## THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

#### THE SENATE

(Presented pursuant to leave granted and read 1°, 28 March 1984)

(SENATOR BAUME)

# A BILL

FOR

# An Act to amend the Health Insurance Act 1973 and the Health Legislation Amendment Act 1983

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen, and the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows:

### PART I—PRELIMINARY

#### **Short title**

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1. This Act may be cited as the Health Legislation Amendment Act 1984.

### Commencement

2. This Act shall be deemed to have come into operation on 1 February 1984.

# PART II—AMENDMENTS OF THE HEALTH INSURANCE ACT 1973

## Principal Act

3. The *Health Insurance Act 1973* is in this Part referred to as the Principal Act.

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### Medical benefit not payable in respect of certain medical expenses

- 4. Section 17 of the Principal Act is amended—
- (a) by omitting paragraph (1) (aa); and
- (b) by omitting sub-sections (2), (3) and (4).

## **Heads of Agreement**

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5. Schedule 2 to the Principal Act is amended by omitting clause 6.

# PART III—AMENDMENTS OF THE HEALTH LEGISLATION AMENDMENT ACT 1983

### Principal Act

6. The Health Legislation Amendment Act 1983 is in this Part referred to as the Principal Act.

### Repeal of sub-sections 18 (2) and (3)

7. Sub-sections 18 (2) and (3) of the Principal Act are repealed.