



**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1,
TO 2009 ASSEMBLY BILL 683**

January 28, 2010 – Offered by Representative RICHARDS.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 6, line 6: delete “and,” and substitute “and”.

3 **2.** Page 6, line 7: delete “and others”.

4 **3.** Page 6, line 14: delete “plans, or additional programs,” and substitute
5 “plans”.

6 **4.** Page 7, line 14: delete the material beginning with that line and ending with
7 page 8, line 2, and substitute:

8 “**SECTION 12c.** 185.981 (4) of the statutes is renumbered 185.981 (4) (a) and
9 amended to read:

10 185.981 (4) (a) ~~No~~ Except as provided in par. (b), no contract by or on behalf of
11 any such cooperative association shall provide for the payment of any cash,
12 indemnity, or other material benefit by that association to the subscriber or the
13 subscriber’s estate on account of death, illness, or injury, ~~nor be in any way related~~

1 ~~to the payment of any such benefit by any other agency, but any such association may~~
2 ~~stipulate in its plan plans that it will pay any nonparticipating physician and~~
3 ~~surgeon, optometrist, chiropractor, dentist or, hospital outside of its normal territory~~
4 ~~for sickness or, or other provider for hospital or other health care rendered to any~~
5 ~~covered member or a member's covered dependent person who is in need of the a~~
6 ~~plan's benefits of such plan when he or she is outside of the territory of such~~
7 ~~association in which the benefits of such plan are normally available. Any such plan.~~
8 The plans may prescribe monetary limitations with respect to such extraterritorial
9 the benefits.

10 **SECTION 12f.** 185.981 (4) (b) of the statutes is created to read:

11 185.981 (4) (b) A cooperative association may make a payment in cash,
12 indemnity, or other material benefit for a purpose that is incidental to its plans,
13 including for the purpose of administering coordination of benefits.”.

14 **5.** Page 10, line 13: delete “611.67, 619.04,” and substitute “611.26, 611.67,
15 619.04, 623.11, 623.12.”.

16 **6.** Page 10, line 16: after “609,” insert “620.”.

17 (END)