Participating provider", a provider who has an agreement with a contracting entity to
13 provide dental services with an expectation of receiving payment, other than coinsurance, co-
14 payments or deductibles, directly or indirectly from such contracting entity;

15 (5) "Provider", any person licensed under chapter 332.

16 2. A contracting entity shall make changes contained in the official notification to their
17 electronic provider material within ten business days of receipt of an official notification, and their
18 next edition of paper material made available to plan members or other potential plan members.";
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21 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
22 accordingly.
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