

Amendment No. 344

Senate Amendment to Senate Bill No. 298

(BDR 38-692)

Proposed by: Committee on Human Resources and Education**Amendment Box:****Resolves Conflicts with:** N/A**Amends:** Summary: Yes Title: Yes Preamble: No Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: No

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Amend section 1, page 1, line 3, by deleting “*If*” and inserting:

“1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2, if”.

Amend section 1, page 1, line 6, by deleting “*shall enter*” and inserting:

“may:

(a) Enter”.

Amend section 1, page 2, line 4, by deleting “*Program.*” and inserting:

“Program; or

(b) Automatically enroll in Medicaid persons whom the Social Security Administration

determines are eligible for the Supplemental Security Income Program. Before enrolling such a person in Medicaid, the Director shall cause a notice to be sent to the person to confirm or deny

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S.B. No. 298—Requires Department of Human Resources under certain circumstances to enter into agreement with Federal Government to determine eligibility for Medicaid at same time Federal Government determines eligibility for Supplemental Security Income Program.

whether the person wishes to be enrolled in Medicaid and to provide any other information deemed necessary by the Director.

2. The Director shall not enter into an agreement with the Commissioner of Social Security or automatically enroll persons in Medicaid pursuant to subsection 1 unless the Director and the Interim Finance Committee have determined that sufficient funds are available in this State for that purpose.”.

Amend the title of the bill to read as follows:

“AN ACT relating to welfare programs; authorizing the Director of the Department of Human Resources under certain circumstances to take certain actions to facilitate the enrollment of certain persons in Medicaid; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.”.

Amend the summary of the bill to read as follows:

“SUMMARY—Authorizes Director of Department of Human Resources under certain circumstances to take certain actions to facilitate enrollment of certain persons in Medicaid. (BDR 38-692)”.