

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA**

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**HOUSE BILL 995**

Short Title: Funds/Office of Minority Health.

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Sponsors: Representatives Wright, Hunter; and Wainwright.

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Referred to: Appropriations.

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April 13, 1999

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED**

**AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE OFFICE OF MINORITY HEALTH  
IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.**

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Minority Health, the sum of one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) for the 1999-2000 fiscal year. These funds shall be used to support the activities of the Office of Minority Health, which include, but are not limited to:

- (1) Provide training to reduce access barriers.
- (2) Development of minority-focused health status/health assessment reports.
- (3) Provide consultation and technical assistance and develop partnerships to address health disparity issues.

Section 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 1999.