PLEASE REACH OUT TO YOUR REPRESENTATIVE AND SENATOR AND ASK THAT THEY INSIST THAT HB 282 BE BROUGHT BACK BEFORE THE LEGISLATURE IMMEDIATELY TO OVERRIDE THE **GOVERNOR'S VETO.**

This will give us the best chance of getting HB 282 done this year instead of having to do it all over again next year. While it is independent of HB 281 (Medicare Supplement), the procedural protections of HB 282 would sure be helpful in the future - it would require that advance information be available (the RFP for healthcare benefits) and an opportunity for meaningful public comment.

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Governor Carney today vetoed HB 282 which would provide procedural protections regarding any future efforts by the State through the SEBC to change our health care benefit. We hope that the General Assembly in considering what course to take on the bill now that it has come back to them with a veto message, remembers the troublesome events of the last two years that led us all to HB 282 and how both the Senate and the House passed it unanimously. We hope the legislature will do the right thing and respect its earlier unanimous passage of this important bill.

This action does not impact HB 281 which gives the legislative guarantee of a Medical Supplement plan for all State employees and retirees. That bill remains on the Governor's desk.

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