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SENATE BILL 1127*

Short Title: Incentives for Principals/Low-Perf. Schs.

(Public)

Sponsors: Senators Lee, Winner; Dalton, Dannelly, Garwood, Hartsell, Lucas, Odom, Reeves, and Rucho.

Referred to: Education/Higher Education.

May 14, 1998

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES TO PRINCIPALS WHO GO TO LOW-PERFORMING SCHOOLS AND TO PRINCIPALS WHOSE LOW-PERFORMING SCHOOLS MAKE IMPROVEMENT.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund a sum sufficient to provide financial incentives to individuals who accept employment as principals of schools after the schools are identified as low-performing. These funds also may be used to provide a financial incentive to any principal who is assigned to a school after it is identified as low-performing when the school meets its goals within two years after the principal is assigned to that school. These incentives may be in the form of a one-time bonus or as an enhancement to their retirement benefits.

Section 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 1998.