# GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2013

### SESSION LAW 2013-360 SENATE BILL 402

AN ACT TO MAKE BASE BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS FOR CURRENT OPERATIONS OF STATE DEPARTMENTS, INSTITUTIONS, AND AGENCIES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

# PART I. INTRODUCTION AND TITLE OF ACT

#### TITLE

**SECTION 1.1.** This act shall be known as the "Current Operations and Capital Improvements Appropriations Act of 2013."

## INTRODUCTION

SECTION 1.2. The appropriations made in this act are for maximum amounts necessary to provide the services and accomplish the purposes described in the budget. Savings shall be effected where the total amounts appropriated are not required to perform these services and accomplish these purposes and, except as allowed by the State Budget Act or this act, the savings shall revert to the appropriate fund at the end of each fiscal year.

## PART II. CURRENT OPERATIONS AND EXPANSION GENERAL FUND

#### CURRENT OPERATIONS AND EXPANSION/GENERAL FUND

**SECTION 2.1.** Appropriations from the General Fund of the State for the maintenance of the State departments, institutions, and agencies, and for other purposes as enumerated, are made for the fiscal biennium ending June 30, 2015, according to the following schedule:

Current Operations – General Fund	2013-2014	2014-2015
EDUCATION		
Community Colleges System Office	1,021,295,467	1,016,487,467
Department of Public Instruction	7,867,960,649	8,048,101,622
University of North Carolina – Board of Governors Appalachian State University East Carolina University	127,908,903	127,908,903
Academic Affairs Health Affairs	220,012,450 64,841,247	220,615,626 64,841,247
Elizabeth City State University Fayetteville State University	35,363,212 49,336,186	35,385,057 49,336,186
North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University	96,882,428	96,882,428
North Carolina Central University North Carolina State University	84,084,488	84,084,488
Academic Affairs Agricultural Extension	389,976,973 39,859,682	390,045,059 39,859,682



Ethics Act, including mandatory training, the public disclosure of economic interests, and ethical standards for covered persons. Members of the Commission shall comply with the provisions of the State Government Ethics Act to avoid conflicts of interest.

(d) In-addition to the members designated by subsection (a) of this section, the General Assembly shall appoint six members, three upon the recommendation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and three upon the recommendation of the President Pro Tempore of the Senate. Appointments by the General Assembly shall be made in accordance with G.S. 120 121, and vacancies in those appointments shall be filled in accordance with G.S. 120-122. Members appointed by the General Assembly shall serve terms of two years.

(e) Members of the Commission shall serve terms of four years."

SECTION 14.23.(b) Transition of Membership of the Environmental Management Commission. –

- (1) The terms of all members of the Environmental Management Commission serving on January 1, 2013, shall expire on July 31, 2013. A new Commission of 15 members shall be appointed in the manner provided by G.S. 143B-283(a1), as enacted by subsection (a) of this section.
- (2) Members of the Commission whose qualifications are described by subdivisions (3), (5), (7), (8), (9), (11), (13), and (15) of G.S. 143B-283(a1), as enacted by subsection (a) of this section, shall, notwithstanding G.S. 143B-283(e), as enacted by subsection (a) of this section, be appointed for an initial term of two years and subsequent appointments shall be for four-year terms thereafter. Members of the Commission whose qualifications are described by subdivisions (1), (2), (4), (6), (10), (12), and (14) of G.S. 143B-283(a1), as enacted by subsection (a) of this section, shall be appointed for an initial term of four years and subsequent appointments shall be for four-year terms thereafter. Initial terms shall begin on August 1, 2013, and expire on June 30 of the year of expiration as set forth in this subsection.
- (3) Members of the Commission appointed to any other State board or commission as a representative of the Commission shall no longer serve as a member of those boards or commissions after this section becomes law, and a new Commission representative shall be appointed as provided by law.

#### COASTAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

SECTION 14.24.(a) G.S. 113A-104 reads as rewritten:

# "§ 113A-104. Coastal Resources Commission.

- (a) Established. The General Assembly hereby establishes within the Department of Environment and Natural Resources a commission to be designated the Coastal Resources Commission.
- (b) Composition: The Coastal Resources Commission-shall-consist-of-15-members appointed by the Governor, as follows:
  - (1) One who shall at the time of appointment be actively connected with or have experience in commercial fishing.
  - One who shall at the time of appointment be actively connected with or have experience in wildlife or sports fishing.
  - (3) One who shall at the time of appointment be actively connected with or have experience in marine ecology.
  - (4) One who shall at the time of appointment be actively connected with or have experience in coastal agriculture.
  - (5) One who shall at the time of appointment be actively connected with or have experience in coastal forestry.
  - One who shall at the time of appointment be actively connected with or have experience in coastal land development.
  - (7) One who shall at the time of appointment be actively connected with or have experience in marine related business (other than fishing and wildlife).
  - (8) One who shall at the time of appointment be actively connected with or have experience in engineering in the coastal area.
  - (9) One who shall at the time of appointment be actively associated with a State or national conservation organization.