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HOUSE BILL 1415\*

Short Title: Water Resources Dev't Funds.

(Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Gottovi, Hill, Redwine, Smith, and Wright.

Referred to: Appropriations.

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1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR VARIOUS WATER RESOURCES  
3 DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS AND VARIOUS COASTAL DREDGING  
4 PROJECTS.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 Section 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
7 Environment, Health, and Natural Resources the sum of seven million four hundred  
8 thousand dollars (\$7,400,000) for the 1993-94 fiscal year to be used for water resources  
9 development projects. The Department shall fund the following projects whose  
10 estimated costs are as indicated:

11	(1)	Wilmington Harbor	
12		Deepening Study	\$ 612,000
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14	(2)	Morehead City	
15		Harbor Deepening	4,883,000
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17	(3)	Jordan Lake Water	
18		Supply Repayment	106,000
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20	(4)	Wilmington Harbor	
21		Ocean Bar Deepening	2,422,000
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23	(5)	Aquatic Plant	
24		Control	150,000

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2	(6)	Wrightsville Beach	
3		Renourishment	400,000
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5	(7)	Wanchese Channel	
6		Maintenance	280,000
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8	(8)	State-Local Projects	300,000
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10	(9)	North Channel	
11		Maint. Dredging	523,000
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13	(10)	Hamlet City Lake	377,000
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15	(11)	Cape Fear Above	
16		Wilmington Channel	
17		Maintenance	100,000
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19	(12)	Wilmington Harbor	
20		N.E. Cape Fear	
21		Deepening	240,000
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23	(13)	Wilmington Harbor	
24		25-ft. Project	125,000
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26	(14)	Dare County Beaches	70,000
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28	(15)	Matching Funds for	
29		Corps Planning	100,000
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31	(16)	Limestone Creek	180,000
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33	(17)	Deep Creek	250,000

34 Sec. 2. Where the actual costs are different from the estimated costs under  
 35 Section 1 of this act, the Department may adjust the allocations among projects as  
 36 needed. If any projects listed in Section 1 of this act are delayed and the budgeted State  
 37 funds cannot be used during the 1993-94 fiscal year, or if the projects listed in Section 1  
 38 of this act are accomplished at a lower cost, the Department may use the resulting fund  
 39 availability to fund:

- 40 (1) Corps of Engineers project feasibility studies, or
- 41 (2) Corps of Engineers projects whose schedules have advanced and
- 42 require State matching funds in fiscal year 1993-94, or
- 43 (3) State-local Water Resources Development Projects.

1 Funds not expended or encumbered for these purposes shall revert to the General Fund  
2 at the end of the 1994-95 fiscal year.

3           Sec. 3. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
4 Environment, Health, and Natural Resources the sum of one million dollars  
5 (\$1,000,000) for the 1993-94 fiscal year to fund various coastal dredging projects.

6           Sec. 4. Beginning October 1, 1993, the Department shall make quarterly  
7 reports on the use of these funds to the Joint Legislative Commission on Governmental  
8 Operations, the Fiscal Research Division, and the Office of State Budget and  
9 Management. Each report shall include:

- 10           (1) All projects listed in this act;
- 11           (2) The estimated cost of each project;
- 12           (3) The date that work on each project began or is expected to begin;
- 13           (4) The date that work on each project was completed or is expected to be  
14           completed; and
- 15           (5) The actual cost of each project.

16 The quarterly reports shall also show those projects advanced in schedule, those projects  
17 delayed in schedule, and an estimate of the amount of funds expected to revert to the  
18 General Fund.

19           Sec. 5. This act becomes effective July 1, 1993.