

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2001**

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**HOUSE BILL 373**

Short Title: Child Nutrition Personnel Bonus Funds. (Public)

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Sponsors: Representatives Yongue, Bonner, Sutton (Primary Sponsors); and Barefoot.

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Referred to: Appropriations.

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March 1, 2001

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO PAY A BONUS TO CHILD NUTRITION  
2 PERSONNEL IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

3 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

4 **SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to State Aid to  
5 Local School Administrative Units the sum of eleven million five hundred thousand  
6 dollars (\$11,500,000) for the 2001-2002 fiscal year and the sum of eleven million five  
7 hundred thousand dollars (\$11,500,000) for the 2002-2003 fiscal year to pay a bonus to  
8 child nutrition personnel. The State Board of Education shall allocate these funds to  
9 local school administrative units on the basis of five cents (5¢) for each meal served in  
10 the local school administrative unit during the prior school year. In calculating the  
11 number of meals served, the State Board shall convert supplemental sales to an  
12 equivalent number of meals.  
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14 Local school administrative units shall use these funds for a bonus to  
15 school-based and central office-based child nutrition employees who (i) were employed  
16 as child nutrition employees by the local school administrative unit during the prior  
17 school year and (ii) are employed as child nutrition employees by the same local school  
18 administrative unit at the time the bonus is paid.

19 Local school administrative units shall allocate these funds to eligible  
20 employees on the basis of a set percentage of each eligible employee's salary. The bonus  
21 shall be paid to employees between November 1 and December 15 of the school year.

22 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2001.