

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA**  
**SESSION 2007**

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**SENATE DRS85107-LN-150A\* (2/28)**

Short Title: Funds for Traumatic Brain Injury Services. (Public)

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Sponsors: Senator Hoyle.

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Referred to:

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, TO SUPPORT INDIVIDUALS WITH TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY IN SMALL GROUP HOMES.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

**SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, and Substance Abuse Services, the sum of seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000) for the 2007-2008 fiscal year and the sum of seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000) to the 2008-2009 fiscal year. These funds shall be used to provide support to individuals who received a traumatic brain injury after age 22 and are residing in licensed group homes for six or fewer individuals.

**SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2007.