HOUSE BILL 355 By Alexander

SENATE BILL 365

By Massey

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 56, Chapter 7, relative to coverage for breast examinations.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 56-7-2502(a), is amended by inserting the following as a new subdivision:

() "Cost-sharing requirement" means a deductible, coinsurance, copayment, or

a maximum limitation on the application of a deductible, coinsurance, copayment, or other out-of-pocket expense;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 56-7-2502(c), is amended by

deleting the subsection and substituting:

(c) A health benefit plan that provides coverage for a screening mammogram

must provide coverage for diagnostic imaging and supplemental breast screening

without imposing a cost-sharing requirement on the patient.

SECTION 3. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.