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SENATE BILL NO. 147

BY SENATOR MILLS

HEALTH SERVICES. Repeals provision providing for payment rates under Title XIX of the Social Security Act medical assistance program for emergency transportation of a person by ambulance. (8/1/12)

| 1 | AN ACT |
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| 2 | To repeal R.S. 40:1236.3, relative to the medical assistance program for emergency |
| 3 | transportation of a person by ambulance; to repeal the provisions relative to the |
| 4 | payment rates under Title XIX of the Social Security Act medical assistance program |
| 5 | for emergency transportation of a person by ambulance; and to provide for related |
| 6 | matters. |
| 7 | Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana: |
| 8 | Section 1. R.S. 40:1236.3 is hereby repealed. |

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Christopher D. Adams.

DIGEST

<u>Present law</u> provides for payment under Title XIX of the Social Security Act medical assistance program for emergency transportation services of a person by ambulance and provides that the rate will be the same rate, but not to exceed the rate established under Medicare and defines emergency medical transportation services.

<u>Proposed law</u> repeals <u>present law</u> as this statute is no longer applicable.

Effective August 1, 2012.

(Repeals R.S. 40:1236.3)

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