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The Honorable Louis Pate, Chair Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 311, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603

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The Honorable Josh Dobson, Chair Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 301N, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603

Dear Chairmen:

Session Law 2017-57, Section 11E.11.(b), requires the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health, to submit a report to the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services, detailing the findings and recommendations based on its study of eating disorders in the State. Based on the Division's report, the Committee shall consider making a recommendation to the 2018 General Assembly. This report is due no later than November 1, 2017. Pursuant to the provisions of law, the Department is pleased to submit the attached report.

Should you have any questions regarding this report, please contact Danny Staley, Director for the Division of Public Health, at Danny. Staley@dhhs.nc.gov or 919-707-5000.

Sincerely,

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