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Bill No. HB 621 (2012)

Amendment No. sa4

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITT	EE ACTION
ADOPTED	(Y/N)
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Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Health & Human Services

Committee

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3	Representative Wood offered the following:
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5	Substitute Amendment for Amendment (885893) by
6	Representative Frishe
7	Remove lines 773-785 and insert:
8	(b) Minimum staffing requirements for persons under 21
9	years of age who reside in nursing home facilities, which apply
10	in lieu of the requirements contained in subsection (3).
11	1. For persons under 21 who require skilled care:
12	a. A minimum combined average of 3.9 hours of direct care
13	per resident per day provided by licensed nurses, respiratory
14	therapists, respiratory care practitioners, and certified
15	nursing assistants.
16	b. A minimum licensed nursing staffing of 1.0 hour of
17	direct care per resident per day.

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18	c. No more than 1.5 hours of certified nursing assistant
19	care per resident per day may be counted in determining the
20	minimum direct care hours required.
21	d. There shall be one registered nurse on duty, on the
22	site 24 hours per day on the unit where children reside.
23	2. For persons under 21 who are medically fragile:
24	a. A minimum combined average of 5.0 hours of direct care
25	per resident per day provided by licensed nurses, respiratory
26	therapists, respiratory care practitioners, and certified
27	nursing assistants.
28	b. A mimimum licensed nursing staffing of 1.7 hours of
29	direct care per resident per day.
30	c. No more than 1.5 hours of certified nursing assistant
31	care per resident per day may be counted in determining the
32	minimum direct care hours required.
33	d. There shall be one registered nurse on duty, on the
34	site 24 hours per day on the unit where children reside.
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