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A BILL

1 FOR AN ACT relating to insurance; to amend section 44-784,
2 Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change a provision
3 relating to coverage for childhood immunizations; and to
4 repeal the original section.
5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 44-784, Reissue Revised Statutes of
2 Nebraska, is amended to read:

3 44-784. Notwithstanding section 44-3,131, any
4 expense-incurred group sickness and accident insurance policy,
5 certificate, or subscriber contract delivered, issued for delivery,
6 or renewed after January 1, 1995, or any expense-incurred individual
7 sickness and accident insurance policy, certificate, or subscriber
8 contract delivered or issued for delivery after such date that
9 provides coverage for a dependent child under six years of age shall
10 provide coverage for childhood immunizations. Benefits for childhood
11 immunizations shall be exempt from any deductible provision contained
12 in the applicable policy. Copayment, coinsurance, and dollar-limit
13 provisions applicable to other medical services may be applied to the
14 childhood immunization benefits. This section shall not apply to any
15 individual or group policies that provide coverage for a specified
16 disease, accident-only coverage, hospital indemnity coverage, medicare
17 supplement coverage, long-term care coverage, or other limited-benefit
18 coverage.

19 For purposes of this section, childhood immunizations shall
20 mean the complete set of vaccinations for children from birth to six
21 years of age for immunization against measles, mumps, rubella,
22 poliomyelitis, diphtheria, pertussis, tetanus, and haemophilus
23 influenzae type B.

24 Sec. 2. Original section 44-784, Reissue Revised Statutes of
25 Nebraska, is repealed.