GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2015

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HOUSE BILL 1015

Short Title:	NC LEAF Funds. (Public)
Sponsors:	Representative Stevens.
	For a complete list of sponsors, refer to the North Carolina General Assembly web site.
Referred to:	Appropriations

May 3, 2016

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO PROVIDE
 NC LEAF THE FUNDS NECESSARY TO CONTINUE PROVIDING LOAN REPAYMENT
- 4 ASSISTANCE FOR PUBLIC INTEREST ATTORNEYS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE
- 5 NORTH CAROLINA COURTS COMMISSION.
- 6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
- SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of
 Justice the sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) in recurring funds for the 2016-2017
 fiscal year to be allocated to the North Carolina Legal Education Assistance Fund (NC LEAF) to
- 10 restore the reductions made to NC LEAF in fiscal years 2009-2010, 2010-2011, and 2011-2012.
- 11 These funds shall be used to assist public interest attorneys with student loan repayment.
- 12 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2016.



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