

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 61

Short Title: Waiver of School Starting Date/Some Counties. (Local)

Sponsors: Senators Goss; and Jones.

Referred to: Education/Higher Education.

February 12, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO GRANT CERTAIN SCHOOL SYSTEMS A PERMANENT WAIVER
FROM THE REQUIRED SCHOOL OPENING AND CLOSING DATES.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. The General Assembly finds that the history of severe weather conditions and other emergency situations in certain parts of the State make it impracticable for some counties to comply with the required school opening and closing dates; therefore, the Alexander, Ashe, Watauga, and Wilkes County School Administrative Units are hereby granted a permanent waiver from the required school opening and closing dates under G.S. 115C-84.2(d).

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.