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SENATE AMENDMENT “ ” to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “A” to H.P. 979, L.D. 1333, Bill, “An Act To Modify Rating Practices for Individual and Small Group Health Plans and To Encourage Value-based Purchasing of Health Care Services”

Amend the amendment in Part F by inserting after section 7 the following:

**Sec. F-8. 24-A MRSA §4303, sub-§1-A** is enacted to read:

**1-A. Reasonable access defined.** For purposes of subsection 1, "reasonable access to health care services" means that a member may not be required to travel more than 60 miles for specialty care or 30 miles for primary care.'

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

**SUMMARY**

This amendment specifies that a member may not be required to travel more than 60 miles for specialty care or 30 miles for primary care.

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**(Senator SCHNEIDER)**

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