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HOUSE BILL DRH10419-MLa-118

Short Title: DOJ Budget Request & SAECKs. (Public)

Sponsors: Representative Faircloth.

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FOR COSTS  
3 ASSOCIATED WITH SEXUAL ASSAULT EVIDENCE COLLECTION KITS.  
4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:  
5 **SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
6 Justice the sum of nine million dollars (\$9,000,000) in nonrecurring funds for the 2021-2022  
7 fiscal year to be used for costs associated with the testing of sexual assault evidence collection  
8 kits.  
9 **SECTION 2.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
10 Justice the sum of one million two hundred thousand dollars (\$1,200,000) in recurring funds for  
11 the 2021-2022 fiscal year to be used for costs associated with the increased number of sexual  
12 assault evidence collection kits submitted to the State Crime Laboratory.  
13 **SECTION 3.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2021.

