

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE DRS55041-LG-32A (12/21)

Short Title: Division TEACCH Program Funds. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Rand.

Referred to:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR DIVISION TEACCH AT THE
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Board of Governors of The University of North Carolina the sum of three hundred sixty-eight thousand two hundred dollars (\$368,200) for the 2007-2008 fiscal year to be used by Division TEACCH in the Department of Psychiatry at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. These funds shall be allocated as follows:

- (1) \$175,902 to expand the TEACCHing at Home pilot program to the Asheville and Wilmington areas. The current program serves Orange County and provides home-based early intervention services to autistic preschoolers from 18 months to three years of age.
- (2) \$142,298 to complete the salary adjustments for therapists working with the TEACCH program.
- (3) \$50,000 to support research and program development for the TEACCH Autism Program.

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