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S 933. SIMPLIFY REEMPLOYMENT OF TEACHERS/PRINCIPALS. *TO ENABLE RETIRED TEACHERS AND PRINCIPALS TO RETURN TO THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS THE NEXT YEAR WITHOUT LOSING RETIREMENT BENEFITS*. Amends GS 135-3(8)c. to permit retired teacher, assistant principal, or principal to be reemployed without loss of retirement benefits as follows: (1) if the person has been retired for at least 12 months, he or she may be reemployed at same school from which retired; (2) the person may work the year subsequent to retirement at a different school from the one from which he or she retired. Makes a conforming amendment to GS 115C-325(a)(5a) and to 115C-316(d). Effective July 1, 2001, and expires July 1, 2003. **Intro. by Harris, Lee, Carpenter, Dalton, Dannelly, Foxx, Garrou, Garwood, Hartsell, Lucas, Martin of Guilford, Moore, Purcell, Wellons.**

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S 933. REEMPLOYMENT OF RETIRED PUBLIC SCH. PROFS. Intro. 4/5/01. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Changes title to *AN ACT TO ENABLE RETIRED PUBLIC SCHOOL PROFESSIONALS TO RETURN TO THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS WITHOUT LOSING RETIREMENT BENEFITS.* Makes bill applicable to specified "retired public school professionals" in addition to retired teachers and principals. Adds provision that if professional educator was in position not subject to a salary schedule, school board may not pay the person any more than he or she received in last year of employment immediately before retirement. Make act effective upon enactment, with June 30, 2003 sunset.