

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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**HOUSE DRH80502-LU-135B (05/09)**

Short Title: Increase Child Care Market Rates. (Public)

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Sponsors: Representatives Sherrill, Goforth, and Fisher (Primary Sponsors).

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Referred to:

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT INCREASING THE CHILD CARE CENTER MARKET RATES TO THE  
CURRENTLY IMPLEMENTED STATEWIDE RATE FOR ALL COUNTIES  
BELOW THE STATEWIDE RATE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

**SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Child Development, the sum of six million eight hundred seventy-three thousand four hundred one dollars (\$6,873,401) for the 2006-2007 fiscal year. These funds shall be used to increase the child care market rates to the currently implemented statewide rate for all counties below the statewide rate.

**SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2006.