

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
SESSION 2003**

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SENATE BILL 1000*

Short Title: FSU-School of Engineering. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Shaw.

Referred to: Education/Higher Education.

April 3, 2003

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO DIRECT THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF
2 NORTH CAROLINA TO STUDY THE OPTIONS FOR ESTABLISHING A
3 SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AT FAYETTEVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY AND
4 TO BEGIN THE FIRST PHASE OF ESTABLISHING A SCHOOL OF
5 ENGINEERING AT FAYETTEVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY.
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7 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

8 **SECTION 1.** The Board of Governors of The University of North Carolina
9 shall study the options for establishing a school of engineering at Fayetteville State
10 University. In its study, the Board of Governors shall consider the feasibility of
11 establishing a school of engineering at Fayetteville State University that would join a
12 consortium of other engineering schools in the State university system and that would
13 offer engineering classes to students through long-distance education and satellite
14 teaching. The Board of Governors of The University of North Carolina shall report its
15 findings and recommendations no later than January 1, 2004, and shall begin the first
16 phase of establishing a school of engineering at Fayetteville State University by the
17 2004-2005 academic year.

18 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2003.