

May 24, 2000

H 1680. HEALTH STANDARDS/SECRETARY HHS. *TO DIRECT THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO ESTABLISH COMMUNITY HEALTH STANDARDS, AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS THEREFOR.* Adds GS 130A-5.1 to require Sec'y of Health and Human Services to adopt measurable standards and goals for community health against which the State's actions to improve the health status of its citizens will be measured. Sec'y to make annual report to General Assembly and the Governor. Appropriates \$50,000 for 2000-2001 from General Fund to Dep't of Health & Human Services Effective July 1, 2000.

Intro. by Nye.

Ref. to Public Health	GS 130A, APPROP
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