

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to authorize certain certificate of public need.*

3 [S 643]

4 Approved

5 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**6 **1. § 1. Certain certificate of public need authorized.**

7 *Notwithstanding the provisions of § 32.1-102.3:2, as currently in effect, or the provisions of any*
8 *Request For Applications (RFAs) issued by the Commissioner of Health pursuant to § 32.1-102.3:2*
9 *designating any planning district as authorized to respond to any RFA, the Commissioner of Health*
10 *shall authorize and accept an application and may issue a certificate of public need for the conversion*
11 *of 16 assisted living beds to nursing facility, or extended care services, beds in an existing facility when*
12 *(i) such application is filed by an existing 224-bed nursing facility located in Chesterfield County within*
13 *Planning District 15; (ii) the 16 assisted living beds in the existing facility were built to nursing home*
14 *standards; (iii) the existing facility is operated by a health center commission; (iv) the existing facility*
15 *has a ninety-five to ninety-six percent occupancy rate; and (v) the converted nursing facility beds are to*
16 *be dedicated to the provision of care for private pay and Medicare patients.*

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