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AMENDMENT NO 2 PROPOSED TO**

House Bill No. 1345

BY: Senator(s) Flowers

1 **AMEND by inserting the following new subsection after line**
2 **1119 and renumber:**

3 (*) The State Department of Health shall issue a certificate
4 of need to an acute care hospital which is located in DeSoto
5 County and which is currently licensed for more than one hundred
6 fifty (150) acute care beds, for the construction of a new acute
7 care hospital in the City of Olive Branch in DeSoto County, not to
8 exceed one hundred (100) acute care beds. For purposes of this
9 subsection, the provisions of Section 41-7-193(1) requiring
10 substantial compliance with the projection of need as reported in
11 the current State Health Plan are waived.

12 **FURTHER, AMEND the title amendment to conform.**