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SENATE BILL DRS55038-LUa-71A

Short Title: Funds/Eliminate NC Pre-K Waitlist Statewide. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Waddell and Bazemore (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO ELIMINATE THE WAITLIST FOR THE NC
3 PREKINDERGARTEN (NC PRE-K) PROGRAM STATEWIDE.
4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
5 SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of
6 Health and Human Services, Division of Child Development and Early Education, the sum of
7 twelve million five hundred thousand dollars (\$12,500,000) recurring for each year of the
8 2021-2023 fiscal biennium to eliminate the waitlist for the NC Prekindergarten (NC Pre-K)
9 program statewide.
10 SECTION 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 2021.



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