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## NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT

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moves to amend the bill on page 8, line 8, by inserting on that line the following new section to read:

"SECTION 3.6. If House Bill 950, 2012 Regular Session of the General Assembly, becomes law, then Section 10.23A(f) of that act reads as rewritten:

'SECTION 10.23A.(f) Of the amount appropriated to the Fund established in subsection (d) of this section, the sum of thirty-nine million seven hundred thousand dollars (\$39,700,000) is designated for implementation of the State's plan to provide temporary, short-term assistance only to adult care homes as they transition into the State's Transitions to Community Living Initiative. These funds shall only be used for this purpose. The General Assembly recognizes that while transformation of the system is being undertaken, adult care homes provide stable and safe housing and care to many of North Carolina's frail and elderly population, and it is necessary during this time of transition and transformation of the statewide system that the industry remain able to provide such care.

Upon certification by the Department of Health and Human Services, in consultation with a local adult care home resident discharge team, as defined in G.S. 131D-2.1(3a), that a resident who is no longer eligible to receive Medicaid reimbursable assistance and for whom a community placement has not yet been arranged cannot be safely and timely discharged into the community, community. From the sum of thirty-nine million seven hundred thousand dollars (\$39,700,000) designated for implementation of the State's plan under this subsection, the Department may make a monthly payment to the adult care home to support the facility's continuing provision of services to the resident. The monthly payment provided by the Department to an adult care home pursuant to this subsection shall not exceed six hundred ninety-four dollars (\$694) per month per resident for a period not to exceed three months for each resident. At the expiration of this three-month period, the monthly payment shall be reduced by twenty-five percent (25%) and shall not exceed five hundred twenty dollars and fifty cents (\$520.50) per month per resident. Upon implementation of the home-and community-based services program for elderly individuals typically served in special care or memory care units, to be developed by the Department under Medicaid State Plan 1915(i) authority pursuant to Section 10.9E of this act, the Department shall terminate all monthly payments pursuant to this subsection for continuing services provided to residents of special care or memory care units. The Department shall terminate all monthly payments pursuant to this subsection on June 30, 2013. Notwithstanding any other provision of this subsection, the Department is prohibited from making any monthly payments under this subsection to an adult care home for services provided to any resident during the pendency of an appeal by or on behalf of the resident under G.S. 108A-70.9A.



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The Department of Health and Human Services shall administer these funds but may, as needed, contract with a vendor for administration.'"
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Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment  ADOPTED 99-15 V FAILED TABLED
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