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SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2925

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By House Committee on Appropriations (originally sponsored by Representatives Santos, Morrell, Bailey, Cody, Hinkle, Pettigrew, Linville and Schual-Berke)

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- AN ACT Relating to assisted living facility medicaid minimum occupancy percentage of fifty percent or greater; adding a new section
- 3 to chapter 74.39A RCW; and creating a new section.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 74.39A RCW 6 to read as follows:
- 7 The department shall establish a capital add-on rate, not less than
- 8 the July 1, 2005, capital add-on rate established by the department,
- 9 for those assisted living facilities contracting with the department
- 10 that have a medicaid minimum occupancy percentage of sixty percent or
- 11 greater. The medicaid minimum occupancy percentage shall be determined
- on an annual basis. In determining whether an assisted living facility
- 13 meets the medicaid minimum occupancy percentage established under this
- 14 section, the department shall include in the calculation of medicaid
- days those clients who are enrolled in a managed care delivery system
- 16 for receipt of long-term care services, including but not limited to
- 17 the program for all inclusive care and the medicaid integration
- 18 project.

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NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. If specific funding for the purposes of this act, referencing this act by bill or chapter number, is not provided by June 30, 2006, in the omnibus appropriations act, this act is null and void.

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