## GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2005

H HOUSE BILL 2370

Short Title: Funds for Medicaid Presc. Management. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Nye; England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Insko, Pierce, Wainwright, and Warren.

Referred to: Appropriations.

## May 23, 2006

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, TO ESTABLISH A PRESCRIPTION DRUG MANAGEMENT PROGRAM.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

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**SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Medical Assistance, the sum of three million dollars (\$3,000,000) for the 2006-2007 fiscal year. These funds shall be used to develop a prescription drug management program to monitor prescription use and to reimburse pharmacies an amount equal to the fees established in Section 10.11(a)(5) of S.L. 2005-276. The reimbursement shall be for each prescription dispensed to a Medicaid recipient currently enrolled in Medicare Part D as of July 1, 2006.

**SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2006.