

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE DRH70525-LE-287 (5/1)

Short Title: Distance Learning Enrichment Program Funds. (Public)

Sponsors: Representative Earle.

Referred to:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO PILOT AN INTERACTIVE DISTANCE
LEARNING ENRICHMENT PROGRAM FOR AT-RISK STUDENTS TO
SUPPLEMENT THEIR IN-SCHOOL EDUCATION AND TARGET AREAS OF
ACADEMIC WEAKNESS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1.(a) There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Public Instruction the sum of one hundred thousand two hundred forty-six dollars (\$100,246) for the 2007-2008 fiscal year. These funds shall be used by the First Baptist Church West Community Services Association, Inc., a nonprofit corporation, to pilot an interactive distance learning enrichment program for at-risk students to supplement their in-school education and target areas of academic weakness. This program shall pilot a community-based videoconference system now used primarily in universities and public schools in the State.

SECTION 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 2007.