

SHB 2404 - S AMD TO HEA COMM AMD (S5589.1) 329
By Senator Jacobsen

1 On page 4, after line 13 of the amendment, insert the following:
2 "(3) The retainer health care practice shall charge a retainer fee
3 of no more than thirty dollars per month per person for adult retainer
4 subscribers whose ages are nineteen through sixty-four years, and shall
5 further charge children eighteen years or younger and senior adults age
6 sixty-five years or older no more than one-half the adult fee. The
7 commissioner may adjust the maximum retainer fee annually by no more
8 than the "medical consumer price index," not seasonally adjusted, for
9 all urban consumers in the Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton area."

10 Renumber the remaining subsections consecutively and correct any
11 internal references accordingly.

EFFECT: Sets retainer medicine fees in statute and allows the OIC
to adjust annually.

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