

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2003**

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**HOUSE BILL 1259**

Short Title: Funds to Improve Quality of Care.

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Sponsors: Representatives Nye; Insko and Warner.

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Referred to: Appropriations.

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April 24, 2003

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND  
3 HUMAN SERVICES TO PROVIDE FOR IMPROVEMENT IN AND  
4 COORDINATION OF QUALITY OF CARE AND OVERSIGHT IN LONG-  
5 TERM CARE.

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 the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars  
9 (\$25,000) for the 2003-2004 fiscal year. The Department shall use these funds to  
10 identify and clarify the role of all Divisions of the Department that impact the long-term  
11 care delivery system and to improve the coordination of quality of care and oversight of  
12 long-term care services in this State.

13       **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2003.