## March 15, 2001

H 620. RECORDS OF SCH. SUSPENSION MAY BE RETAINED. TO GIVE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS FLEXIBILITY REGARDING THE EXPUNCTION OF RECORDS OF A STUDENT'S SUSPENSION OR EXPULSION FROM SCHOOL. GS 115C-402 currently requires the expunction of a notice of suspension or expulsion if the student graduates from high school or is not expelled or suspended during the two-year period following the student's return to school after expulsion or suspension. This act amends GS 115C-402 to require expunction when the condition in the preceding sentence exists and the school superintendent determines that the record is no longer needed to maintain safe and orderly schools or to adequately serve the child, and expunction is requested by the student's parent or guardian. Applies beginning with the 2001-02 school year.

Intro. by Warner and Bonner.

Ref. to Education	GS 115C

April 9, 2001

**H 620. RECORDS OF SCH. SUSPENSION MAY BE RETAINED.** Intro. 3/15/01. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Requires that a request for expungement must come from student's parent, legal guardian, or custodian, or from the student if he or she is at least 16 or is emancipated. Requires each school board's policy on student records to include information on procedure for expungement, and amends GS 115C-391(f) accordingly.

May 24, 2001

**H 620. RECORDS OF SCH. SUSPENSION MAY BE RETAINED.** Intro. 3/15/01. Senate amendment makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Provides that a superintendent or the superintendent's designee may expunge a student's record when not specifically asked to do so by the student or the student's legal guardian, if all other criteria for expungement are met.

June 19, 2001

SL 2001-195 (H 620). RECORDS OF SCHOOL SUSPENSION MAY BE RETAINED. AN ACT TO GIVE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS FLEXIBILITY REGARDING THE EXPUNCTION OF RECORDS OF A STUDENT'S SUSPENSION OR EXPULSION FROM SCHOOL. Summarized in Daily Bulletin 3/15/01, 4/9/01, and 5/24/01. Enacted June 13, 2001. Effective June 13, 2001, and applies beginning with the 2001-2002 school year.