



2021-2022 General Assembly

# HOUSE BILL 159: Education Law Changes, Sec. 2.3: Extend Charter School Enrollment Priority to Grandchildren of Employees or Board Members

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<b>Analysis of:</b>	Sec. 2.3 of S.L. 2022-71		

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**OVERVIEW:** Section 2.3 of S.L. 2022-71 authorizes charter schools to give enrollment priority to grandchildren of charter school employees and members of the board of directors. This section expands the previous enrollment priority that was limited to children of employees or directors.

*This section became effective July 8, 2022, and applies beginning with applications and enrollments for the 2022-2023 school year.*

**CURRENT LAW:** G.S. 115C-218.45(f)(3) authorizes charter schools to give enrollment priority to the children of employees of charter school and the children of the charter school's board of directors.

**BILL ANALYSIS:** This section extends the charter school enrollment priority to the grandchildren of the employees of the charter school and the grandchildren of the charter school's board of directors.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** This section became effective July 8, 2022, and applies beginning with applications and enrollments for the 2022-2023 school year.

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