

April 10, 2003

H 1117. ASSISTANT REQUIRED/LARGE KINDERGARTEN CLASS. TO REQUIRE THAT A FULL-TIME TEACHER ASSISTANT BE ASSIGNED TO ANY KINDERGARTEN CLASSROOM WITH MORE THAN FIFTEEN STUDENTS. Amends GS 115C-301 to prohibit kindergarten classes from exceeding 15 students. If local board cannot correct exceptions to this limit caused by exceptional circumstances, large changes in population, or remote geographical locations, the local board may apply for an allotment adjustment from state board of education. If no additional personnel allotted, a full-time teacher assistant must be assigned to the class, and this requirement cannot be waived. Effective July 1, 2003.

Intro. by Jeffus.

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