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SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 1480, L.D. 1994, “An Act To Establish the Progressive Treatment Program Fund”

Amend the bill in section 1 in §3873-B in subsection 2 in the 2nd line (page 1, line 8 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "and maintain"

Amend the bill in section 1 in §3873-B in subsection 2 in the last line (page 1, line 9 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "3873-A." the following: 'A private entity seeking reimbursement must submit to the department an itemized bill of legal costs incurred to initiate the progressive treatment program. The maximum amount the department may reimburse a private entity for the legal costs to initiate a progressive treatment program is \$800.'

Amend the bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

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

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF
Progressive Treatment Program Fund N948**

Initiative: Provides funding for the Progressive Treatment Program Fund.

GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
All Other	\$0	\$160,000
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$160,000

Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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SUMMARY

This amendment limits use of the Progressive Treatment Program Fund to legal costs incurred to initiate a progressive treatment program. It requires a private entity seeking reimbursement to submit to the Department of Health and Human Services an itemized bill of legal costs incurred to initiate the progressive treatment program. It limits the amount the department may reimburse a private entity for the legal costs to initiate a progressive treatment program to a maximum of \$800. It adds an appropriations and allocations section, appropriating \$160,000 to the fund in fiscal year 2022-23.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)