

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 1782

Short Title: UNC-CH Law School/IOG Funds.

(Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Holt, R. Hunter; Flaherty and Sutton.

Referred to: Appropriations.

May 26, 1994

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE
2 UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO BE USED BY THE UNIVERSITY
3 OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL AS PLANNING FUNDS FOR
4 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AT THE SCHOOL OF LAW AND THE
5 INSTITUTE OF GOVERNMENT.
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7 Whereas, the School of Law and the Institute of Government at the
8 University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill need funding for planning capital
9 improvements; and

10 Whereas, in order to continue to compete with its peer institutions, UNC's
11 School of Law needs to upgrade its physical facilities; and

12 Whereas, among the needs of the School of Law are additional small and
13 mid-size classrooms, space for private and group study and library functions, office
14 space to accommodate additional permanent and adjunct faculty, and improved lighting
15 and wiring for up-to-date technological needs; and

16 Whereas, the inadequacy of the facilities at the School of Law has resulted in
17 a lower national ranking and criticism by the American Bar Association in its
18 reaccreditation review; and

19 Whereas, the students at the School of Law have agreed to pay a substantial
20 fee and the school's alumni have contributed to the support of the school; Now,
21 therefore,

22 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

23 Section 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Board of
24 Governors of The University of North Carolina the sum of three million seven hundred

1 thousand dollars (\$3,700,000) for the 1994-95 fiscal year to be allocated to the
2 University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill as follows:

- 3 (1) \$3,000,000 for planning funds for capital projects at the School of
4 Law; and
5 (2) \$700,000 for planning funds for capital projects at the Institute of
6 Government.

7 Sec. 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 1994.