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H 582. SPECIAL EDUCATION CHANGES. Filed 3/12/09. *PROVIDING FOR COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL LAW REQUIRING THE PROVISION OF EDUCATIONAL SERVICES TO STUDENTS TRANSFERRING INTO A NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL DISTRICT WHILE UNDER A TERM OF SUSPENSION OR EXPULSION.*

Amends GS 115C-366(a3)(2) to provide that a student, who is currently under a term of suspension or expulsion that could have led to suspension or expulsion from the local school administrative unit and is identified as eligible for special education and related services under federal law, Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), may attend a school in a local school administrative unit in which that student is not domiciled without having to pay tuition. Requires submission of evidence of current IDEA eligibility with the affidavit required for school assignment under this subsection.

Current law authorizes a local school board to deny admission or place reasonable conditions on the admission of a student who (1) has been suspended for conduct that could have led to suspension from the LEA where the student is seeking admission, (2) has been expelled under GS 115C-391 or for behavior that poses a safety threat to others, or (3) has been convicted of a felony. Amends GS 115C-366(a5) to require a local school board that denies admission under this subsection to a student who has current IDEA eligibility to provide educational services to such a student to the same extent that it would if the student were enrolled in the LEA at the time of the suspension or expulsion.

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