

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
SESSION 2005

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HOUSE BILL 2496

Short Title: Increase Min. Salary for Teacher Assistants. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Parmon, Yongue, Earle, Glazier (Primary Sponsors);
B. Allen, Coleman, Faison, Frye, Goodwin, Harrison, Lucas, McLawhorn,
Pate, Pierce, Wainwright, Weiss, Womble, and Wray.

Referred to: Appropriations.

May 25, 2006

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MINIMUM SALARY OF TEACHER ASSISTANTS
2 TO THE EQUIVALENT SALARY OF PAY GRADE 56 FOR STATE
3 EMPLOYEES.
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5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** Effective July 1, 2006, permanent full-time teacher assistants
7 whose salaries are supported from the State's General Fund shall be paid a minimum
8 salary of at least twenty thousand two hundred sixty-eight dollars (\$20,268) per year.
9 This is the equivalent of the salary of a State employee at Pay Grade 56. Permanent,
10 full-time teacher assistants working on a schedule requiring less than 12 months' service
11 per year, whose salaries are supported from the State's General Fund, shall be paid the
12 minimum salary pro rata.

13 **SECTION 2.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the
14 Department of Public Instruction the sum of two million seven hundred six thousand
15 five hundred thirty-seven dollars (\$2,706,537) for the 2006-2007 fiscal year to
16 implement the provisions of this act.

17 **SECTION 3.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2006.