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NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
AMENDMENT  
House Bill 539

AMENDMENT NO. A3  
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Amends Title [YES]  
Second Edition

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Senator Waddell

1 moves to amend the bill on page 1, lines 2-6 by rewriting the lines to read:

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3 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR DAMAGES WHEN FUNDS ARE NOT TRANSFERRED  
4 WITHIN REQUIRED TIME LINES BETWEEN LOCAL SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE  
5 UNITS AND CHARTER SCHOOLS; PROVIDE THAT STATE FUNDING FOR A  
6 CHARTER SCHOOL RETURNS TO THE LOCAL SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT  
7 IF A STUDENT LEAVES THE CHARTER SCHOOL AND RETURNS TO THE LOCAL  
8 SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT AT ANY TIME DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR;  
9 AND MODIFY CHARTER SCHOOL FUNDING AND THE UNIFORM BUDGET  
10 FORMAT FOR LOCAL SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS.";

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12 And on page 1, lines 20-21 by inserting the following between those lines:

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14 **"SECTION 1.5.** G.S. 115C-218.105(a) reads as rewritten:

15 "(a) The State Board of Education shall allocate to each charter school:

- 16 (1) An amount equal to the average per pupil allocation for average daily  
17 membership from the local school administrative unit allotments in which  
18 the charter school is located for each child attending the charter school  
19 except for the allocation for children with disabilities and for the allocation  
20 for children with limited English proficiency;
- 21 (2) An additional amount for each child attending the charter school who is a  
22 child with disabilities; and
- 23 (3) An additional amount for children with limited English proficiency attending  
24 the charter school, based on a formula adopted by the State Board.

25 In accordance with G.S. 115C-218.5(d), the State Board shall allow for annual adjustments  
26 to the amount allocated to a charter school based on its enrollment growth in school years  
27 subsequent to the initial year of operation.

28 In the event that a child leaves a charter school and enrolls in a school in a local school  
29 administrative unit during the school year, the State Board shall adjust the State funding  
30 allotments to the charter school and the local school administrative unit for the remainder of the  
31 school year to account for the transfer by the child.



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1        In the event a child with disabilities leaves the charter school and enrolls in a public school  
2 during the first 60 school days in the school year, the charter school shall return a pro rata  
3 amount of funds allocated for that child to the State Board, and the State Board shall reallocate  
4 those funds to the local school administrative unit in which the public school is located. In the  
5 event a child with disabilities enrolls in a charter school during the first 60 school days in the  
6 school year, the State Board shall allocate to the charter school the pro rata amount of  
7 additional funds for children with disabilities."".  
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SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_  
Amendment Sponsor

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Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

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