

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 524*
Committee Substitute Favorable 6/23/97

Short Title: UNC Alcohol Ed. Endowment Fund.

(Public)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

March 17, 1997

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CAP ON THE AMOUNT OF DRIVERS LICENSE
2 RESTORATION FEES THAT ARE DEPOSITED IN A FUND FOR ALCOHOL
3 STUDIES ENDOWMENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT
4 CHAPEL HILL.
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6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 Section 1. G.S. 20-7(i1) reads as rewritten:

8 "(i1) Restoration Fee. – Any person whose drivers license has been revoked
9 pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter, other than G.S. 20-17(2), shall pay a
10 restoration fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00). A person whose drivers license has been
11 revoked under G.S. 20-17(2) shall pay a restoration fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00) until the
12 end of the fiscal year in which the cumulative total amount of fees deposited under this
13 subsection in the General Fund exceeds ~~five~~ten million dollars (~~\$5,000,000~~;
14 \$10,000,000), and shall pay a restoration fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) thereafter.
15 The fee shall be paid to the Division prior to the issuance to such person of a new drivers
16 license or the restoration of the drivers license. The restoration fee shall be paid to the
17 Division in addition to any and all fees which may be provided by law. This restoration
18 fee shall not be required from any licensee whose license was revoked or voluntarily
19 surrendered for medical or health reasons whether or not a medical evaluation was

1 conducted pursuant to this Chapter. The twenty-five dollar (\$25.00) fee, and the first
2 twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) of the fifty-dollar (\$50.00) fee, shall be deposited in the
3 Highway Fund. The remaining twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) of the fifty-dollar (\$50.00)
4 fee shall be deposited in the General Fund of the State. The Office of State Budget and
5 Management shall certify to the Department of Transportation and the General Assembly
6 when the cumulative total amount of fees deposited in the General Fund under this
7 subsection exceeds five million dollars ~~(\$5,000,000)~~, ~~(\$10,000,000)~~, and shall annually
8 report to the General Assembly the amount of fees deposited in the General Fund under
9 this subsection.

10 It is the intent of the General Assembly to annually appropriate the funds deposited in
11 the General Fund under this subsection to the Board of Governors of The University of
12 North Carolina to be used for the Center for Alcohol Studies Endowment at The
13 University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, but not to exceed this cumulative total of five
14 ten million dollars ~~(\$5,000,000)~~ ~~(\$10,000,000)~~."

15 Section 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.