(2) THE NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE TRANSITIONED FROM STATE RESIDENTIAL CENTERS TO HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED WAIVER SERVICES.

## **15-144.**

- (A) ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1 OF EACH YEAR, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL REPORT TO THE SENATE BUDGET AND TAXATION COMMITTEE, THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE, THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE, AND THE HOUSE HEALTH AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS COMMITTEE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 2–1246 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, ON THE STATUS OF THE STATE'S MONEY FOLLOWS THE PERSON GRANT.
- (B) THE REPORT REQUIRED UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION SHALL INCLUDE:
- (1) AN UPDATE ON COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT AND THE CENTERS FOR MEDICARE AND MEDICAID SERVICES RELATED TO THE GRANT;
- (2) <u>Information on funding received from the Centers</u> for Medicare and Medicaid Services under the grant;
- (3) THE NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS MOVED OUT OF INSTITUTIONAL SETTINGS UNDER THE GRANT, BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION; AND
- (4) ANY PLANS OR POLICIES DEVELOPED BY THE DEPARTMENT TO MOVE INDIVIDUALS OUT OF INSTITUTIONAL SETTINGS.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2007. It shall remain effective for a period of 6 years and, at the end of June 30, 2013, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

Approved by the Governor, May 17, 2007.

## **CHAPTER 544**

(Senate Bill 378)

AN ACT concerning