- (C) AN ENTITY SUBJECT TO THIS SECTION SHALL INCLUDE, IN THE POLICY, PLAN, CERTIFICATE, ENROLLMENT MATERIALS, OR OTHER EVIDENCE OF COVERAGE THAT THE ENTITY PROVIDES TO A MEMBER AT THE TIME OF THE MEMBER'S INITIAL COVERAGE OR RENEWAL OF COVERAGE, THE FOLLOWING:
- (1) A NOTICE THAT THE ENTITY USES A FORMULARY AND AN EXPLANATION OF WHAT A FORMULARY IS AND HOW THE ENTITY DETERMINES WHICH PRESCRIPTION DRUCS ARE INCLUDED OR EXCLUDED.
- (2) THE PROCEDURE FOR OBTAINING A COPY OF THE FORMULARY USED BY THE ENTITY:
- (3) A STATEMENT OF A MEMBER'S RIGHTS UNDER SUBSECTIONS (C), (D), AND (E) OF THIS SECTION; AND
- (4) THE PROCEDURE FOR FILING A COMPLAINT WITH THE ENTITY IN THE EVENT OF A DENIAL OF COVERAGE.

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(FF) THE PROVISIONS OF § 15-126 OF THE INSURANCE ARTICLE SHALL APPLY
TO HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATIONS.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall apply to all policies, contracts, and health benefit plans issued, delivered, or renewed in the State on or after October 1, 1999.

## 19-1508.

## (c) (1) The Commission shall:

- (i) [On or before January 1, 1994, establish] ESTABLISH and implement a system to comparatively evaluate the quality of care outcomes and performance measurements of health maintenance organization benefit plans and services on an objective basis; and
  - (ii) Annually publish the summary findings of the evaluation.
- (2) The purpose of a comparable performance measurement system established under this section is to assist health maintenance organization benefit plans to improve the quality of care provided by establishing a common set of performance measurements and disseminating the findings of the performance measurements to health maintenance organizations and interested parties.
- (3) The system, where appropriate, shall solicit performance information from enrollees of health maintenance organizations.
- (4) (i) The Commission shall adopt regulations to establish the system of evaluation provided under this section.
- (ii) Before adopting regulations to implement an evaluation system under this section, the Commission shall consider any recommendations of the