Amendment No. 159

RBL/BJE Date: 4/8/2005

A.B. No. 493—Requires Department of Human Resources to apply for Medicaid waiver pursuant to Health Insurance Flexibility and Accountability demonstration initiative.



Amend sec. 9, page 4, line 32, by deleting "2" and inserting "3".

Amend sec. 9, page 4, by deleting lines 36 through 41.

Amend sec. 13, page 6, by deleting lines 14 through 16 and inserting:

"respective counties.] must be transferred to the Health Insurance Flexibility and Accountability

Holding Account in the State General Fund in an amount not to exceed the amount of any

appropriation provided by the Legislature to fund a program established pursuant to section 4 of
this act.

3. Any money remaining in the Health Insurance Flexibility and Accountability Holding
Account at the end of each fiscal year reverts to the Fund for Hospital Care to Indigent Persons
and to the State General Fund in equal amounts.".

Amend the bill as a whole by deleting sec. 15 and renumbering sections 16 through 18 as sections 15 through 17.

Amend sec. 17, page 7, by deleting line 39 and inserting:

"June 30, 2005, must be transferred to the Fund for Hospital Care to Indigent Persons.".

Amend sec. 18, page 7, by deleting lines 40 through 45 and inserting:

- "Sec. 17. 1. This section and sections 1 to 6, inclusive, and 16 of this act become effective on July 1, 2005.
- 2. Sections 7 to 15, inclusive, of this act become effective on July 1, 2005, and expire by limitation on July 1, 2007, if the waiver applied for by the Director of the Department of Human Resources pursuant to section 2 of this act is not approved by the Federal Government.".