

House Bill 384 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representative Henderson of the 113th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 33-29-3.2 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
2 individual accident and sickness insurance coverage for mammograms, Pap smears, and
3 prostate-specific antigen tests, so as to provide for annual notification by insurers to male
4 insureds of coverage for prostate-specific antigen tests; to provide for related matters; to
5 repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 Code Section 33-29-3.2 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to individual
9 accident and sickness insurance coverage for mammograms, Pap smears, and
10 prostate-specific antigen tests, is amended by revising subsection (g) as follows:

11 "(g)(1) Every insurer subject to paragraph (1) of subsection (b) of this Code section shall
12 provide notification to each female insured upon such female attaining the age of 40 of
13 her coverage for mammograms and continuing annually thereafter, for as long as
14 mammogram screening is recommended for such female insured based on her individual
15 health status, as determined by her physician.

16 (2) Every insurer subject to paragraph (2) of subsection (b) of this Code section shall
17 provide notification to each male insured upon such male attaining the age of 40 and
18 annually thereafter of coverage for annual prostate-specific antigen tests for the covered
19 males who are 45 years of age or older, or for covered males who are 40 years of age or
20 older, if ordered by a physician."

21 **SECTION 2.**

22 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.