

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE DRH70635-LH-294 (05/01)

Short Title: UNC Med School Expansion Funds. (Public)

Sponsors: Representative McLawhorn.

Referred to:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO DEVELOP IMPLEMENTATION
PLANS TO EXPAND THE STATE'S PUBLIC MEDICAL SCHOOLS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Board of
Governors of The University of North Carolina the sum of five million dollars
(\$5,000,000) for the 2008-2009 fiscal year to develop implementation plans to expand
the State's public medical schools. The proposed expansion will help address the
shortage and distribution of physicians in North Carolina and the issues of both
distribution of primary care and specialty care throughout the State. The funds
appropriated by this act shall be allocated as follows:

- (1) \$2,000,000 shall be allocated to East Carolina University.
- (2) \$2,500,000 shall be allocated to the University of North Carolina at
Chapel Hill.
- (3) \$500,000 shall be allocated to the University of North Carolina at
Charlotte.

SECTION 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 2008.