

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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SENATE BILL 1550*

Short Title: Expand Pre-K Program Funds.

(Public)

Sponsors: Senators Rucho; Clodfelter, Dannelly, and Odom.

Referred to: Appropriations/Base Budget.

May 30, 2000

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

**AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO EXPAND THE BRIGHT BEGINNINGS
PROGRAM IN MECKLENBURG COUNTY.**

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to State Aid to Local School Administrative Units the sum of one million one hundred thousand dollars (\$1,100,000) for the 2000-2001 fiscal year to provide 12 additional classrooms for the Bright Beginnings Program, a preschool program for at-risk prekindergarten students, in Mecklenburg County. Mecklenburg County shall provide the sum of four hundred fifteen thousand dollars (\$415,000) to match these funds.

Section 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 2000.