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HOUSE BILL 223

Short Title: Voc. Rehab. Students in Comm. Coll./Funds.-AB (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives L. Johnson; and Gorman.

Referred to: Education.

March 5, 2003

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO PERMIT THE STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES TO
3 USE CERTAIN FUNDS TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO
4 STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 115D-40.1(b) reads as rewritten:

7 "(b) Targeted Assistance. – Notwithstanding subsection (a) of this section, the
8 State Board may allocate no more than ten percent (10%) of the funds appropriated for
9 Financial Assistance for Community College Students ~~to students to:~~

10 (1) Students who do not qualify for need-based assistance but who enroll
11 in low-enrollment programs that prepare students for high-demand
12 ~~occupations~~ occupations, and

13 (2) Students with disabilities who have been referred by the Division of
14 Vocational Rehabilitation and are enrolled in a community college."

15 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2003.