

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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SENATE BILL 1543

Short Title: School Supp. Material/Diff. Pay.

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Sponsors: Senators Conder; Basnight, Block, Carpenter, Chalk, Cochrane, Daniel, Daughtry, Goldston, Guy, Hardin, Hunt of Durham, Martin of Pitt, Marvin, Parnell, Plyler, Rauch, Raynor, Richardson, Sands, Soles, and Staton.

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Referred to: Appropriations.

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June 5, 1990

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF LOCAL SCHOOL BOARDS TO  
2 SELECT SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIAL, TO CLARIFY  
3 REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING THE DEVELOPMENT OF  
4 DIFFERENTIATED PAY PLANS, AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE  
5 IMPLEMENTATION OF DIFFERENTIATED PAY PLANS.  
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7 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

8 Section 1. G.S. 115C-98(b) reads as rewritten:

9 "(b) Local boards of education shall adopt written policies concerning the  
10 procedures to be followed in their local school administrative units for the selection and  
11 procurement of supplementary textbooks, library books, periodicals, audio-visual  
12 materials, and other supplementary instructional materials needed for instructional  
13 purposes in the public schools of their units.

14 Local boards of education shall have sole authority to select and procure  
15 supplementary instructional materials, whether or not the materials contain commercial  
16 advertising, to determine if the materials are related to and within the limits of the  
17 prescribed curriculum, and to determine when the materials may be presented to  
18 students during the school day. Supplementary materials and contracts for  
19 supplementary materials are not subject to approval by the State Board of Education.

20 Supplementary books and other instructional materials shall neither displace nor be  
21 used to the exclusion of basic textbooks."

22 Sec. 2. G.S. 115C-47 is amended by adding a new subdivision to read:

1        "(33) Local boards of education shall have sole authority to select and procure  
2 supplementary instructional materials, whether or not the materials contain commercial  
3 advertising, pursuant to the provisions of G.S. 115C-98(b)."

4            Sec. 3. G.S. 115C-238.4 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

5        "(f) If a local school administrative unit bases its differentiated pay plan on a  
6 locally designed school-based performance program, pursuant to G.S. 115C-238.4, the  
7 plan shall provide that following the attainment of the local school goals, the local board  
8 of education shall make a determination of which certified staff members contributed to  
9 the attainment of those goals. Differentiated pay bonuses shall then be distributed to  
10 those designated employees. The local board of education shall make the determination  
11 upon recommendation of (i) the superintendent and (ii) the principal, a school-based  
12 committee, or any other person or committee, designated in the local differentiated pay  
13 plan."

14            Sec. 4. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
15 Public Education the sum of \$39,436,046 for the 1990-91 fiscal year to implement the  
16 differentiated pay provisions of the School Improvement and Accountability Act.

17            Sec. 5. Sections 1, 2, and 3 of this act are effective upon ratification.  
18 Section 4 of this act shall become effective July 1, 1990.