

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 1315

Short Title: DPI-Cued Speech Center Funds.

(Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Kuczmarski; Bowman, Cole, Esposito, Fussell, Gardner, Hall, and B. Miller.

Referred to: Appropriations.

May 10, 1993

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO PROVIDE TRANSITION AND SUPPORT
3 FOR DEAF AND HARD-OF-HEARING STUDENTS USING CUED SPEECH IN
4 MAINSTREAM-EDUCATION PROGRAMS.

5 Whereas, most of the deaf children served by the Cued Speech Early
6 Education Program and the collaborative Cued Speech preschool classes conducted by
7 the North Carolina Schools for the Deaf and the Cued Speech Center eventually enter
8 mainstream-education programs in their local public school systems; and

9 Whereas, transition services are critically needed to ease the advancement of
10 these children into elementary school by providing training, consultative services, and
11 other support; Now, therefore,

12 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

13 Section 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of
14 Public Instruction for the 1993-94 fiscal year and the 1994-95 fiscal year the sum of
15 ninety-five thousand dollars (\$95,000), which shall be allocated each fiscal year to the
16 Cued Speech Center in Wake County, to provide statewide transition support services
17 for deaf and hard-of-hearing children advancing from Cued Speech preschool programs
18 to public school elementary programs.

19 Sec. 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 1993.