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H 1335. C.O.N.-LICENSING PROCEDURES. RELATING TO THE CERTIFICATE OF NEED PROCESS. Amends GS 131E-147(b) to provide that Department of Health and Human Services has maximum of 60 days to approve or comment on plans or specifications submitted for construction of new buildings, additions, or material alterations to existing buildings. Amends GS 131E-182 to direct Dep't to establish procedure for issuing opinions on whether projects are subject to Certificate of Need review ("no review opinions"). Dep't may not require person to seek no review opinion from Dep't before proceeding to operate project that proponent determines is not a "new institutional health service." Effective Oct. 1, 2001.

Intro. by Wilson of Mecklenburg.

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