

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2005**

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**SENATE BILL 1090**

Short Title: Playground Equipment from Smart Start Funds. (Public)

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Sponsors: Senator Kerr.

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Referred to: Appropriations/Base Budget.

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March 24, 2005

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT OR  
3 RENOVATIONS FROM FUNDS ALLOCATED TO THE NORTH CAROLINA  
4 PARTNERSHIP FOR CHILDREN, INC.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** From funds appropriated from the General Fund to the  
7 Department of Health and Human Services and allocated to the North Carolina  
8 Partnership for Children, Inc., for the 2005-2006 fiscal year, the North Carolina  
9 Partnership for Children, Inc., shall allocate at least fifteen percent (15%) of those funds  
10 for playground equipment expenses or renovations to playgrounds, including surfacing  
11 a playground in a school setting to make a playground safer and to meet child care  
12 guidelines. These funds shall be used for playground equipment expenses in low-wealth  
13 counties only.

14 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2005.