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Short Title: DEM/Emp. Retention Funds/LRC Study. (Public)

Sponsors: Representative Whitmire.

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY FOR
3 RETENTION-BASED SALARY ADJUSTMENTS FOR DIVISION OF EMERGENCY
4 MANAGEMENT EMPLOYEES AND AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATIVE
5 RESEARCH COMMISSION TO REVIEW WHETHER THERE SHOULD BE
6 ESTABLISHED AN EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PREPAREDNESS AND
7 RESPONSE FEE TO SUPPORT THE WORK OF THE DIVISION.
8 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
9 **SECTION 1.(a)** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of
10 Public Safety the sum of four hundred six thousand four hundred fifty-nine dollars (\$406,459)
11 for the 2015-2016 fiscal year and the sum of four hundred six thousand four hundred fifty-nine
12 dollars (\$406,459) for the 2016-2017 fiscal year to provide salary adjustments for the retention
13 of employees in the Division of Emergency Management.
14 **SECTION 1.(b)** This section becomes effective July 1, 2015.
15 **SECTION 2.** The Legislative Research Commission shall study whether an
16 emergency management preparedness and response fee should be assessed on each
17 homeowners', mobile home owners', tenant homeowners', and condominium unit owners'
18 property insurance policy issued in this State for the purpose of funding the operations of the
19 Division of Emergency Management of the Department of Public Safety. The Legislative
20 Research Commission may submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the 2015
21 General Assembly, prior to the convening of the 2016 Regular Session, by filing the report with
22 the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, with
23 a copy of the report submitted to the respective Chairs of the House of Representatives and
24 Senate Appropriations Committees on Justice and Public Safety.
25 **SECTION 3.** This act is effective when it becomes law.



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