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HOUSE BILL DRH30071-MQ-40

Short Title: Expedite Surplus Prop./Educational Orgs. (Public)

Sponsors: Representative Johnson.

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO ALLOW CERTAIN EDUCATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS TO EXPEDITE THE  
3 PROCESS TO OBTAIN SURPLUS AND DECOMMISSIONED FEDERAL MATERIAL  
4 AND PROPERTY.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** Part 2 of Article 3A of Chapter 143 of the General Statutes is amended  
7 by adding a new section to read:

8 **"§ 143-64.5A. Certain educational institutions exempt.**

9 Notwithstanding any provisions or limitations of Part 2 of this Article, an educational  
10 organization is authorized and empowered to obtain decommissioned and surplus material and  
11 property under contracts and agreements with the federal government or any of its departments  
12 or agencies provided that the material and property is intended to be used for educational  
13 purposes. To the extent set forth above and in this section, the provisions of Part 2 of this Article  
14 shall not apply to an educational organization. For the purposes of this section, the term  
15 "educational organization" means an organization that has education as its primary purpose and  
16 that is a nonprofit organization, a not-for-profit organization, or an organization that has  
17 tax-exempt status under 26 U.S.C. § 501(c)(3)."

18 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.



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