## DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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## Jay Wadd:

This bill is effective on the first day of the second month beginning after publication of the bill as an act. DHFS will have to recalculate the required deductibles for people who are already enrolled on the effective date. The change in the deductible first applies to deductible amounts paid on the effective date of the bill. This means that if an enrollee's deductible is decreased as a result of the bill and the enrollee has already paid more than the revised deductible but less than his or her current deductible, the person will not receive a refund. Please let me know if you would like the bill changed so that DHFS must pay refunds in those cases in which an enrollee's deductible is decreased and the person has already paid more than the revised deductible.

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