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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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May 15, 2022

**SENT VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL**

The Honorable Donny Lambeth, Chair  
Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on  
Health and Human Services  
North Carolina General Assembly  
Room 620, Legislative Office Building  
Raleigh, NC 27603

The Honorable Jim Burgin, Chair  
Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on  
Health and Human Services  
North Carolina General Assembly  
Room 308, Legislative Office Building  
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The Honorable Larry Potts, Chair  
Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on  
Health and Human Services  
North Carolina General Assembly  
Room 307B1, Legislative Office Building  
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Dear Chairmen:

Session Law 2021-145, Section 3.(b), requires the Department of Health and Human Services to implement the visitation protocols described in G.S. 131D-7.1 and to submit a report to the chairs of the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Health and Human Services at least 30 days prior to implementation of the visitation protocols.

I am hereby notifying you that this report will be delayed.

Should you have any questions regarding this report, please contact John Furnari, Program/Policy Analyst, at [John.Furnari@dhhs.nc.gov](mailto:John.Furnari@dhhs.nc.gov).

Sincerely,

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Kody H. Kinsley  
Secretary

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