## GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 73

Short Title: Reduce County Share/Payments.

(Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Goodwin; Bonner, H. Hunter, Redwine, Sutton, and Yongue.

Referred to: Human Resources.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO REDUCE THE SHARE OF NONFEDERAL PAYMENTS FOR

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE AND SOCIAL SERVICES FOR CERTAIN

ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED COUNTIES.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. Notwithstanding G.S. 108A-54, the nonfederal share of the Medical Assistance Program borne by the counties is reduced for the 1997-99 biennium for Tier 1 and Tier 2 counties, as defined by G.S. 105-129.3, as follows:

- (1) For Tier 1 counties, by twenty percent (20%);
- (2) For Tier 2 counties, by ten percent (10%).

Section 2. Notwithstanding G.S. 108A-87, the nonfederal share of the annual costs of each public assistance and social services program and related administrative costs borne by the counties is reduced for the 1997-99 biennium for Tier 1 and Tier 2 counties, as defined by G.S. 105-129.3, as follows:

- (1) For Tier 1 counties, by twenty percent (20%);
- 16 (2) For Tier 2 counties, by ten percent (10%).
- 17 Section 3. This act becomes effective July 1, 1997.