

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2007**

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**HOUSE BILL 2179\***

Short Title: Defense Security Technology Accelerator Funds. (Public)

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Sponsors: Representatives Glazier, Dickson, Lucas, Tolson (Primary Sponsors);  
Blue, Church, Daughtridge, and Martin.

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Referred to: Appropriations.

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May 19, 2008

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT THE DEFENSE AND  
2 SECURITY TECHNOLOGY ACCELERATOR IN THE CITY OF  
3 FAYETTEVILLE.  
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5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the  
7 Department of Commerce the sum of two million dollars (\$2,000,000) for the  
8 2008-2009 fiscal year to be allocated to the Partnership for Defense Innovation, a  
9 nonprofit organization, to support the Defense and Security Technology Accelerator, a  
10 business incubator focusing on economic development opportunities in the industries  
11 relating to homeland security and national defense.

12 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2008.