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Short Title: Nurse Aide Training Review.

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Sponsors:

Referred to:

May 18, 2010

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICE REGULATION,
3 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, TO COORDINATE A
4 REVIEW OF THE EDUCATION AND TRAINING REQUIREMENTS FOR NURSE
5 AIDES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION
6 ON AGING.
7 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
8 **SECTION 1.(a)** The Division of Health Service Regulation, Department of Health
9 and Human Services, shall coordinate a review of the education and training requirements for
10 nurse aides. In conducting the review, the Division shall include an equal number of
11 representatives from the Division of Health Service Regulation; Division of Aging and Adult
12 Services; the North Carolina Board of Nursing; the North Carolina Community College
13 System; the Direct Care Workers Association of North Carolina; the North Carolina Medical
14 Society; the North Carolina Health Care Facilities Association; the North Carolina Hospital
15 Association; the Association for Home and Hospice Care of North Carolina; the North Carolina
16 Assisted Living Association; the North Carolina Association of Long Term Care Facilities; and
17 individuals representing residents in long-term care. The review shall include an evaluation of
18 the current education and training requirements for nurse aides.
19 **SECTION 1.(b)** The Division of Health Service Regulation shall report findings
20 and recommendations on the appropriate levels of education and training for nurse aides to the
21 North Carolina Study Commission on Aging on or before November 1, 2010.
22 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.



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