

BILL NUMBER: House Bill 1325 (First Edition)

SHORT TITLE: Northeast Commission - Per Diem/Mileage.

SPONSOR(S): Representatives Tolson, E. Warren, Wray, and Spear

FISCAL IMPACT

Yes () No (X) No Estimate Available ()

<u>FY 2007-08</u> <u>FY 2008-09</u> <u>FY 2009-10</u> <u>FY 2010-11</u> <u>FY 2011-12</u>

REVENUES

EXPENDITURES

POSITIONS (cumulative):

PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENT(S) & PROGRAM(S) AFFECTED: Northeastern Regional Partnership

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2007

BILL SUMMARY:

April 4, 2007 H 1325. NORTHEAST COMMISSION—PER DIEM/MILEAGE (=S 1382). Filed 4/4/07. TO ALLOW MEMBERS OF THE NORTHEASTERN NORTH CAROLINA REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION PER DIEMS AND MILEAGE RATES EQUIVALENT TO OTHER REGIONAL COMMISSIONS. Identical to S 1382, filed 3/21/07 Source: Bill Digest H.B. 1325 (04/04/0200).

ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODOLOGY:

There are seven Regional Economic Development Partnerships in the State. The General Assembly created four of them (Advantage West, NC East, Southeastern, and Northeastern). The other three (Carolinas, Piedmont Triad, and Research Triangle) were created through private partnerships in the regions they serve. The General Assembly currently appropriates \$6.775 million to the Partnerships each year. Those funds are allocated on a formula basis that is determined by the development factors in the counties served by each region. Any additional costs

incurred from this statutory change would be borne by the Northeast Partnership within funds available to them. No additional State appropriation is required.

SOURCES OF DATA: NC General Statutes; NC Department of Commerce

TECHNICAL CONSIDERATIONS: None

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