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By Representative Dent

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1 On page 2, line 39, after "(5)" insert "<u>The department may not</u> 2 <u>employ, certify, authorize, or qualify any person as bilingual</u> 3 <u>personnel or as a language access provider, and may not continue the</u> 4 <u>employment, certification, authorization, or qualification of any</u> 5 <u>person as bilingual personnel or as a language access provider, who</u> 6 <u>has been found by the department to have knowingly provided an</u> 7 <u>inaccurate translation or interpretation with the intent to deceive</u> 8 <u>any person.</u>

9 (6)"

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Renumber the remaining subsections consecutively and correct any internal references accordingly.

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EFFECT: Prohibits the initial or continued employment, certification, authorization, or qualification of any person as bilingual personnel or as a language access provider when the Department of Social and Health Services has found that the person has knowingly provided inaccurate translation or interpretation services with the intent to deceive any person.

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