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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 2325

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 2325, AS AMENDED,
3 with reference to page and line numbers of Senate Amendment No.
4 1 as follows:

5 on page 3, by replacing line 7 with the following:

6 "4. Within 10 days after the employee's or member's
7 ~~Upon~~ termination or reduction in hours below the"; and

8 on page 3, by replacing lines 10 through 19 with the following:

9 "by the employer. If the employee or member is unavailable,
10 written notice shall be ~~or~~ mailed by the employer to the last
11 known address of the employee or member within 10 days after
12 the employee's or member's termination or reduction in hours
13 below the minimum required by the group plan. The employer
14 shall also send a copy of the notice to the insurer. An
15 employee or member who"; and

1 on page 3, line 24, by replacing "given" with "presented or
2 mailed ~~given~~"; and

3 by replacing line 26 on page 3 through line 11 on page 4 with
4 the following:

5 "group policyholder, or insurer. In no event, however, may
6 the"; and

7 by replacing line 19 on page 4 through line 2 on page 5 with the
8 following:

9 "In the event the employee or member contacts the insurer
10 regarding continuation rights and advises that notice has not
11 been provided by the employer or group policyholder, the
12 insurer shall provide a written explanation to the employee or
13 member of the employee's or member's continuation rights
14 pursuant to this Section. The insurer shall not deny coverage
15 to the employee or member due to the employer's failure to
16 provide notice pursuant to this Section to the employee or
17 member."; and

18 on page 5, line 13, after "presented", by inserting "or
19 mailed"; and

20 on page 6, line 7, after "presented", by inserting "or mailed";
21 and

1 on page 6, line 15, by replacing "sent" with "presented or
2 mailed"; and

3 on page 12, by replacing line 18 with the following:

4 "(4) Within 10 days after the employee's or member's
5 Upon termination or reduction in hours below the"; and

6 by replacing line 21 on page 12 through line 4 on page 13 with
7 the following:

8 "by the employer. If the employee or member is unavailable,
9 written notice shall be ~~or~~ mailed by the employer to the last
10 known address of the employee or member within 10 days after
11 the employee's or member's termination or reduction in hours
12 below the minimum required by the group plan. The employer
13 shall also send a copy of the notice to the HMO. An employee or
14 member who"; and

15 on page 13, line 9, by replacing "given" with "presented or
16 mailed given"; and

17 on page 13, by replacing lines 11 through 22 with the
18 following:

19 "policyholder, or HMO. In no event, however, shall the employee
20 or member"; and

21 on page 14, by replacing lines 5 through 14 with the following:

1 "In the event the employee or member contacts the HMO
2 regarding continuation rights and advises that notice has not
3 been provided by the employer or group policyholder, the HMO
4 shall provide a written explanation to the employee or member
5 of the employee's or member's continuation rights pursuant to
6 this Section. The HMO shall not deny coverage to the employee
7 or member due to the employer's failure to provide notice
8 pursuant to this Section to the employee or member."; and

9 on page 14, line 25, after "presented", by inserting "or
10 mailed"; and

11 on page 15, line 19, after "presented", by inserting "or
12 mailed"; and

13 on page 16, line 1, by replacing "sent" with "presented or
14 mailed".