

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE DRS95000-LT-149 (5/12)

Short Title: Old Salem Funds.

(Public)

Sponsors: Senator Garrou.

Referred to:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO OLD SALEM, INCORPORATED, A
NONPROFIT CORPORATION, FOR ADDITIONAL MEETING AND
CLASSROOM SPACE FOR EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES.

Whereas, the State of North Carolina has a rich and diverse religious and
cultural heritage which is exemplified by Old Salem; and

Whereas, the visitor center at Old Salem educates thousands of North
Carolina school students and other visitors from North Carolina and other states each
year about the history of North Carolina; and

Whereas, the further development of Old Salem as a vehicle through which to
interpret North Carolina's religious and cultural heritage to its people will help instill in
its people the values which have been the source of its success and will have the
additional benefit of drawing additional travel and tourist revenues and jobs to our
State; Now, therefore,

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to Old Salem,
Incorporated, a nonprofit corporation, the sum of one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for
the 2006-2007 fiscal year for the renovations and restoration of the 901 building to be
used as an education building for teacher training, seminars, and workshops and for
school group programs and special classroom activities at Old Salem.

SECTION 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 2006.