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SENATE BILL 710
Human Resources Committee Substitute Adopted 5/13/91

Short Title: Mental Health Clients' Rights.

(Public)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

April 18, 1991

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH CLIENTS'
3 RIGHTS TO PREVENT UNNECESSARY DUPLICATION OF RULES.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 Section 1. Article 3 of Chapter 122C is amended by adding a new section to
6 read:

7 "**§ 122C-68. Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations**
8 **(JCAHO) compliance.**

9 The Commission may deem hospitals licensed in accordance with this Chapter or
10 Chapter 131E and accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare
11 Organizations (JCAHO) to be in compliance with all rules adopted by the
12 Commission in accordance with all sections of this Article except rules that implement
13 G.S. 122C-59 and G.S. 122C-60."

14 Sec. 2. This act is effective upon ratification.