

HOUSE BILL NO. 116

INTRODUCED BY MILES

BY REQUEST OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

IN THE HOUSE

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| January 7, 1985 | Introduced and referred to Committee on Human Services and Aging. |
| January 17, 1985 | Committee recommend bill do pass. Report adopted. Bill printed and placed on members' desks. |
| January 19, 1985 | Second reading, do pass. Considered correctly engrossed. |
| January 21, 1985 | Third reading, passed. Transmitted to Senate. |

IN THE SENATE

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| January 22, 1985 | Introduced and referred to Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Safety. |
| February 7, 1985 | Committee recommend bill be concurred in. Report adopted. |
| February 11, 1985 | Second reading, concurred in. |
| February 13, 1985 | Third reading, concurred in. Ayes, 49; Noes, 1. Returned to House. |

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February 14, 1985

Received from Senate.

Sent to enrolling.

Reported correctly enrolled.

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