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H 57. PHASE OUT MEDICAID COUNTY SHARE. Filed 1/31/07. TO PHASE OUT THE COUNTY SHARE OF THE NONFEDERAL SHARE OF MEDICAID COSTS OVER A FIVE-YEAR PERIOD AND TO PROVIDE THAT THE TOTAL COUNTY SHARE DURING THE PHASEOUT PERIOD SHALL NOT EXCEED THE COUNTY SHARE PAID BY EACH COUNTY FOR THE 2005-2006 FISCAL YEAR. Reduces the county share of the nonfederal share of Medicaid program costs by 3% each fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, until the county share reaches 0%. Limits the annual county share during the phaseout period to no more than the share paid for the 2005-06 fiscal year. Provides that effective July 1, 2011, 100% of the nonfederal share of the Medical Assistance Program, excluding administrative costs, will be paid by the state. Makes conforming changes to GS 108A-54.

Intro. by Howard, Yongue, Carney, Almond. GS 108A, APPROP