

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 1778*

Senate Pensions & Retirement & Aging Committee Substitute Adopted 7/1/10

Short Title: Charter School/Retirement SHP Election.

(Public)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

May 19, 2010

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE BREVARD ACADEMY, AN EXISTING CHARTER SCHOOL,
2 TO ELECT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE TEACHERS' AND STATE EMPLOYEES'
3 RETIREMENT SYSTEM AND THE STATE HEALTH PLAN FOR TEACHERS AND
4 STATE EMPLOYEES; AND TO AUTHORIZE STERLING MONTESSORI ACADEMY
5 AND CHARTER SCHOOL TO ELECT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE STATE HEALTH
6 PLAN FOR TEACHERS AND STATE EMPLOYEES.
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8 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

9 **SECTION 1.** Notwithstanding the time limitations contained in G.S. 135-5.3 and
10 G.S. 135-45.5, the Board of Directors of Brevard Academy, a charter school located in
11 Brevard, may elect to become a participating employer in the Teachers' and State Employees'
12 Retirement System in accordance with Article 1 of Chapter 135 of the General Statutes and
13 may also elect to become a participating employing unit in the State Health Plan for Teachers
14 and State Employees in accordance with Article 3A of Chapter 135 of the General Statutes. The
15 elections authorized by this section shall be made no later than 30 days after the effective date
16 of this act and shall be made in accordance with all other requirements of G.S. 135-5.3 and
17 G.S. 135-45.5.

18 **SECTION 2.** Notwithstanding the time limitation contained in G.S. 135-45.5, the
19 Board of Directors of Sterling Montessori Academy and Charter School, located in Morrisville,
20 may elect to become a participating employing unit in the State Health Plan for Teachers and
21 State Employees in accordance with Article 3A of Chapter 135 of the General Statutes. The
22 election authorized by this section shall be made no later than 30 days after the effective date of
23 this act and shall be made in accordance with all other requirements of G.S. 135-45.5.

24 **SECTION 3.** This act is effective when it becomes law.



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