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H 470. CALCULATION OF THE DROPOUT RATE. Filed 3/5/09. TO CLARIFY THE CALCULATION OF THE DROPOUT RATE.

Amends GS 115C-12(27), powers of the State Board of Education, to specify that calculations of the dropout rate must not include students who transfer to a community college, college, or university and enroll in a degree program, but that students who voluntarily withdraw or are expelled from school and do no finish at another school shall be considered to have dropped out. Applies beginning with the 2009-10 school year.

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