

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 2356

Short Title: Funds for Replica of a Rosenwald School. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Tolson; and B. Allen.

Referred to: Appropriations.

May 23, 2006

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO CONSTRUCT A REPLICA OF A
2 ROSENWALD SCHOOL IN EDGECOMBE COUNTY.
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4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the
6 Edgecombe County Public Schools the sum of three hundred thousand dollars
7 (\$300,000) for the 2006-2007 fiscal year to create, in partnership with the Phoenix
8 Society for African American Research, Inc., a nonprofit corporation, a replica of a
9 two-teacher Rosenwald School building on the grounds of the W.A. Pattillo A+ School.
10 The replica will serve as (i) a museum featuring photographs, oral history interviews,
11 artifacts, and other items, (ii) a classroom equipped to teach the history of African-
12 American education, and (iii) an office for the Phoenix Society.

13 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2006.