

## **HOUSE BILL 334:**

## Budget Technical Corrections, Sec. 2.7: BOG and President of UNC Study Establishing New Health Sciences Programs at UNC Pembroke

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OVERVIEW AND ANALYSIS: Section 2.7 of S.L. 2021-189 directs the Board of Governors of The University of North Carolina (BOG) and the President of The University of North Carolina (President) to complete a study of the feasibility and advisability of establishing new academic programs and schools in the area of health sciences at the University of North Carolina at Pembroke (UNC Pembroke), including a school of optometry. The study must consider the costs and financial benefits of establishing these programs and can consider the findings and recommendations submitted by the BOG to the General Assembly by March 1, 2018, pursuant to subsection (a) of Section 10.14 of S.L. 2017-57. In addition, the BOG and the President may consult with the Board of Trustees of UNC Pembroke. This study must be completed no later than the date the new health sciences building at UNC Pembroke opens for classes.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This section became effective July 1, 2021.

