

April 3, 2003

S 783. RAISE COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AGE. TO PROHIBIT STUDENTS FROM DROPPING OUT OF SCHOOL BEFORE THE AGE OF SEVENTEEN. Amends GS 115C-378 and 116-235(b)(2) to increase compulsory school attendance age from 16 to 17. Makes technical and conforming changes to GS 7B-1501(27) and 143B-515(22). Effective July 1, 2004.

Intro. by Garwood.

Ref. to	GS 7B, 115C, 116, 143B
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April 24, 2003

S 783. RAISE COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AGE. Intro. 4/3/03. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Reorganizes GS 7B-1501(27) and 143B-515(22) and changes age criteria for an "undisciplined juvenile" to include a juvenile who is less than 18 (was, 17) years of age and who is either regularly disobedient, regularly found in places where juvenile's presence is unlawful, or who has run away from home for more than 24 hours.