May 19, 2010

**S 1246. FOUR-YEAR COHORT GRADUATION RATE.** Filed 5/19/10. TO DIRECT THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO DEVELOP A GROWTH MODEL FOR ESTABLISHING SHORT-TERM ANNUAL GOALS FOR IMPROVING THE FOUR-YEAR COHORT GRADUATION RATE, AND TO ESTABLISH A LONG-TERM GOAL OF INCREASING THE STATEWIDE FOUR-YEAR COHORT GRADUATION RATE.

As the title indicates. Directs the State Board of Education (SBE) to develop the growth model to improve and increase the four-year cohort graduation rate before the 2010-11 school year. Also directs the SBE to establish as a long-term goal a statewide four-year cohort graduation rate of 90% by 2016.

Intro. by Davis.

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June 29, 2010

**S 1246. FOUR-YEAR COHORT GRADUATION RATE.** Filed 5/19/10. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Adds new provision requiring the State Board of Education to establish long-term benchmarks for 100% graduation rate. Amends GS 115-364(a) requiring public schools to enroll military dependents younger than five whose parents are NC residents and are deployed and who would be eligible for enrollment in the other state in which the child's parent is permanently stationed.

June 30, 2010

**S 1246. FOUR-YEAR COHORT GRADUATION RATE.** Filed 5/19/10. House amendment makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Makes technical changes only, correcting the statutory reference in Section 2 to GS 115C-364(a).

July 1, 2010

**S 1246. FOUR-YEAR COHORT GRADUATION RATE.** Filed 5/19/10. House amendment #2 makes the following changes to 2nd edition, as amended.

Amends a directive that the State Board of Education must establish, as long-term minimum goals statewide, four-year cohort graduation rates of 74% by 2014, 80% by 2016, and 90% by 2018 (was, only 90% by 2016).

Adds the requirement that the State Board of Education report to the Joint Legislative Education Oversight Committee by November 15, 2010, and annually thereafter on the goals, benchmarks, and recommendations in the act, as detailed.

July 28, 2010

SL 2010-111 (S 1246). FOUR-YEAR COHORT GRADUATION RATE. AN ACT TO DIRECT THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO DEVELOP A GROWTH MODEL FOR ESTABLISHING SHORT-TERM ANNUAL GOALS FOR IMPROVING THE FOUR-YEAR COHORT GRADUATION RATE, TO ESTABLISH A LONG-TERM GOAL OF INCREASING THE STATEWIDE FOUR-YEAR COHORT GRADUATION RATE, AND TO ALLOW MILITARY DEPENDANTS WHOSE PARENTS ARE DEPLOYED TO ATTEND SCHOOL BEFORE THE AGE OF FIVE IN NORTH CAROLINA IF ELIGIBLE IN THE STATE WHERE THE CHILD'S PARENT IS PERMANENTLY STATIONED. Summarized in Daily Bulletin 5/19/10, 6/29/10, 6/30/10, and 7/1/10. Enacted July 20, 2010. Effective July 20, 2010.