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H 1926. SCI/MATH TEACHER PREP. PROGRAMS. Filed 5/11/06. TO IMPLEMENT A RECOMMENDATION OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE TO ENCOURAGE THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO REDESIGN THEIR MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCE TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAMS, AND TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION. Appropriates \$50,000 for 2006-07 from the General Fund to the Board of Governors of The University of North Carolina. Directs the Board of Governors to convene a task force to develop and implement a competitive proposal process for math and science teacher preparation programs. Authorizes the task force to determine which departments, schools, or other programs within the University's constituent institutions may submit a proposal. Establishes a timeline for the proposal process that will result in the Board of Governors choosing proposals to implement by November 1, 2007, and new programs beginning operations by September 1, 2008. Effective July 1, 2006.

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