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H 1273. DHHS/TECH. ASSISTANCE FOR MENU LABELING. Filed 4/8/09. *TO REQUIRE THE DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH TO COLLABORATE WITH THE NORTH CAROLINA PREVENTION PARTNERS AND LOCAL RESTAURANT ASSOCIATIONS TO ENCOURAGE NUTRITIONAL AND CALORIC MENU LABELING IN RESTAURANTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA TASK FORCE ON PREVENTING CHILDHOOD OBESITY.*

Requires that, by February 1, 2010, the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health, in collaboration with the North Carolina Prevention Partners, the North Carolina Restaurant and Lodging Association, and other restaurant organizations in this state, develop and submit a plan to the General Assembly to encourage restaurant owners to make nutrition and calorie information about menu items readily available to consumers in restaurants. Specifies information to be included in the plan.

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