

**North Carolina General Assembly**

**Joint Appropriations Conference Committee  
2010 Session**

**Rules for Senate Bill 897 Subcommittee Conferees**

**June 10, 2010**

1. **Subcommittee targets are spending targets.**
2. **Regarding expansion, subcommittees:**
  - a. **Shall not** fund any new expansions not funded in either the House or Senate budgets
  - b. **Shall not** increase any expansion above the higher amount in either the House or Senate budget.
  - c. **May** reduce or eliminate items that are not in controversy if both sides agree to re-visit the item.
  - d. **Shall not** restore or expand non-recurring items funded in the FY 2009-10 budget or previous budgets (unless items are included in the House or Senate budgets).
3. **Regarding reductions, subcommittees:**
  - a. **May** include reductions that are not in either the House or Senate budget.
  - b. **May** increase the amount of any reduction in the House and/or Senate budgets (i.e., take a larger reduction).
  - c. **May** reduce or eliminate items that are not in controversy if both sides agree to re-visit the item.
  - d. **Shall not** use nonrecurring reductions to restore recurring reductions.
4. **No new special provisions**, unless a provision is necessary to conform language and money items.
5. **Any unresolved questions or items** shall be forwarded to the Joint Conference Committee Chairs for resolution.