

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 1999

HOUSE BILL 1514  
RATIFIED BILL

AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SUNSET ON REQUIREMENTS PERTAINING TO THE REIMBURSEMENT RATE FOR THE RESPITE CARE PROGRAM, AND TO AUTHORIZE THE MEDICAL CARE COMMISSION TO ADOPT TEMPORARY RULES PERTAINING TO RESPITE CARE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. Section 3 of S.L. 1998-97 reads as rewritten:

"Section 3. This act is effective when it becomes law and expires July 1, 2000. law."

Section 2. Notwithstanding G.S. 150B-21.1(a), the Medical Care Commission shall adopt temporary rules for the purpose of defining the circumstances under which adult care homes may admit residents on a short-term basis for the purpose of caregiver respite and the rules that shall apply during the course of their stay. The Commission's authority to adopt temporary rules under this section expires on the date that permanent rules pertaining to the same subject matter adopted by the Commission as authorized under G.S. 143B-165(10) become effective.

Section 3. This act is effective when it becomes law.

In the General Assembly read three times and ratified this the 22nd day of June, 2000.

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Dennis A. Wicker  
President of the Senate

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James B. Black  
Speaker of the House of Representatives

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James B. Hunt, Jr.  
Governor

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ .m. this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ , 2000