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H 1131. FEDERAL FUNDS. TO CREATE THE FEDERAL FUNDS OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE TO IMPLEMENT A 1998 BUDGET PROVISION CONCERNING OVERSIGHT OF FEDERAL GRANTS. Rewrites GS 143-16.1 to (1) provide that the only federal grants concerning social services, health, or elementary or secondary education that may be accepted without approval of the General Assembly are those relating to (a) unanticipated disasters or (b) research grants within the University of North Carolina or the Community College System; (2) create the 9-member Federal Funds Oversight Committee in the General Assembly and require that it meet at least once a quarter; (3) provide that no federal grant may be applied for, accepted, or expended by the state unless a report of the proposal is transmitted to the Oversight Committee before the application is made (does not apply to local governments or school administrative units); and (4) provide that if the General Assembly is not in session and the Governor determines that prompt action is required for acceptance or expenditure of any federal grant for which legislative approval is required, the Governor may call an extra session of the General Assembly.

Intro. by Davis.

Ref. to Appropriations	GS 143
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