March 28, 2001

S 708. REDUCE SCHOOL PAPERWORK. *TO ELIMINATE UNNECESSARY AND DUPLICATIVE PAPERWORK IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.* Amends GS 115C-12 to place limits on information the State Board of Education, the State Superintendent, and the Dep't of Public Instruction (DPI) can require from local school units. Directs the state board to adopt rules to ensure local units are not required to (1) provide information already available on the student information management system or housed within DPI, (2) provide the same information more than once in a school year if information is unchanged, (3) complete forms for students with disabilities if forms are not required by the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act. Permits the state board to require information already on its student information management system or require the same information twice only if the state board can demonstrate a compelling need and that there is not a more expeditious manner of getting the information. Effective July 1, 2001.

Intro. by Horton.

Ref. to Education	GS 115C

May 9, 2001

S 708. REDUCE SCHOOL PAPERWORK. Intro. 3/28/01. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Original bill prohibited state board of education from adopting certain "rules"; committee substitute prohibits adoption of "policies" with same effect.

June 4, 2001

    SL 2001-151 (S 708). REDUCE SCHOOL PAPERWORK. *AN ACT TO ELIMINATE UNNECESSARY AND DUPLICATIVE PAPERWORK IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.* Summarized in *Daily Bulletin* 3/28/01 and 5/9/01. Enacted May 31, 2001. Effective July 1, 2001.