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S 1324. EXTERNAL REVIEW/MANAGED CARE (=H 1538). *TO PROVIDE STANDARDS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF EXTERNAL REVIEW PROCEDURES IN HEALTH INSURANCE AND MANAGED CARE TO ASSURE THAT COVERED PERSONS HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY FOR AN INDEPENDENT REVIEW OF A HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN COVERAGE DECISION MADE BY THE INSURER OR MANAGED CARE PLAN; AND TO MAKE CONFORMING AMENDMENTS TO EXISTING LAWS ON UTILIZATION REVIEW AND GRIEVANCES.* Identical to H 1538, introduced 5/16/00.

Intro. by Wellons, Dannelly, and Harris.

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