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Short Title: North Carolina Arts Council Funds. (Public) Sponsors: Senators Dorsett; Atwater, Bingham, Dannelly, Garrou, Jenkins, Jones, Malone, Stevens, and Vaughan. Appropriations/Base Budget. Referred to: February 26, 2009 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA ARTS COUNCIL PROGRAMS. The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts: **SECTION 1.(a)** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Cultural Resources the sum of two million dollars (\$2,000,000) for the 2009-2010 fiscal year and the sum of two million dollars (\$2,000,000) for the 2010-2011 fiscal year for the North Carolina Arts Council to be allocated each fiscal year as follows:

(2) \$1,000,000 for the Basic Grants Program.

\$1,000,000 for the Grassroots Arts Program.

SECTION 1.(b) There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Cultural Resources the sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) for the 2009-2010 fiscal year to support cARTwheels, an education touring program of the North Carolina Arts Council.

SECTION 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 2009.

