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SENATE BILL 836\*

Short Title: Food Stamps/TANF Technical Changes. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Jones.

Referred to: Health Care.

March 19, 2007

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO RENAME THE FOOD STAMP PROGRAM TO BE CONSISTENT  
3 WITH FEDERAL LAW.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 SECTION 1. The title of Part 5 of Article 2 of Chapter 108A of the General  
6 Statutes and G.S. 108A-51 read as rewritten:

7 "Part 5. ~~Food Stamp Program~~ and Nutrition Services.

8 "**§ 108A-51. Authorization for Food Stamp Program and Nutrition Services.**

9 The Department is authorized to establish a statewide ~~food stamp program and~~  
10 ~~nutrition services~~ authorized by the Congress of the United States. The program shall be  
11 named "Food Assistance in North Carolina." The Department of Health and Human  
12 Services is designated as the State agency responsible for the supervision of ~~such~~  
13 ~~programs.~~ food and nutrition services. The boards of county commissioners through the  
14 county departments of social services are held responsible for the administration and  
15 operation of ~~the programs.~~ food and nutrition services."

16 SECTION 2. Wherever the terms "food stamp," "food stamps," or "food  
17 stamp program" appear in the General Statutes, the Revisor of Statutes shall replace  
18 "food stamp," "food stamps," or "food stamp program" with "food and nutrition  
19 services."

20 SECTION 3. This act is effective when it becomes law.