

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 47th Legislature (2000)

HOUSE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION HCR1105

By: Gray of the House

and

Herbert of the Senate

AS INTRODUCED

A Concurrent Resolution requesting the Oklahoma Department of Health to place a moratorium on issuing new licenses for home care agencies in Oklahoma until March 31, 2001; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, in 1998 and 1999 in excess of two hundred (200) home health agencies terminated their licenses in the State of Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, many Oklahoma residents experienced a disruption of needed home health care services; and

WHEREAS, the need exists to study the procedure to obtain a home care agency license from the Oklahoma Department of Health.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 47TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Legislature expresses its strong desire that the Oklahoma Department of Health place a moratorium on the issuance of new home care agency licenses until March 31, 2001.

THAT home care agency renewal licenses be granted to those home care agencies currently licensed by the Oklahoma Department of Health and meeting all current standards for such licensing and home care agencies currently licensed by the Oklahoma Department of

Health be allowed to sell, transfer or expand their home care agencies, in compliance with current standards for such licensing.

THAT copies of this resolution be distributed to the Oklahoma Department of Health for immediate implementation.

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