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Senators Henson of the 41st and Paris of the 26th offered the following amendment:

- 1 Amend the Senate Health and Human Services Committee substitute to HB 861 (LC 21
- 2 1825S) by adding "and" at the end of line 49, by replacing "; and" with "." on line 53 and by
- 3 deleting lines 54 through 60.
- 4 By striking from lines 62 through 65 the following:
- 5 The cost of drug testing shall be the responsibility of the individual tested, provided that
- 6 the individual does not submit proof of active Medicaid benefits to subsidize the cost of
- such drug testing pursuant to paragraph (9) of subsection (b) of this Code section.
- 8 By striking "individual" on line 81 and inserting in its place "department".
- 9 By striking from lines 81 through 86 the following:
- 10 <u>If the individual tests negative for controlled substances, the department shall increase the</u>
- amount of the initial TANF benefit by the amount paid by the individual for the drug
- 12 <u>testing</u>. However, if the individual used an active and current Medicaid benefit pursuant
- 13 <u>to paragraph (9) of subsection (b) of this Code section to subsidize the cost of the test, the</u>
- individual shall not be eligible for direct TANF reimbursement.
- 15 By replacing lines 121 through 123 with the following:
- subsection (b) of this Code section. The cost of any substance abuse treatment shall be the
- 17 responsibility of the individual receiving treatment. An individual who fails the drug test
- 18 <u>required under</u>