GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 701

Short Title: Robeson School Board.

(Local)

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Sponsors: Representatives DeVane; and Dial.

Referred to: Local and Regional Government I.

April 11, 1991

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- 2 AN ACT TO ELIMINATE LEGISLATIVE APPOINTMENTS TO THE BOARD OF 3 EDUCATION FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF ROBESON COUNTY.
- 4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
- 5 Section 1. Section 4 of Chapter 605, Session Laws of 1987, reads as 6 rewritten:

7 "Sec. 4. Upon merger, the existing Robeson County and Fairmont, Lumberton, Red Springs, and St. Pauls City Boards of Education and the Interim Board are abolished 8 9 and replaced by the Board of Education for the Public Schools of Robeson County. The 10 Board of Education for the Public Schools of Robeson County shall consist of the 15 members of the Interim Board as of the effective date of the merger, and shall have all 11 the powers and responsibilities previously provided for the Robeson County, Fairmont 12 City, Lumberton City, Red Springs City, St. Pauls City, and Interim Boards and 13 provided by State law generally for county boards of education. From July 1, 1989, 14 15 through June 30, 1992, the Board shall have 15 members. From and after July 1, 1992, the Board shall have 13 members-July 1, 1992, through June 30, 1994, the Board shall 16 have 11 members. From and after July 1, 1994, the Board shall have nine members." 17 18 Sec. 2. Section 7.1 of Chapter 605, Session Laws of 1987, reads as rewritten:

19 "Sec. 7.1. In 1990, the General Assembly shall appoint four members of the Board 20 of Education for the Public Schools of Robeson County, two for four-year terms 21 beginning July 1, 1990, and two for two-year terms beginning July 1, 1990. In 1992 and 22 biennially thereafter, the General Assembly shall appoint two members of the Board of 23 Education for the Public Schools of Robeson County for four-year terms. As those terms 24 As those terms

24 <u>expire, the seats are abolished.</u>"

| 1 | Sec. 3. Effective July 1, 1994, Section 9 of Chapter 605, Session Laws of |
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| 2 | 1987, reads as rewritten: |
| 3 | "Sec. 9. Vacancies on the Board of Education for the Public Schools of Robeson |
| 4 | County shall be filled by the remaining members of the Board, except in the case of |
| 5 | appointments made by the General Assembly under Section 7.1 of this act the appointee shall |
| 6 | serve until the remainder of the unexpired term or until the General Assembly fills the vacancy, |
| 7 | whichever occurs first. In the case of a district seat, the Board must appoint a resident of |
| 8 | that district." |
| 9 | Sec. 4. This act is effective upon ratification. |
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