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Section

- 1** **Payment reduction.** Amends § 256B.69, by adding subd. 5k. Reduces MA, GAMC, and MinnesotaCare payments to managed care plans by 1 percent from current rates, for services provided on or after January 1, 2011. Excludes payments for nursing home services, home and community-based waivers, payments to demonstration projects serving persons with disabilities, and mental health services added as covered benefits after December 31, 2007.

- 2** **Fee-for-service payment increase.** Adds § 256B.767. Requires the commissioner to increase fee-for-service payment rates, for services provided on or after January 1, 2011, by 7 percent for physician and professional services, and for basic care services.