

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 986*

Short Title: Funds for SIDS Efforts. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Purcell; Atwater, Dorsett, Goss, Malone, and Rand.

Referred to: Appropriations/Base Budget.

March 20, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO STRENGTHEN SIDS RISK-REDUCTION
EFFORTS AND FOR A STATEWIDE, ONGOING SAFE-SLEEP CAMPAIGN.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health, the sum of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000) for the 2007-2008 fiscal year and the sum of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000) for the 2008-2009 fiscal year. These funds shall be used to provide resources for the development and implementation of messages and materials for an ongoing safe sleep awareness campaign, which will highlight safe-sleep practices.

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