

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 1011

Short Title: Volunteer Rescue Grants & Fund Allocations. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Kerr.

Referred to: Appropriations/Base Budget.

March 21, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO PROVIDE EQUIPMENT GRANTS TO VOLUNTEER RESCUE AND
2 EMERGENCY MEDICAL UNITS AND TO ADJUST THE ALLOCATIONS FOR
3 THE COSTS OF ADMINISTERING THE RESCUE SQUAD WORKERS' RELIEF
4 FUND.
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6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 **SECTION 1.** A grant of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) is awarded from the
8 Volunteer Rescue/EMS Fund to each rescue, emergency medical service, or
9 rescue/EMS unit that meets the grant eligibility requirements set in G.S. 58-87-5(b). To
10 obtain a grant, a unit must submit a grant application to the Department of Insurance
11 before June 30, 2008. A grant made under this section may be used only for equipment
12 purchases or capital expenditures. A unit is not required to match a grant made under
13 this section.

14 **SECTION 2.** G.S. 58-88-30 reads as rewritten:

15 "**§ 58-88-30. Administration costs.**

16 The Association shall withhold ~~ten percent (10%)~~fifteen percent (15%) from the
17 money received pursuant to G.S. 20-183.7(c) for the administration of the Fund. The
18 Commissioner of Insurance shall withhold ~~two percent (2%)~~three percent (3%) from the
19 money received pursuant to G.S. 20-183.7(c) for the administration of the Fund."

20 **SECTION 3.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2007.