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SENATE BILL NO. 1750

Offered January 17, 2019

A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding in Article 1 of Chapter 10 of Title 32.1 a section numbered 32.1-332, relating to Medicaid Supplemental Payment Program Fund.

Patrons—Lucas; Delegate: Tyler

Referred to Committee on Education and Health

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding in Article 1 of Chapter 10 of Title 32.1 a section numbered 32.1-332 as follows:

§ 32.1-332. Medicaid Supplemental Payment Program Fund.

A. The Department of Medical Assistance Services shall accept from any county, city, or town provider assessment funds that have been collected, pursuant to an ordinance, from inpatient hospitals authorized to receive Medicaid supplemental payments pursuant to the State Plan for Medical Assistance Services amendments 11-018 and 11-019. The Department of Medical Assistance Services shall pay such funds into the state treasury to be credited to the Medicaid Supplemental Payment Program Fund established in subsection B.

B. There is hereby created in the state treasury a special nonreverting fund to be known as the Medicaid Supplemental Payment Program Fund, referred to in this section as "the Fund." The Fund shall be established on the books of the Comptroller. All funds accepted by the Department of Medical Assistance Services from inpatient hospitals authorized to receive Medicaid supplemental payments pursuant to the State Plan for Medical Assistance Services amendments 11-018 and 11-019 shall be paid into the state treasury and credited to the Fund. Interest earned on moneys in the Fund shall remain in the Fund and be credited to it. Any moneys remaining in the Fund, including interest thereon, at the end of each fiscal year shall not revert to the general fund but shall remain in the Fund. Moneys in the Fund shall be used solely for the purpose of funding the nonfederal share of the Medicaid supplemental payment programs authorized by the State Plan for Medical Assistance Services amendments 11-018 and 11-019. Expenditures and disbursements from the Fund shall be made by the State Treasurer on warrants issued by the Comptroller upon written request signed by the Director of the Department of Medical Assistance Services.

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