Adopted AMENDMENT NO 1 PROPOSED TO

Cmte Sub for Senate Bill No. 2575

BY: Senator(s) Bryan

Amend by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. The following shall be codified as Section 3 83-9-10, Mississippi Code of 1972:

14 <u>83-9-10.</u> (1) For purposes of this section, alternative 15 delivery systems and covered benefits shall have the same 16 definitions as provided in Section 83-9-37.

17 (2) All alternative delivery systems and all group health 18 insurance policies, plans or programs regulated by the state of 19 Mississippi shall provide covered benefits for medical treatment 20 provided by the Mississippi State Department of Health in the same 21 manner as other providers.

(3) Alternative delivery systems and group health insurance policies, plans or programs regulated by the State of Mississippi shall not deny the Mississippi State Department of Health the right to participate as a contract provider.

26 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from 27 and after July 1, 2023.

Further, amend by striking the title in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

1 AN ACT TO CREATE NEW SECTION 83-9-10, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 2 1972, TO REQUIRE ALL ALTERNATIVE DELIVERY SYSTEMS AND ALL GROUP 3 HEALTH INSURANCE POLICIES, PLANS OR PROGRAMS REGULATED BY THE 4 STATE OF MISSISSIPPI TO PROVIDE COVERED BENEFITS FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT PROVIDED BY THE MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH 5 6 IN THE SAME MANNER AS OTHER PROVIDERS; TO PROHIBIT ALTERNATIVE 7 DELIVERY SYSTEMS AND GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE POLICIES, PLANS OR 8 PROGRAMS REGULATED BY THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI FROM DENYING THE 9 MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH THE RIGHT TO PARTICIPATE AS 10 A CONTRACT PROVIDER; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.