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Senator Berger of Rockingham

moves to amend the bill on page 2, line 6-36, by rewriting those lines to read:

SECTION 1. The State, with the prior approval of the State Treasurer and the Council of State, as provided in Article 9 of Chapter 142 of the General Statutes, is authorized to issue or incur special indebtedness in order to provide funds to the State to be used, together with other available funds, to pay the capital facility costs of the projects described in this section. In accordance with G.S. 142-83, this section authorizes the issuance or incurrence of special indebtedness:

- (1) In the maximum aggregate principal amount of one hundred thirty million dollars (\$130,000,000) to finance the capital facility costs of repairing and renovating State facilities and related infrastructure, to be allocated by the General Assembly.
- (2) In the maximum aggregate principal amount of fifty-five million dollars (\$55,000,000) to finance the capital facility costs of acquiring equipment and completing related capital improvements as provided in Section 3(b) of this act for use by The University of North Carolina System and the North Carolina Community College System.

"SECTION 1.1.(a) Purpose. – It is the intent of the General Assembly by this section to provide for the issuance of general obligation bonds of the State, and to provide that the proceeds realized from the sale of the bonds shall be allocated as follows:

- In the maximum aggregate principal amount of one hundred four million three hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$104,374,000) to finance the capital facility costs of completing the College of Engineering building and related site work, land acquisition, and infrastructure at North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University. No more than a maximum aggregate amount of twenty million dollars (\$20,000,000) of indebtedness may be issued or incurred under this subdivision prior to July 1, 2011.
- (2) In the maximum aggregate principal amount of one hundred sixty-one million four hundred sixty-two thousand one hundred seventy-five dollars (\$161,462,175) to finance the capital facility costs of completing an Engineering IV building and related site work and infrastructure on the Centennial Campus of North Carolina State University. No more than a maximum aggregate amount of twenty million dollars (\$20,000,000) of



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SECTION 1.(b) Authorization. – Subject to a favorable vote of a majority of the

SECTION 1.(b) Authorization. — Subject to a favorable vote of a majority of the qualified voters of the State who vote on the question of issuing general obligation bonds in the election held as provided in this subsection, the State Frequency is authorized by an invital the consent of the Courcil of State, to issue and sell, at sine time or from the to time, giveral obligation tands of the State, with any additional designations at may be determined to indicate the square of bonds from time to time, or notes of the State as provided in this subsection, in the aggregate principal amount not exceeding two hundred sixty-five million eight hundred thirty-six thousand one hundred seventy-five dollars (\$265,836,175) for the purposes authorized in this section.

SECTION 1.(c) Election. – The questions of the issuance of the bonds authorized by this subsection shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November 2010. Any other primary, election, or referendum validly called or scheduled by law at the time the election on the bond questions provided for in this section is held, may be held as called or scheduled. Notice of the election on the bond questions shall be given by publication twice in a newspaper or newspapers having general circulation in each county in the State, and the election and the registration of voters therefor shall be held under and in accordance with the general laws of the State. Absentee ballots shall be authorized in the election.

The bond questions to be used on the ballots shall be in substantially the following form:

"[]FOR []AGAINST

The issuance of a total of two hundred sixty-five million eight hundred thirty-six thousand one hundred seventy-five dollars (\$265,836,175) general obligation bonds of the State secured by a pledge of the faith and credit and taxing power of the State for the purpose of providing funds, with any other available funds, as follows:

- (1) In the maximum aggregate principal amount of one hundred four million three hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$104,374,000) to finance the capital facility costs of completing the College of Engineering building and related site work, land acquisition, and infrastructure at North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University.
- (2) In the maximum aggregate principal amount of one hundred sixty-one million four hundred sixty-two thousand one hundred seventy-five dollars (\$161,462,175) to finance the capital facility costs of completing an Engineering IV building and related site work and infrastructure on the Centennial Campus of North Carolina State University"

SECTION 1.(d) Results. .—If a majority of those voting on the bond question in the election vote in favor of the issuance of the bonds described in the question, those bonds may be issued as provided in this section. If a majority of those voting on a bond question in the election do not vote for the issuance of the bonds described in the question, those bonds shall not be issued.

The results of the election shall be canvassed and declared as provided by law for elections for State officers; the results of the election shall be certified by the State Board of Elections to

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the Secretary of State, in the manner and at the time provided by the general election laws of the State."
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Amendment Sponsor
SIGNED Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment
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