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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2018

AN ACT

RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- LONG-TERM MANAGED CARE ARRANGEMENTS

Introduced By: Senators Goldin, DiPalma, Satchell, Miller, and Sosnowski

Date Introduced: February 15, 2018

Referred To: Senate Health & Human Services

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 40-8.13-6 of the General Laws in Chapter 40-8.13 entitled "Long-
- 2 Term Managed Care Arrangements" is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 3 40-8.13-6. Payment incentives.
- 4 In order to encourage quality improvement and promote appropriate utilization incentives
- 5 for providers in a managed long-term care arrangement, a managed care organization may use
- 6 incentive or bonus payment programs that are in addition to the rates identified in § 40-18.13-5.
- 7 In addition, managed care organizations shall work in consultation with the EOHHS to develop
- 8 incentives for nursing facilities that demonstrate lower direct care staff turnover.
 - SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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1 This act would require managed care organizations to consult with the EOHHS to

2 develop incentives for nursing facilities that demonstrate lower direct care staff turnover.

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