## GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

## **SESSION 1995**

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SENATE BILL 1061

Short Title: Add. Thomas S. Funds.

Sponsors: Senator Martin of Guilford.

Referred to: Appropriations

May 4, 1995

- 1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED 2 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THOMAS S. SERVICES
- 3 TO AID IN BRINGING CLOSURE TO THE LAWSUIT.
- 4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 Section 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Division of 6 Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, and Substance Abuse Services, Department 7 of Human Resources, the sum of fifteen million dollars (\$15,000,000) for the 1995-96 8 fiscal year and the sum of fifteen million dollars (\$15,000,000) for the 1996-97 fiscal 9 year, to provide additional funds for Thomas S. services, to allow the discharge of 10 Thomas S. class members currently in hospitals, to start up community services to serve 11 them, and to aid in bringing closure to the Thomas S. lawsuit.

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Sec. 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 1995.

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