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3 ORR AMENDMENT TO SENATE FR&ED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SB195
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8 On page 1, line 10, after "measures" insert the
9 following:

10 prior to the enrollment of Medicaid recipients and
11 providers of medical services
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13 On page 1, line 12, after "benefits" insert the
14 following:

15 and provider reimbursement
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17 On page 8, after line 21, insert the following new
18 Sections 4 and 5 and renumber the subsequent sections
19 accordingly:

20 Section 4. Prior to enrolling a provider of medical
21 services as an Alabama Medicaid provider, the Alabama Medicaid
22 Agency, or its fiscal intermediary, shall conduct a background
23 investigation of the individual or entity seeking enrollment
24 as a provider of medical services. The background
25 investigation, at a minimum, shall include a site visit to the
26 business address of the applicant, a credit check of the
27 applicant, and a criminal background check of the applicant.

1 Section 5. Nothing in this act shall prevent a
2 physician or other health care provider from billing an
3 individual directly for medical care or services rendered
4 after termination of the individual's Medicaid eligibility
5 under this act, provided the physician or other health care
6 provider advises the individual prior to services being
7 rendered that the individual will be billed directly and will
8 be responsible for the bill.