

February 19, 2001

S 178. ADULT CARE HOME ASSESSMENT. *TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO DEVELOP AN INSTRUMENT FOR ASSESSING THE QUALITY OF CARE PROVIDED BY ADULT CARE HOMES.* Directs Dep't of Health and Human Services to develop instrument designed to enable residents of adult care homes and their families to assess the quality of care provided by the home. Instrument must address care, services, and physical plant amenities and conditions. Requires Dep't to consult with various parties and to report to the Study Comm'n on Aging by Nov. 1, 2001. Authorizes pilot testing of assessment instrument. Appropriates \$150,000 for 2001-2002 from General Fund to Dep't of Health & Human Services to implement requirements. Effective July 1, 2001.

Intro. by Purcell.

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S 178. ADULT CARE HOME ASSESSMENT. Intro. 2/19/01. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Deletes appropriation provisions.