



Legislative Assembly of the Cayman Islands

PRIVATE MEMBER'S MOTION NO. 5/2020-2021

Motion on Invoice Submission of Medical Bill Claims

WHEREAS Section 5 of the Health Insurance Law (2018 Revision) requires compulsory health insurance for all employees in the Cayman Islands;

AND WHEREAS Section 8 of the Health Insurance Regulations (2017 Revision) requires that a health care facility or a registered medical practitioner submit a claim form to an approved insurer within 180 days of providing a prescribed health care benefit for the approved insurer to be obligated to deal with such a claim;

AND WHEREAS if an invoice is not submitted within 180 days, that the employee may be liable to cover the cost of the invoice;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Government considers amending the Health Insurance Regulations (2017 Revision) to require that a health care facility or a registered medical practitioner submit an invoice within 180 days after providing a prescribed health care benefit to the employee for the employee to be obligated to deal with such a claim.

Moved By: Mr. Christopher Saunders, MLA
Elected Member for Bodden Town West

Seconded By: Hon. V. Arden McLean, JP, MLA
Leader of the Opposition
Elected Member for East End

Received in the Office of the Clerk this 6th day of October, 2020.

Passed by the Cayman Islands Legislative Assembly this 2nd day of November, 2020.

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly