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By Representative Dyer

On page 2, beginning on line 8, after a-strike the remainder of the section and insert health carrier regulated by this title.

(4) The scope of the commissioner's authority to regulate payment arrangements between a health care provider, a health care facility or a provider network and a self funded third party payer governed by the federal Employer Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as amended, or the federal Labor Management Relations (Taft-Hartley) Act of 1947, as amended, shall in no event exceed that permitted under federal preemption law.—

EFFECT: Clarifies commissioner's authority in regulating arrangements between providers/facilities and federally preempted payers.

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