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1 Representative Adkins offered the following:

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3 **Amendment**

4 Remove lines 3854-3876 and insert:

5 (e) The agency shall provide the department and the  
6 Department of Children and Family Services with a list of  
7 licensed facilities within each county and shall update the list  
8 at least quarterly.

9 (f) At least annually, the agency shall notify, in  
10 appropriate trade publications, physicians licensed under  
11 chapter 458 or chapter 459, hospitals licensed under chapter  
12 395, nursing home facilities licensed under part II of chapter  
13 400, and employees of the agency or the department, or the  
14 Department of Children and Family Services, who are responsible  
15 for referring persons for residency, that it is unlawful to  
16 knowingly refer a person for residency to an unlicensed assisted  
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17 living facility and shall notify them of the penalty for  
18 violating such prohibition. The department and the Department of  
19 Children and Family Services shall, in turn, notify service  
20 providers under contract to the respective departments who have  
21 responsibility for resident referrals to facilities. Further,  
22 the notice must direct each noticed facility and individual to  
23 contact the appropriate agency office in order to verify the  
24 licensure status of any facility prior to referring any person  
25 for residency. Each notice must include the name, telephone  
26 number, and mailing address of the appropriate office to  
27 contact.