

CHAPTER 113**(SB 123)**

AN ACT relating to nursing facility beds approved by the state health plan.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

➔SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 216B IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

- (1) *The state health plan, as defined in KRS 216B.015, shall not permit any applications establishing nursing facility beds under a pilot program for post-acute transitional care in any county where the state health plan long-term care bed need calculations show that there is not a need for long-term care beds in the county.*
- (2) *The long-term care bed need calculations used under subsection (1) of this section shall be the calculations that were in effect as of January 5, 2018.*
- (3) *This section expires on the completion of any pilot program for post-acute transitional care permitted by the state health plan.*

Became law without Governor's signature April 11, 2018.