2012-13 Executive Budget Amendments Thursday, February 16, 2012

Amendments to Senate S.6256-A; Assembly A.9056-A (HMH Article VII Bill)

Part S, relating to consolidating the excess medical malpractice liability
coverage pool, is added to:

• Repeal the excess liability pool and authorize its continuation as the Excess Medical Malpractice Liability Coverage Pool to be overseen by the Superintendant of Financial Services and the Commissioner of Health. The pool provides funds for the Superintendent of Financial Services and the Commissioner of Health to purchase for eligible physicians or dentists a medical malpractice insurance policy or policies equaling \$1 million for each claimant and \$3 million for all claimants in excess of the physician's or dentist's primary coverage for \$1.3 million for each claimant and \$3.9 million for all claimants.