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HOUSE BILL 556

Short Title: Volunteer Service in Retirement. (Public)

Sponsors: Representative (Primary Sponsor).
For a complete list of Sponsors, see Bill Information on the NCGA Web Site.

Referred to: State Personnel, if favorable, Finance.

March 31, 2011

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF RETIREMENT TO CLARIFY THAT
SERVICE AS AN UNPAID VOLUNTEER IS NOT CONSIDERED SERVICE FOR THE
PURPOSE OF THAT DEFINITION.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 135-1(20) reads as rewritten:

"(20) "Retirement" means the termination of employment and the complete separation from active service with no intent or agreement, express or implied, to return to service. A retirement allowance under the provisions of this Chapter may only be granted upon retirement of a member. In order for a member's retirement to become effective in any month, the member must render no service, including part-time, temporary, substitute, or contractor service, at any time during the six months immediately following the effective date of retirement. For purposes of this subdivision, service as a member of a school board or as an unpaid bona fide volunteer ~~in a local school administrative unit~~ shall not be considered service."

SECTION 2. This act is effective from and after March 24, 2009.

