

APPENDIX C

Capital Improvements Project in House Bill 1264 – Fayetteville State University

In 2004, the General Assembly passed House Bill 1264 (S.L. 2004-179) which authorized the issuance of certificates of participation to provide funding for capital improvements in The University of North Carolina. Included among the projects was an allocation of \$10,000,000 to Fayetteville State University for the following:

Land acquisition, site preparation, and engineering, architectural, and other consulting services for a Center of Excellence of Teaching and Nursing at Fayetteville State University.

The 2005 Session of the General Assembly amended this language in Section 30.3A of Senate Bill 622 (S.L. 2005-276). The amended language is as follows:

Land acquisition, site preparation, engineering, architectural, and other consulting services, and construction for the Southeastern North Carolina Nursing Education and Research Center at Fayetteville State University.

In October 2004, the Board of Governors approved that \$3,000,000 of the \$10,000,000 be allocated to FSU to purchase land and plan facilities consistent with the legislation passed by the General Assembly.

FSU is now requesting that the Board of Governors allocate the remainder of the \$10,000,000 for construction of a nursing facility consistent with the rewritten legislation approved this past session by the General Assembly.

It is recommended that \$10,000,000 be made available to Fayetteville State University to be used to construct the Southeastern North Carolina Nursing Education and Research Center.