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RE: Economic Impact Analysis for Expanded Requirements for Reporting

Healthcare-Associated Infections

I have reviewed the Economic Impact Analysis for Expanded Requirements for Reporting Healthcare-Associated Infections posted to the Virginia Town Hall website on October 21, 2011, and I concur with its findings and conclusions.

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