

NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT

House Bill 97

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Amends Title [NO] H97-PCS10386-LRxf-18 Representatives Jeter and Hanes

moves to amend the PCS on Page 18, Lines 37-38, by inserting between the lines a new section to read:

"GRANTS FOR BODY-WORN VIDEO CAMERAS FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES

SECTION 6.12.(a) The appropriation to a Reserve for Pending Legislation in this act is hereby reduced by two million five hundred thousand dollars (\$2,500,000) in nonrecurring funds for the 2015-2016 fiscal year and by two million five hundred thousand dollars (\$2,500,000) in nonrecurring funds for the 2016-2017 fiscal year.

SECTION 6.12.(b) Of the funds appropriated in this act, the sum of two million five hundred thousand dollars (\$2,500,000) in nonrecurring funds for the 2015-2016 fiscal year and the sum of two million five hundred thousand dollars (\$2,500,000) in nonrecurring funds for the 2016-2017 fiscal year shall be used to establish a reserve in the Office of State Budget and Management to provide matching grants to local and county law enforcement agencies to purchase and place into service body-worn video cameras and for training and related expenses. The grant fund shall be administered by the Office of State Budget and Management and that Office, in consultation with the Governor's Crime Commission, shall develop guidelines and procedures for the administration and distribution of grants to those agencies. These guidelines and procedures shall include the following requirements and limitations:

- (1) The maximum grant amount shall not exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000).
- (2) Recipient law enforcement agencies shall be required to provide two dollars (\$2.00) of local funds for every one dollar (\$1.00) of grant funds received.
- (3) Grantees shall be required to have appropriate policies and procedures in place governing the operation of body-worn cameras and the proper storage of images recorded with those cameras.

SECTION 6.12.(c) The Office of State Budget and Management shall submit the following reports to the Chairs of the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Justice and Public Safety and to the Chairs of the House and Senate Appropriations Committees on Justice and Public Safety:

(1) No later than October 1, 2015, a report on the guidelines and procedures that will govern distribution and administration of grant funds distributed pursuant to this section.



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1	(.	2) No later than August 1, 2016, a report on	the grant runus distributed
2	pursuant to this section during the 2015-2016 fiscal year.		
3	SECTION 6.12.(d) Definition. – The term "body-worn camera" means an		
4	operational video camera, including a microphone or other mechanism for allowing audio		
5	capture, affixed to a law enforcement officer's uniform and positioned in a way that allows the		
6	video camera to capture interactions the law enforcement officer has with the public."; and		
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8	moves to amend the appropriate totals accordingly.		
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