

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 4, strike line 27.
- 2 Page 5, strike lines 1 and 2 and substitute "GUARANTOR BY REFERRING THE DEBT, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, TO A DEBT COLLECTOR, A COLLECTION AGENCY, OR OTHER".
- 5 Page 6, strike lines 7 through 9 and substitute:
 - 6 "(2) IF A PATIENT BELIEVES THAT A HOSPITAL WAS NOT IN MATERIAL COMPLIANCE WITH HOSPITAL PRICE TRANSPARENCY LAWS ON A DATE ON OR AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION THAT ITEMS OR SERVICES WERE PURCHASED BY OR PROVIDED TO THE PATIENT, AND THE HOSPITAL TAKES A COLLECTION ACTION AGAINST THE PATIENT OR PATIENT GUARANTOR, THE PATIENT OR PATIENT GUARANTOR MAY FILE SUIT TO DETERMINE IF THE HOSPITAL WAS MATERIALLY OUT OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE HOSPITAL PRICE TRANSPARENCY LAWS AND RULES AND REGULATIONS ON THE DATE OF SERVICE. THE HOSPITAL SHALL NOT TAKE A COLLECTION ACTION AGAINST THE PATIENT OR PATIENT GUARANTOR WHILE THE LAWSUIT IS PENDING.
 - 17 (3) A HOSPITAL THAT HAS BEEN FOUND BY A JUDGE OR JURY, CONSIDERING COMPLIANCE STANDARDS ISSUED BY THE FEDERAL CENTERS FOR MEDICARE AND MEDICAID SERVICES, TO BE MATERIALLY OUT OF COMPLIANCE WITH HOSPITAL PRICE TRANSPARENCY LAWS AND RULES AND REGULATIONS:".
- 22 Rerumber succeeding subsection accordingly.

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