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S 795. CHARACTER EDUC. TO INCLUDE ANTIVIOLENCE INFO. *TO MODIFY CHARACTER EDUCATION IN KINDERGARTEN THROUGH TWELFTH GRADE TO INCLUDE AN ANTIVIOLENCE MESSAGE AND A CONFLICT RESOLUTION COMPONENT.* Amends GS 115C-81(h1)(2) as title indicates.

Intro. by Queen.

Ref. to	GS 115C
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S 795. CHARACTER EDUC. TO INCLUDE ANTIVIOLENCE INFO. Intro. 4/3/03. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Adds provisions amending GS 115C-81, the Basic Education Program, to require that all schools be encouraged to have student councils, and to require schools to encourage discussions of current events. Amends title accordingly. Amends GS 115C-105.35 to require that the State Board consider incorporating into the School-Based Management and Accountability Program a character and civic education component that may include a requirement for student councils. Specifies that the modifications to the character education program apply beginning with the 2004-05 school year.