

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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**SENATE BILL 1014**

Short Title: Local Flexibility Regarding Teacher Pay. (Public)

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Sponsors: Senators Pittenger; Apodaca, Berger of Rockingham, Bingham, Blake, Brock, Brown, East, Forrester, Goodall, Hartsell, Hunt, Smith, and Tillman.

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Referred to: Appropriations/Base Budget.

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March 21, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO INCREASE LOCAL FLEXIBILITY REGARDING THE USE OF FUNDS FOR TEACHER COMPENSATION.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

**SECTION 1.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, funds appropriated to increase teacher and principal compensation for the 2007-2008 and subsequent fiscal years shall be allotted to local school administrative units to provide additional compensation to State-paid employees paid on the teacher and principal salary schedules. Local boards of education shall use these funds for one or more of the following:

- (1) Across-the-board salary increments,
- (2) Performance-based salary schedules,
- (3) Critical-need salary schedules, and
- (4) Other salary increments necessary to meet local staffing needs.

Local boards of education shall report to the State Board of Education by January 1 of each year on the use of these funds.

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