



**NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
CONFERENCE REPORT
House Bill 250**

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[NO] Title Change

[YES] For Committee Substitute

To: The President of the Senate
 The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Bill 250, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR ENROLLMENT PRIORITY AND PROCEDURES FOR CERTAIN STUDENTS APPLYING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS AND TO MAKE CHANGES AS TO WHAT QUALIFIES AS A MATERIAL REVISION TO A CHARTER APPLICATION, Senate Education/Higher Education Committee Substitute Adopted 6/26/13 Fifth Edition Engrossed 7/2/13, submit the following report:

The House and Senate agree to the following amendments to the Senate Education/Higher Education Committee Substitute Adopted 6/26/13, Fifth Edition Engrossed 7/2/13, and the House concurs in the Senate Education/Higher Education Committee Substitute as amended:

On page 2, lines 17-23, by rewriting those lines to read:

"2. ~~In addition, and only for~~ For its first year of operation, the ~~charter school may give enrollment priority to~~ children of the initial members of the charter school's board of ~~directors.~~ directors, so long as (i) these children are limited to no more than ten percent (10%) of the school's total enrollment or to 20 students, whichever is less, and (ii) the charter school is not a former public or private school.";

and on page 2, lines 29-35, by rewriting those lines to read:

"(5b) Lottery procedures for siblings.

a. If ~~multiple birth~~ siblings apply for admission to a charter school and a lottery is needed under G.S. 115C-238.29F(g)(6), the charter school ~~shall~~ may enter one surname into the lottery to represent all of the ~~multiple birth siblings.~~ siblings applying at the same time. If that surname of the ~~multiple birth~~ siblings is selected, then all of the ~~multiple birth~~ siblings shall be ~~admitted.~~ admitted to the extent that space is available and does not exceed the grade level capacity.";



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and on page 4, line 7, by rewriting that line to read:

"(3) Expand to offer one grade higher than the charter school currently offers if the charter school has operated for at least three years and has not been identified as having inadequate performance as provided in G.S. 115C-238.29G(a1)."

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date Conferees approved report: July __, 2013.

Conferees for the Senate

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