



**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1,
TO 2005 ASSEMBLY BILL 539**

September 22, 2005 – Offered by Representative KESSLER.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 35, line 8: after “healing” insert “in lieu of medical care”.

3 **2.** Page 61, line 21: after “healing” insert “in lieu of medical care”.

4 **3.** Page 78, line 1: after that line insert:

5 “**SECTION 227m.** 940.285 (1m) of the statutes is created to read:

6 940.285 (**1m**) EXCEPTION. Nothing in this section may be construed to mean
7 that a vulnerable adult is abused solely because he or she consistently relies upon
8 treatment by spiritual means through prayer for healing, in lieu of medical care, in
9 accordance with his or her religious tradition.”.

10 (END)