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H 296. FUNDS FOR NOSOCOMIAL INFECTIONS SURVEILLANCE. Filed 2/25/09. TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR SURVEILLANCE OF HOSPITAL-ACQUIRED INFECTIONS IN NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT STUDY COMMITTEE ON HOSPITAL INFECTION CONTROL AND DISCLOSURE.

Appropriates \$650,410 for 2009-10 and \$517,410 for 2010-11 in recurring funds from the General Fund to the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health, to develop and implement a mandatory statewide hospital-acquired infections and surveillance reporting system. Provides for the specific use of funds to achieve that purpose, including creating new positions within the Communicable Disease Branch. Effective July 1, 2009. Intro. by M. Alexander, Allen.

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