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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Joint Legislative Commission on Governmental Operations

Fiscal Research Division

FROM:

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RE:

Required Reporting of Additional Low-Income Home Energy

Assistance Program Funds Received

In accordance with Session Law 2007-323, Section 10.55 (v), the NC Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Social Services, is reporting the receipt of additional energy emergency contingency funds. On August 29, 2007, the Department of Health and Human Services received and released an additional \$6,862,645 in Emergency Contingency Funds due to the hotter than normal conditions of August. This additional funding was provided to clients through the Crisis Intervention Payments program, as permitted by the session law. No funds were spent on administration.

Should there be any questions, please do not hesitate to call me.

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