

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2005**

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**SENATE DRS75183-LH-70 (02/16)**

Short Title: Obesity Research Funding. (Public)

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Sponsors: Senator Kerr.

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Referred to:

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO FUND THE OBESITY RESEARCH  
AND PREVENTION INITIATIVE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

**SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Board of  
Governors of The University of North Carolina the sum of three million dollars  
(\$3,000,000) for the 2005-2006 fiscal year to fund the "Obesity Research and  
Prevention Initiative". The funds shall be allocated as follows:

- (1) Two million dollars (\$2,000,000) shall be allocated to the University  
of North Carolina at Chapel Hill to support the proposed Center for  
Family-and-Community-Based Solutions to Obesity.
- (2) Seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000) shall be allocated to  
the University of North Carolina at Greensboro to support the Center  
for Obesity Prevention.
- (3) Two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) shall be allocated to  
support collaboration and partnerships with other institutions of The  
University of North Carolina and shall be awarded on a competitive  
basis.

**SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2005.