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SENATE DRS85202-LU-49* (2/21)

Short Title: Clarify Authority of Social Services Comm.-AB (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Boseman.

Referred to:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE SOCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION TO ADOPT
RULES ESTABLISHING EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR STAFF
EMPLOYED BY MATERNITY HOMES, CHILD-PLACING AGENCIES, AND
RESIDENTIAL CHILD CARE FACILITIES.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 131D-1(a) reads as rewritten:

"(a) The Department of Health and Human Services shall inspect and license all maternity homes established in the State under such rules and regulations as the Social Services Commission may ~~adopt~~adopt, including rules establishing educational requirements for executive directors and staff employed in maternity homes."

SECTION 2. G.S. 131D-10.5 is amended by adding a new subdivision to read:

"In addition to other powers and duties prescribed by law, the Commission shall exercise the following powers and duties:

...

(7) Adopt rules establishing educational requirements for executive directors and staff employed by child-placing agencies and residential child care facilities."

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