

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2003**

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**SENATE DRS55225-SHz-11 (3/29)**

Short Title: Adult Day Care Rate Increase. (Public)

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Sponsors: Senators Swindell, Allran, Dannelly, Moore, and Queen.

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Referred to:

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS AND TO REQUIRE THE SOCIAL SERVICES  
2 COMMISSION TO ADOPT A RATE INCREASE FOR ADULT DAY SERVICES,  
3 AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION  
4 ON AGING.  
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6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 **SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the  
8 Department of Health and Human Services an amount sufficient to increase the current  
9 minimum rates by no less than five dollars (\$5.00) per day for adult day and adult day  
10 health services provided to clients.

11 **SECTION 2.** The Social Services Commission shall adopt rules increasing  
12 the minimum rates by five dollars (\$5.00) per day for adult day centers, and by five  
13 dollars (\$5.00) per day for adult day health centers.

14 **SECTION 3.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2004.