

April 12, 2001

**H 1209. INCREASE SUBSTITUTE TEACHER PAY.** *TO INCREASE THE PAY OF SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS.* Rewrites GS 115C-12(8) to provide that minimum pay for substitute teachers shall be 75% (was, 65% if teacher held certificate and 50% if not) of the daily pay rate of an entry-level teacher with an "A" certificate. Adds requirements that (1) principals, in selecting substitute teachers, give preference to the most qualified candidates; and (2) substitute teachers who do not hold teaching certificates be paid the same as those who do. Appropriates from General Fund to State Aid to Local School Administrative Units \$22,376,848 for 2001-2002 and the same amount for 2002-2003 to implement the act. Effective July 1, 2001.

**Intro. by Shubert.**

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