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H.P. 1337

House of Representatives, April 5, 2018

**Resolve, To Require the Department of Health and Human Services  
To Submit a State Plan Amendment Regarding Assets in Retirement  
and Education Accounts**

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Reference to the Committee on Health and Human Services suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robert B. Hunt".

ROBERT B. HUNT  
Clerk

Presented by Representative CASÁS of Rockport. (GOVERNOR'S BILL)

1           **Sec. 1. State plan amendment. Resolved:** That the Department of Health and  
2 Human Services shall prepare and submit a Medicaid state plan amendment to the United  
3 States Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid  
4 Services seeking to disregard under the federal Social Security Act, Section 1902(r)(2)  
5 assets held in qualifying retirement and education accounts when determining eligibility  
6 for disabled individuals under age 65 with dependent children living in the home.

7   **SUMMARY**

8           This resolve requires the Department of Health and Human Services to prepare and  
9 submit a state plan amendment to the United States Department of Health and Human  
10 Services, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services in order to make a change in  
11 Medicaid eligibility requirements for individuals with disabilities who are living with  
12 dependent children by disregarding assets held in qualifying retirement and education  
13 accounts.