## GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2023

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## HOUSE BILL DRH10389-NH-138

Short Title:	Limit School Counselor Ratios. (Public)
Sponsors:	Representative Cotham.
Referred to:	
A BILL TO BE ENTITLED	
AN ACT TO LIMIT THE NUMBER OF STUDENTS ASSIGNED TO ONE SCHOOL	
COUNSI	ELOR.
The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:	
S	ECTION 1. G.S. 115C-316.1 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:
" <u>(c)</u> <u>T</u>	o the extent funds are made available, public school units shall staff school
counselors at a ratio of one counselor for every 300 students."	
$\mathbf{S}$	ECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law and public school units shall
be in compliance by the end of the 2024-2025 school year.	

