

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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**SENATE BILL 558**

Short Title: Retirement System COLAs. (Public)

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Sponsors: Senators Foriest; Hoyle, Jones, Malone, McKissick, Preston, Snow, and Swindell.

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Referred to: Pensions & Retirement & Aging.

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March 12, 2009

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO ADDRESS COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENTS FOR RETIREES OF THE  
TEACHERS' AND STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM AND THE  
JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

**SECTION 1.** It is the intent of the General Assembly to provide cost-of-living adjustments to the benefits provided to members of the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System and the Consolidated Judicial Retirement System for the 2009-2010 fiscal year of the same percentage as those pay increases provided to State employees for the 2009-2010 fiscal year, not to exceed one percent (1%).

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

