

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 2017

Short Title: Recruit More Teachers to At-Risk Schools. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Blue; Faison, Glazier, Harrison, Insko, Luebke, Ross, and Wray.

Referred to: Education, if favorable, Appropriations.

May 10, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO RECRUIT EXCELLENT TEACHERS TO
AT-RISK SCHOOLS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Public Instruction the sum of one million seven hundred thousand dollars (\$1,700,000) for the 2007-2008 fiscal year and the sum of one million seven hundred thousand dollars (\$1,700,000) for the 2008-2009 fiscal year. The State Board of Education shall use these funds to establish signing bonuses for excellent teachers who teach at schools at which a high percentage of the students are at risk of academic failure.

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