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SENATE BILL DRS45298-LUa-79 (03/13)

Short Title: Permanency Innovation Initiative Funds. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Tucker, Hise, and Krawiec (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE PERMANENCY INNOVATION
3 INITIATIVE FUND.
4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
5 **SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of
6 Health and Human Services, Division of Social Services, the sum of one million dollars
7 (\$1,000,000) recurring for the 2017-2018 fiscal year, bringing total project costs, including
8 federal matching funds, to four million two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$4,250,000), and
9 the sum of one million seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$1,750,000) recurring for the
10 2018-2019 fiscal year, bringing total project costs, including federal matching funds, to five
11 million four hundred thousand dollars (\$5,400,000), to provide additional funds for the
12 Permanency Innovation Initiative Fund in accordance with G.S. 131D-10.9B. Funds provided
13 pursuant to this section shall be supplemented, not supplanted, by all available federal matching
14 funds. In addition to State and federal funds, private funds in the amount of two million four
15 hundred thousand dollars (\$2,400,000) may be used to extend those State and federal funds and
16 increase the services provided to children and families during the 2017-2019 fiscal biennium.
17 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2017.

