GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2009

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Short Title:	Funds to Prevent Preterm Births.	(Public)
Sponsors:	Representatives Weiss, Insko, and M. Alexander (Primary Sponsors).	
Referred to:		_

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO PREVENT PRETERM BIRTHS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

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SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health, the sum of ninety-seven thousand dollars (\$97,000) for the 2010-2010 fiscal year, and the sum of ninety-seven thousand dollars (\$97,000) for the 2010-2011 fiscal year. These funds shall be used to provide special medications to eligible low-income and minority women at risk for recurring preterm birth, and to provide education to community-based health care providers on the efficacy and administration of such medications.

SECTION 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 2009.

