

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 1770

Short Title: Reduce Coop. Ext. Budget.

(Public)

Sponsors: Representative Hall.

Referred to: Appropriations.

June 17, 2002

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT TO REDUCE THE GENERAL FUND BUDGET OF THE COOPERATIVE
3 EXTENSION SERVICE AT NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.** The General Fund budget of the North Carolina Cooperative
6 Extension Service at North Carolina State University (budget code 16032) shall be
7 reduced by two million one hundred thousand dollars (\$2,100,000) for the 2002-2003
8 fiscal year. One hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) of the reduction shall be
9 accomplished by reducing the regional administration of the extension districts by
10 reducing the seven regional districts to six regional districts by merging the North
11 Central District into the Northeast and Northwest Districts. The balance of the
12 reduction shall be made by first eliminating those programs that do not directly serve
13 agricultural farming operations.

14 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2002.