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HOUSE BILL 2358
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Short Title: Use of Activity Buses for Local Events. (Local)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

May 23, 2006

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1
2 AN ACT TO ALLOW THE HAYWOOD COUNTY CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL
3 SYSTEM BOARD OF EDUCATION TO PERMIT THE USE OF PUBLIC
4 SCHOOL ACTIVITY BUSES TO SERVE THE TRANSPORTATION NEEDS OF
5 THE NORTH CAROLINA INTERNATIONAL FOLK FESTIVAL, INC., AND
6 HAYWOOD COMMUNITY COLLEGE EVENTS TO BE HELD IN HAYWOOD
7 COUNTY.

8 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

9 **SECTION 1.** Notwithstanding G.S. 66-58 or any other provision of law, the
10 Haywood County Consolidated School System Board of Education may enter into a
11 contract, under terms and conditions set by the Haywood County Consolidated School
12 System Board of Education to permit public school activity buses to be used from June
13 through August of each year for activities and events related to the North Carolina
14 International Folk Festival, Inc., doing business as Folkmoot, USA, and Haywood
15 Community College, doing business as "Mountain Echo: A Homecoming", to be held
16 in Haywood County.

17 State funds shall not be used for the use and operation of activity buses under
18 this act.

19 Neither the State of North Carolina nor the Haywood County Consolidated
20 School System Board of Education shall incur any liability for any damages resulting
21 from the use or operation of activity buses under this act. North Carolina shall require
22 any entity entering into a contract with the Haywood County Consolidated School
23 System Board of Education to carry sufficient liability insurance covering the use and
24 operation of activity buses under this act.

25 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.