

1 AN ACT relating to Medicaid managed care contracts and declaring an emergency.

2 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:*

3 ➔SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 205 IS CREATED TO
4 READ AS FOLLOWS:

5 *The Department for Medicaid Services shall limit the total number of awarded*
6 *Medicaid managed care contracts to administer the Medicaid program to no more than*
7 *three (3) managed care organizations.*

8 ➔Section 2. Whereas decisions on Medicaid managed care organization contracts
9 will be made soon and having contracts with more than three organizations is a burden on
10 health care providers and Medicaid recipients, an emergency is declared to exist, and this
11 Act takes effect upon its passage and approval by the Governor or upon its otherwise
12 becoming a law.