

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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**SENATE BILL 1008\***

Short Title: TAs in Special Ed. Classes/Personal Leave. (Public)

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Sponsors: Senators Rand; and Jones.

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Referred to: Education/Public Instruction.

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March 21, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO PROVIDE PERSONAL LEAVE FOR TEACHER ASSISTANTS WHO  
ARE REQUIRED BY FEDERAL LAW TO HAVE A SUBSTITUTE WHEN  
THEY ARE OUT OF THE CLASSROOM.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

**SECTION 1.** G.S. 115C-316 is amended by adding a new subsection to  
read:

"(e) Teacher assistants who are required by federal law to have a substitute when they are out of the classroom shall earn and use personal leave under the same terms and conditions as classroom teachers for as long as they are in a position that requires them to have a substitute."

**SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2007.