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H 1625. OUT-OF-STATE SCHOOLS W/NC CAMPUS (=S 1362). TO PROVIDE THAT IF AN OUT-OF-STATE INSTITUTION IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES HAS A MAIN PERMANENT CAMPUS LOCATED IN NORTH CAROLINA, THE SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS AND LEGISLATIVE TUITION GRANTS AVAILABLE THROUGH THE STATE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY ARE ALSO AVAILABLE TO NORTH CAROLINA RESIDENTS WHO ENROLL AT THE NORTH CAROLINA CAMPUS. Amends GS 116-22 to define the educational institutions affected to mean a non-state institution that (1) has "a main permanent" campus in this state (was, "its main campus"); (2) is accredited by the Southern Ass'n of Colleges and Schools under the standards of the College Delegate Assembly of the Ass'n or by the New England Ass'n of Schools and Colleges through its Comm'n on Institutions of Higher Education (italicized option is new); (3) awards a postsecondary degree; and (4) is not a seminary or similar religious institution. Defines a "main permanent campus" to mean a campus owned by the institution that provides permanent on-premises housing, food services, and classrooms with full-time faculty members and administration that engages in postsecondary degree activity.

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Ref. to Rules	GS 116
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