

Committee: _____

RESOLUTION

A Resolution To: Permit Seniors on Medicare without drug coverage to buy 3 Rxs at Medicaid prices

WHEREAS, prescription drug prices have gotten far beyond the reach of individuals on medicare; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Government has totally failed the middle income on Medicare for their prescriptions; and

WHEREAS, prescription drugs and nutritional supplements play a substantial role in the on-going health of seniors to prevent illnesses. now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the 10th Texas Silver-Haired Legislature encourage and strongly recommend that the 79th Texas Legislature enact legislation to permit the seniors on Medicare, without drug coverage, be able to buy three prescriptions at the same prices that the state pays for precriptions on their Medicaid program.

PASSED AND APPROVED this____day of September, 2004, by

the _____Committee,

Chair

PASSED AND APPROVED this____day of September, 2004, by

by the Texas Silver-Haired Legislature.

Chris Kyker, Speaker

ATTEST:

Al Campbell, Secretary