GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2003

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| Sponsors: | Senator Hoyle. | |
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| Referred to: | | |

| 1 | A BILL TO BE ENTITLED | | | | |
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| 2 | AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR A GRADUATED CORPORATE INCOME TAX. | | | | |
| 3 | • | The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts: | | | |
| 4 | | SECTION 1. G.S. 105-130.3 reads as rewritten: | | | |
| 5 | "§ 105-130.3. Corporations. | | | | |
| 6 | A tax is imposed on the State net income of every C Corporation doing business in | | | | |
| 7 | this State. An S Corporation is not subject to the tax levied in this section. The tax is | | | | |
| 8 | computed at the following percentages a percentage of the taxpayer's State net income | | | | |
| 9 | computed as follows: income: | | | | |
| 10 | Income Years Beginning | Tax | | | |
| 11 | In 1997 | 7.5% | | | |
| 12 | In 1998 | 7.25% | | | |
| 13 | In 1999 | 7% | | | |
| 14 | After 1999 | 6.9%. | | | |
| 15 | <u>Over Up To Rate</u> | | | | |
| 16 | <u>-0-</u> <u>\$3,000</u> <u>1%</u> | | | | |
| 17 | <u>\$3,000</u> <u>\$6,000</u> <u>2%</u> | | | | |
| 18 | <u>\$6,000</u> <u>\$9,000</u> <u>3%</u> | | | | |
| 19 | <u>\$9,000</u> <u>\$12,000</u> <u>4%</u> | | | | |
| 20 | <u>\$12,000</u> <u>\$15,000</u> <u>5%</u> | | | | |
| 21 | <u>\$15,000</u> <u>\$30,000</u> <u>6%</u> | | | | |
| 22 | <u>\$30,000</u> <u>NA</u> <u>6.99</u> | | | | |
| 23 | SECTION 2. G.S. 115C-546.1 reads as rewritten: | | | | |
| 24 | " § 115C-546.1. Creation of Fund; administration. | | | | |
| 25 | (a) There is created the Public School Building Capital Fund. The Fund shall be | | | | |
| 26 | used to assist county governments in meeting their public school building capital needs | | | | |
| 27 | and their equipment needs under | their local school technology plans. | | | |

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1 (b) Each calendar quarter, the Secretary of Revenue shall remit to the State 2 Treasurer for credit to the Public School Building Capital Fund an amount equal to the 3 applicable fraction<u>or percentage</u> provided in the table below of the net collections 4 received during the previous quarter by the Department of Revenue under G.S. 5 105-130.3 minus two million five hundred thousand dollars (\$2,500,000). All funds 6 deposited in the Public School Building Capital Fund shall be invested as provided in 7 G.S. 147-69.2 and G.S. 147-69.3.

| 8 | Period | Fraction <u>or Percentage</u> |
|----|------------------------|---|
| 9 | 10/1/97 to 9/30/98 | One-fifteenth (1/15) |
| 10 | 10/1/98 to 9/30/99 | Two twenty-ninths (2/29) |
| 11 | 10/1/99 to 9/30/00 | One-fourteenth $(1/14)$ |
| 12 | After 9/30/0010/1/00 t | <u>to 9/30/05</u> Five sixty-ninths (5/69) |
| 13 | <u>After 10/1/05</u> | Seven and four-tenths percent (7.4%) |
| 14 | (c) The Fund sha | all be administered by the Office of State Budget and |
| 15 | Management." | |
| 16 | SECTION 3. | This act is effective for taxable years beginning on or after |

17 January 1, 2005.