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Amend the bill in section 1 in the 2nd line (page 1, line 3 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "centers" the following: ', 2 of which will begin operation in fiscal year 2016-17 and one of which will begin operation in fiscal year 2017-18,'

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 2 and inserting the following:

‘Sec. 2. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF (FORMERLY DHS)

Office of Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services 0679

Initiative: Provides funding to create 2 new peer centers beginning in fiscal year 2016-17 and one new peer center beginning in fiscal year 2017-18 in different parts of the State to coordinate and run peer support programs to help persons in recovery from drug addiction.

| GENERAL FUND | 2015-16 | 2016-17 |
|---------------------------|----------------|------------------|
| All Other | \$0 | \$400,000 |
| GENERAL FUND TOTAL | \$0 | \$400,000 |

SUMMARY

This amendment specifies that, of the 3 new peer centers to be created by the Department of Health and Human Services, 2 will begin operation in fiscal year 2016-17 and one will begin operation in fiscal year 2017-18 and adjusts the funding accordingly.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)