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Sponsor(s): Senator Morton

Brief Description: Authorizing a certificate of need exemption for certain boarding home bed conversions.

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Provides that a licensed nursing home with an attached licensed boarding home may convert the licensed boarding home beds to licensed nursing home beds provided the number of licensed nursing home beds does not increase. Any conversion of the licensed boarding home to the licensed nursing home shall comply with the same life safety code and construction requirements as existing in the licensed nursing home, unless waivers from such requirements were issued, in which case the converted beds shall reflect the conditions or standards that then existed pursuant to the approved waivers.