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SENATE DRS45135-TW-2 (03/09)

Short Title: Education Preparation Reform Act. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Barefoot (Primary Sponsor).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO IMPROVE TEACHER EDUCATION PREPARATION PROGRAMS IN
3 NORTH CAROLINA.
4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
5 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 115C-296(b)(2) is amended by adding a new sub-subdivision to
6 read:
7 "g. Maintain a nationally accredited teacher education unit that promotes
8 continuous improvement in teacher preparation programs."
9 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2015, and applies to new
10 applicants for approval of teacher preparation programs by the State Board of Education on or
11 after July 1, 2015, and to currently approved teacher education programs applicants who apply
12 for continuing approval on or after July 1, 2017.



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