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The Honorable Louis Pate, Co-Chair Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 1028, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27601-2808

The Honorable Marilyn Avila, Co-Chair Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 2217, Legislative Building Raleigh, NC 27601 The Honorable Josh Dobson, Co-Chair Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 301N, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603-5925

Dear Chairmen:

Session Law 2014-100 and Session Law 2015-241 requires the transfer of certain services to the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians. Session Law 2015-241, Section 12C.10.(h) requires the Department of Health and Human Services to report quarterly on the status of implementation, beginning on October 1, 2015 and ending when implementation is complete. Further, Session Law 2015-241, Section 12C.10.(f1) requires that by January 1, 2016, the Department of Health and Human Services, in collaboration with the Eastern Band of Cherokees, submit a project plan to meet the October 1, 2016 effective date of this section. Pursuant to the provisions of law, the Department is pleased to provide the following report.

Sincerely,

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