

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 1617*

Short Title: Expand Teaching Fellows Program. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Dorsett; Atwater and Snow.

Referred to: Appropriations/Base Budget.

May 18, 2006

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO EXPAND THE TEACHING FELLOWS
3 PROGRAM.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.(a)** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the
6 Department of Public Instruction the sum of six hundred fifty thousand dollars
7 (\$650,000) for the 2006-2007 fiscal year to provide for an additional 100 scholarships
8 under the Teaching Fellows Program.

9 **SECTION 1.(b)** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the
10 Department of Public Instruction the sum of three hundred twenty thousand dollars
11 (\$320,000) for the 2006-2007 fiscal year to increase administrative support for the
12 Teaching Fellows Program. These funds are needed to enable the Commission to serve
13 additional Teaching Fellows, to expand the Teaching Fellows Program to five additional
14 campuses, and to expand minority recruitment initiatives.

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