

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA**  
**SESSION 2007**

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**HOUSE BILL 623**

Short Title: Funding of Highway Patrol to General Fund. (Public)

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Sponsors: Representatives Coates, Cole, Sutton (Primary Sponsors); Allen, Almond, Blackwood, Boylan, Braxton, Brown, Carney, Cleveland, Crawford, Daughtridge, Daughtry, Dickson, Dockham, Dollar, Gulley, J. Harrell, Hill, Holmes, Killian, Ray, Spear, Stiller, Tarleton, Underhill, Walker, E. Warren, Wilkins, and Wray.

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Referred to: Transportation, if favorable, Appropriations.

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March 14, 2007

1                                   A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO TRANSFER FUNDING OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL FROM  
3 THE HIGHWAY FUND TO THE GENERAL FUND WITH OVERSIGHT FOR  
4 THE AGENCY BUDGET ESTABLISHED WITH THE APPROPRIATIONS  
5 SUBCOMMITTEE FOR JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY.

6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7                   **SECTION 1.** G.S. 20-194 reads as rewritten:

8 "**§ 20-194. Expense of administration; defense of members and other State**  
9                   **law-enforcement officers in civil actions; payment of judgments.**

10           (a) All expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of this Article shall be  
11 paid out of the ~~highway fund.~~General Fund.

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