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HOUSE BILL 1153

Short Title: Standards for Charter Schools/Durham County. (Local)

Sponsors: Representatives Luebke, Michaux, and Hall (Primary Sponsors).
For a complete list of Sponsors, see Bill Information on the NCGA Web Site.

Referred to: Education, if favorable, Government.

May 30, 2012

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT TO SET STANDARDS FOR CHARTER SCHOOLS LOCATED IN DURHAM
COUNTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. All charter schools located in Durham County shall:

- (1) Provide transportation to any student who lives within a 10-mile radius of the school.
- (2) Provide a free or reduced price lunch to any student who would be eligible to receive a free or reduced price school lunch under the National School Lunch Program or other federally supported food service program. The lunch must meet the nutritional standards applicable to schools operated by the Durham County Board of Education.
- (3) Have policies for students with disabilities that comply with federal laws related to students with disabilities who attend schools operated by the Durham County Board of Education, including the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act.

SECTION 2. A charter school located in Durham County shall not limit admission to students on the basis of intellectual ability, measures of achievement, or measures of aptitude.

SECTION 3. This act applies only to Durham County.

SECTION 4. This act is effective when it becomes law and applies to charter schools initially approved by the State Board of Education on or after that date.

