OVERVIEW: Sec. 11B.1(a) of S.L. 2018-5 (SB 99) repeals G.S. 143B-168.10B, as enacted by Sec. 7 of S.L. 2018-2, which provided increased funds for the NC Prekindergarten (NC Pre-K) program to the General Fund for the 2019-20 and 2020-2021 fiscal years.

Sec. 11B.1(b) adds a new section to Part 10B of Article 3 of Chapter 143B of the General Statutes. The new section requires the Director of the Budget to include increased funding for the NC Pre-K program for the 2019-20 and 2020-2021 fiscal years. The new statutory language specifies the appropriation in this section is a statutory appropriation as that term is defined in G.S. 143C-1-1(d)(28).

This section became effective July 1, 2018.