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# Bill

*entitled*

An Act to allow for the provision of a home care package to a person who qualifies for  
and is being offered long-term residential care in circumstances where a suitable home  
care package can be devised for that person and such package is less costly on the State  
than the long-term residential care being offered and to provide for related matters. 5

**Be it enacted by the Oireachtas as follows:**

## **Provision of a home care package**

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1. Section 14 of the Nursing Homes Support Scheme Act 2009 is amended by the insertion  
of the following subsections:

“(4) Where a person is offered State support under subsection (1), such  
person shall, as an alternative to that support, be entitled to request and  
be offered a home care package if— 15

(a) it is possible to devise a home care package that is appropriate to  
the person, and

(b) such home care package is less costly than the proposed ‘long-term  
residential care service’.

- (5) A home care package provided under subsection (4) shall be provided 20  
using State support from funds voted by the Oireachtas for the  
purposes of this Act.”.

## **Short title, collective citation and commencement**

2. (1) This Act may be cited as the Nursing Home Support Scheme (Amendment) Act 2014.

(2) The Nursing Homes Support Scheme Act 2009 and this Act may be cited together as 25  
the Nursing Home Support Scheme Acts 2009 to 2014 and shall be read together as  
one.

(3) This Act shall come into operation on such day or days as may be fixed by order or  
orders of the Minister.

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Banaltrais (Leasú), 2014

# BILLE

(mar a tionscnaíodh)

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*An Teachta Liam Ó Deaghaidh a thug isteach,*  
18 Meitheamh, 2014

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*Introduced by Deputy Willie O'Dea,*  
18th June, 2014

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