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NURSING HOMES SUPPLY MEDICAID INFO.

House Bill 4439
Sponsor: Rep. Perry Bullard
Committee: Public Health

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4439 AS INTRODUCED 3-14-89

Public Act 438 of 1988 (enrolled House Bill 5319) amended the Social Welfare Act to require the Department of Social Services to provide standardized information on Medicaid eligibility (including division of spousal assets) to applicants for Medicaid who were considering institutionalization of a family member in a nursing home or in a home for the aged.

The bill would amend the Public Health Code, adding a new section to require nursing homes to provide applicants with a copy of this standardized information regarding assets and income that is exempted from consideration when determining medical services payments for nursing home care.

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