

STATE BOARD RESERVE PROJECTS

Use of 2009-2010 State Board Reserve Funds (Year-End Report)

The 1996 Session of the General Assembly amended G.S. 115D-5 to clarify the use of the State Board Reserve Fund. The change in the statute requires the State Board to report semi-annually on the expenditures made from State Board Reserve funds. The specific language is as follows:

Chapter 18, House Bill 53, Section 17.7 (a) G.S. 115D is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

“(I) The State Board of Community Colleges shall use its Board Reserve Fund for feasibility studies, pilot projects, start-up of new programs, and innovative ideas. The State Board shall report to the joint Legislative Education Oversight Committee on expenditures from the State Board Reserve Fund on January 15 and June 15 each year.”*

*With the agreement of the Education Oversight Committee, this report is presented to the State Board of Community Colleges at their first meeting following December 31 and June 30 of each year and subsequently reported to the committee at the next earliest opportunity.