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SENATE DRS25108-MG-50 (02/26)

Short Title: LRC/Study Transfer of WFD Centers to CCS. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Tillman (Primary Sponsor).

Referred to:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT DIRECTING THE LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMISSION TO STUDY THE
FEASIBILITY AND EFFECTIVENESS OF RELOCATING AND TRANSFERRING
OVERSIGHT OF THE NCWORKS CAREER CENTERS FROM THE DEPARTMENT
OF COMMERCE TO THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. The Legislative Research Commission (LRC) shall study the
feasibility and effectiveness of (i) relocating this State's NCWorks Career Centers to
community college campuses under the jurisdiction and control of the State Board of
Community Colleges and (ii) transferring responsibility for overseeing the administration of the
NCWorks Career Centers from the Department of Commerce to the State Board of Community
Colleges. As part of its study, the LRC shall do at least all of the following:

- (1) Study whether the State Board of Community Colleges is better equipped
than the Department of Commerce to oversee administration of the
NCWorks Career Centers.
- (2) Conduct an analysis of the specific buildings or facilities that would be
available for the relocation of the State's NCWorks Career Centers from the
Department of Commerce to community college campuses under the
jurisdiction and control of the State Board of Community Colleges.
- (3) Study whether existing federal laws, State laws, or memorandums of
understanding would support the proposed relocation and transfer of the
State's NCWorks Career Centers to the Community College System.
- (4) Any other matters the LRC deems relevant to complete its analysis.

SECTION 2. The LRC shall report its findings, together with any proposed
legislation, to the 2016 Regular Session of the 2015 General Assembly upon its convening.

SECTION 3. This act is effective when it becomes law.



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