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Floor Amendment to SB 532-FN

1 Amend RSA 415-A:7, I(b) as inserted by section 3 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3 (b) Have a medical clinician or licensed alcohol and drug counselor available on a 24-
4 hour hotline to provide a drug treatment assessment. If treatment is found to be a medical
5 necessity by the clinician or counselor, prior authorization for services, such as acute treatment
6 services or clinical stabilization services, shall be granted within 12 hours of the initial call being
7 made to the hotline; provided that until the hotline determination is made, coverage for substance
8 use disorder services shall be provided at an appropriate level of care consistent with the ASAM
9 criteria, as defined in RSA 420-J:15, I, as determined by a treating clinician trained in the ASAM
10 criteria.