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Short Title: Flexibility/Comm. College Literacy Funds. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives McLawhorn, Glazier, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO GRANT FUNDING FLEXIBILITY TO THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
3 SYSTEM TO ENABLE IT TO IMPLEMENT THE BASIC SKILLS PLUS PROGRAM.
4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
5 SECTION 1. Section 8.2 of S.L. 2009-451 reads as rewritten:
6 "SECTION 8.2.(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a local community college
7 may use up to five percent (5%) of the Literacy Funds allocated to it by the State Board of
8 Community Colleges to procure instructional technology for literacy labs. This technology may
9 include computers, instructional software and software licenses, scanners for testing, and
10 classroom projection equipment. The State Board may also authorize a local community
11 college to use up to twenty percent (20%) of the State Literacy Funds allocated to it by the
12 State Board of Community Colleges to provide employability skills, job-specific occupational
13 and technical skills, and developmental education instruction to students concurrently enrolled
14 in a community college course leading to a high school diploma or equivalent certificate.
15 SECTION 8.2.(b) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, if a community college
16 provides employability skills, job-specific occupational or technical skills, or developmental
17 education instruction to students concurrently enrolled in a community college course leading
18 to a high school diploma or equivalent certificate, the college may waive the tuition and
19 registration fees associated with this instruction.
20 SECTION 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 2010.

