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HEALTH INSURANCE (AMENDMENT) BILL 2019 —SELECT COMMITTEE

Leasú Amendment

SECTION 2

1. In page 3, between lines 12 and 13, to insert the following:

“Amendment of section 2 of Principal Act

2. Section 2 of the Principal Act is amended in subsection (1)—

- (a) by the insertion of the following in the definition of “health insurance contract” after “disease” where it secondly occurs:

“, but does not include a contract of insurance which is an overseas student health insurance contract”,

and

- (b) by the insertion of the following definitions:

“ ‘overseas student’ means—

- (a) a person who is in the State for the purposes of study for a period of 90 days or less,
- (b) a person who has a ‘stamp 2’ or ‘stamp 2A’ permission to remain in the State granted by the Irish Naturalisation and Immigration Service, or such other immigration stamp or permission as may be designated by the Minister for Justice and Equality as relating to studying in the State,
- (c) a person who is temporarily resident in the State for the purposes of study, and—
 - (i) is required to register with the Irish Naturalisation and Immigration Service following their arrival in the State and who reasonably expects to obtain a residency permission stamp to remain in the State, or
 - (ii) is a non-EEA national who is not required to register with the

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Irish Naturalisation and Immigration Service,

or

- (d) a person who—
 - (i) was previously issued with a residency permission stamp as described in paragraph (a), and
 - (ii) is now resident in the State as a graduate with residency permission ‘stamp 1G’ or such other immigration stamp or permission as may be designated by the Minister for Justice and Equality as relating to graduate job seekers in the State;

‘overseas student health insurance contract’ means, without prejudice to section 2A, a contract of insurance, or any other insurance arrangement, the purpose or one of the purposes of which is to provide for the making of payments by an undertaking, whether or not in conjunction with other payments, specifically for the reimbursement or discharge in whole or in part of fees or charges in respect of the provision of hospital in-patient services or relevant health services incurred by an overseas student, or by a dependant of the overseas student;”.”.

—Louise O'Reilly.