## GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2007

S SENATE BILL 391

Short Title: Agricultural Education Funds. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Albertson; Allran, Atwater, Dalton, Dannelly, Goss, Hoyle, Jenkins, Kerr, Malone, Purcell, Rand, Snow, Soles, Swindell, and Weinstein.

Referred to: Appropriations/Base Budget.

## February 28, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION TO ENHANCE AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION IN THE CLASSROOM.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

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**SECTION 1.(a)** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Public Instruction the sum of one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$125,000) for the 2007-2008 fiscal year. These funds shall be used to continue the development of an understanding and teaching of agriculture in grades K-12 by providing training programs and materials for teachers and curricula and educational programs for students for agricultural education purposes.

**SECTION 1.(b)** It is the intent of the General Assembly that funds for the Agriculture in the Classroom Program be included in the continuation budget.

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