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Short Title: TAs in Special Ed. Classes/Personal Leave. (Public) Sponsors: Senators Rand; Atwater and Forrester. Referred to: Education/Higher Education. March 3, 2009 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE PERSONAL LEAVE FOR TEACHER ASSISTANTS WHO ARE REQUIRED BY LAW TO HAVE A SUBSTITUTE WHEN THEY ARE OUT OF THE CLASSROOM. The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts: **SECTION 1.** G.S. 115C-316 is amended by adding a new subsection to read: Teacher assistants who are required by law to have a substitute when they are out of the classroom shall earn and use personal leave under the same terms and conditions as classroom teachers for as long as they are in a position that requires them to have a substitute." **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2009.

