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NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AMENDMENT
Senate Bill 257

AMENDMENT NO. A15
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Second Edition

Date _____, 2017

Senator B. Jackson

1 moves to amend the bill on page 31, lines 15-19, by rewriting the lines to read:
2 "education of the Alamance-Burlington Schools, Ashe County Schools, Avery County Schools,
3 Beaufort County Schools, Duplin County Schools, Guilford County Schools, Jones County
4 Schools, Nash County Schools, New Hanover County Schools, Randolph County Schools,
5 Rowan County Schools, Stanly County Schools, Watauga County Schools, and Yancey County
6 Schools to provide tuition assistance awards to part-time or full-time";

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8 and moves to amend the bill on page 35, line 49, through page 36, line 5, by deleting the lines;

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10 and moves to amend the bill on page 55, lines 34-35, by inserting between the lines the
11 following new language to read:

12 **"REMOVE FUNDING FOR EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA STEM**

13 **SECTION 7.31** Notwithstanding any provision of this act to the contrary, no funds
14 shall be appropriated or allocated for the Eastern North Carolina STEM.";

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16 and moves to amend the bill on page 196, lines 2-3, by inserting between the lines the
17 following new language to read:

18 **"REMOVE FUNDING FOR FOOD DESERTS**

19 **SECTION 12.3.** Notwithstanding any provision of this act to the contrary, no funds
20 shall be appropriated or allocated to increase the availability of fresh agricultural products in
21 food deserts located in this State.";

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23 and moves to amend the bill on page 225, lines 19-20, by inserting between the lines the
24 following language to read:

25 **"REMOVE FUNDING FOR MUSEUM PARK OPERATING AND NEW STATE PARK**
26 **OPERATING SUPPORT**

27 **SECTION 14.10.(a)** Notwithstanding any provision of this act to the contrary, no
28 funds shall be appropriated or allocated for two Park Ranger positions needed to bring new NC
29 Connect bond-funded State park projects online during the 2017-2018 fiscal year.

30 **SECTION 14.10.(b)** Notwithstanding any provision of this act to the contrary, no
31 funds shall be appropriated or allocated for operating expenses and four full-time positions to
32 support the Museum's Art Park.";



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and moves to amend the bill on page 232, lines 41-42, by inserting between the lines the following new language to read:

"SECTION 15.9.(c) Notwithstanding any provision of this act to the contrary, the revised net appropriations for Main Street Solutions is four hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$450,000) for the 2017-2018 fiscal year.";

and moves to amend the bill on page 301, line 18, by rewriting the line to read:

"PART XXV. OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

ELIMINATION OF POSITION

SECTION 25.1. The Federal Legislative Programs Coordinator position (Position # 60014914) is eliminated.";

and on page 266, lines 37-38, by inserting between those lines the following language to read:

"SECTION 16.4.(c) Funding. – Notwithstanding any provision of this act to the contrary, the revised net appropriations for the Governor's Crime Commission is two million four hundred sixty-three thousand one hundred seventy-eight dollars (\$2,462,178) for the 2017-2018 fiscal year. The sum of one million eight hundred five thousand two hundred fifteen dollars (\$1,805,215) is allocated equally for the pilot projects established in subsection (a) of this section.";

for the 2017-2018 fiscal year

and on page 266, lines 18-37, by rewriting the lines to read:

"PILOT PROJECTS TO TREAT OPIATE OVERDOSE

SECTION 16.4.(a) Pilot Projects. – The Department of Public Safety, in conjunction with the qualifying local entities listed in this subsection, shall develop and implement pilot projects to establish a Quick Response Team (QRT) to address the needs of opiate and heroin overdose victims who are not getting follow-up treatment. The QRT shall be staffed by firefighters, police officers, medics, and other law enforcement as determined by the Department of Public Safety and the qualifying local entity. The Department of Public Safety shall work with each qualifying local entity to develop the policy and procedures for the QRT. The qualifying local entities are the City of Wilmington, the City of Jacksonville, the City of Hickory, and the Counties of Gaston, Moore, Mitchell, and Watauga. In doing so, all of the following shall be considered:

- (1) Increase engagement and treatment with family counseling and recovery groups.
- (2) Provide follow-up care to survivable overdose incidents with police or medics and licensed counselors.
- (3) Provide short-term and long-term support to overdose victims and families.
- (4) Provide follow up within three to five days after an initial incident.
- (5) Create a fatality review panel to analyze and keep track of the deaths of those served by QRT.

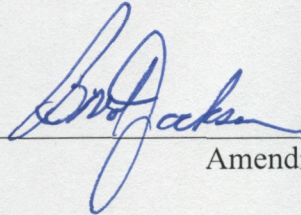
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1 **SECTION 16.4.(b)** Report. – The Department of Public Safety shall report on the
2 results of the pilot projects to the chairs of the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Justice
3 and Public Safety by February 1, 2019.";
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5 and by adjusting the appropriate totals accordingly.

SIGNED  _____
Amendment Sponsor

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Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

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