

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 502

Short Title: Wilson Tech. Comm. Coll. Capital Funds. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Swindell.

Referred to: Appropriations/Base Budget.

March 6, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO REHABILITATE AND RETROFIT A
3 BUILDING AT WILSON TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE TO GREEN
4 STANDARDS.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the
7 Community Colleges System Office the sum of nine hundred fifty thousand dollars
8 (\$950,000) for the 2007-2008 fiscal year to rehabilitate and retrofit a building at Wilson
9 Technical Community College to LEED-EB (Leadership in Energy and Environmental
10 Design for Existing Buildings) standards. The purposes of this capital project are to:

- 11 (1) Maximize the operational efficiency of the building and minimize the
12 impact that the building makes on the environment and
13 (2) Provide hands-on training and teaching opportunities to the trades and
14 professional workforce in the practical implementation of green
15 construction and design as applies to the retrofitting of older structures.

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