

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 395

Short Title: Kids Voting Funds. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Rand, Hagan; Albertson, Apodaca, Atwater, Berger of Franklin, Bingham, Brock, Brown, Clodfelter, Cowell, Foriest, Garrou, Goss, Graham, Hoyle, Malone, Nesbitt, Pittenger, Queen, Snow, Swindell, and Tillman.

Referred to: Appropriations/Base Budget.

February 28, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE KIDS VOTING OF NORTH CAROLINA PROGRAM.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to Kids Voting of North Carolina, Inc., a nonprofit corporation, the sum of three hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$350,000) for the 2007-2008 fiscal year to be used as follows:

- (1) \$50,000 to implement new Kids Voting programs in nonparticipating counties across the State.
- (2) \$300,000 to be divided on the basis of the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction's Average Daily Membership with a minimum of \$2,500 for the following counties: Alleghany, Buncombe, Cabarrus, Catawba, Clay, Cumberland, Davie, Durham, Greene, Guilford, Haywood, Henderson, Iredell, Jackson, Lee, Madison, Mecklenburg, New Hanover, Onslow, Randolph, and Wake to assist those counties with their Kids Voting programs.

SECTION 2. If a county that received funds under subdivision (2) of Section 1 of this act determines it does not need all of its funding, the county may remit any portion of the funds received to the State program for further expansion of Kids Voting programs to nonparticipating counties.

SECTION 3. This act becomes effective July 1, 2007.