

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 2810*

Short Title: Motorsports Specialized Training Center. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Ray, Tolson (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Brubaker, Carney, Coates, Cole, Culp, Earle, Eddins, England, Gibson, Gillespie, Goforth, Harrell, Hilton, Howard, Johnson, Ed Jones, Justice, Lewis, Lucas, McComas, Moore, Pate, Rapp, Rayfield, Sauls, Setzer, Steen, Stiller, Sutton, Vinson, Walker, West, Wilson, and Wray.

Referred to: Appropriations.

May 30, 2006

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY
2 COLLEGE SYSTEM FOR A MOTORSPORTS TRAINING CENTER AS
3 RECOMMENDED BY THE GOVERNOR'S MOTORSPORTS ADVISORY
4 COUNCIL.
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6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 **SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the North
8 Carolina Community Colleges System Office the sum of three million six hundred
9 eighty-five thousand dollars (\$3,385,000) for the 2006-2007 fiscal year to be allocated
10 to the Mitchell Community College for use as start-up costs for a modern multiuse
11 motorsports specialized training center in Mooresville, which will include classroom
12 space and skills evolution areas. The Training Center space shall be leased to maximize
13 the ability to expand when new space may be required. Of the funds appropriated for
14 equipment, as recommended by the Governor's Motorsports Advisory Council, all
15 equipment should be leased to keep equipment with the most cutting-edge technology
16 available to the Training Center, with the exception of equipment used in daily
17 operations that would not affect the ability of the Training Center to perform its
18 designated function of training with the latest technology and providing quality training
19 to the available workforce.

20 It is the intent of the General Assembly that one million one hundred
21 thirty-five thousand dollars (\$1,135,000) in recurring funds be appropriated to cover the
22 annual operating costs of the Training Center, its staff, and overhead.

23 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2006.