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HOUSE DRH30551-LE-165B (05/11)

Short Title: Funds to Reduce Class Size in K-3. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Glazier, M. Alexander, Gill, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO REDUCE CLASS SIZE IN KINDERGARTEN  
3 THROUGH THIRD GRADE.  
4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:  
5 **SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
6 Public Instruction the sum of ninety-two million eight hundred eighty-five thousand eight  
7 hundred seventy-seven dollars (\$92,885,877) for the 2012-2013 fiscal year to reduce class size  
8 in kindergarten through third grade. Notwithstanding G.S. 115C-301 or any other law, local  
9 school administrative units shall have the maximum flexibility to use these additional teacher  
10 positions to maximize student achievement in kindergarten through third grade.  
11 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2012.



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