

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE DRH80545-LB-470 (3/5)

Short Title: TAs in Special Ed. Classes/Personal Leave. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Rapp, Goforth, McLawhorn, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO PROVIDE PERSONAL LEAVE FOR TEACHER ASSISTANTS WHO
ARE REQUIRED BY FEDERAL LAW TO HAVE A SUBSTITUTE WHEN
THEY ARE OUT OF THE CLASSROOM.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 115C-316 is amended by adding a new subsection to
read:

"(e) Teacher assistants who are required by federal law to have a substitute when they are out of the classroom shall earn and use personal leave under the same terms and conditions as classroom teachers for as long as they are in a position that requires them to have a substitute."

SECTION 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 2008.