



The Daily Bulletin: Friday, August 1, 2014

PUBLIC/HOUSE BILLS

H 27 (2013-2014) [ESCHEAT SAVINGS BOND TRUST FUND/SCHOLARSHIPS](#). Filed Jan 30 2013, *AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT UNCLAIMED UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS SHALL ESCHEAT TO THE STATE, TO DIRECT THE TREASURER TO REDEEM THOSE UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS ESCHEATED TO THE STATE, TO CREATE AN ESCHEAT SAVINGS BOND TRUST FUND WITHIN THE ESCHEAT FUND FOR DEPOSIT OF THE PROCEEDS OF THOSE REDEMPTIONS, AND TO PROVIDE THAT INTEREST AND INVESTMENT EARNINGS FROM THE ESCHEAT SAVINGS BOND TRUST FUND SHALL BE USED TO FUND SCHOLARSHIPS TO WORTHY AND NEEDY STUDENTS WHO ARE RESIDENTS OF NORTH CAROLINA AND ARE ENROLLED IN PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN NORTH CAROLINA.*

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Intro. by Howard, Hager, Torbett.

[GS 116B](#)

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[Banking and Finance, Government, State Agencies,
Department of State Treasurer](#)

H 101 (2013-2014) [SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE DEVELOPMENT PROCESS](#). Filed Feb 13 2013, *A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REAUTHORIZE EXPIRED SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATES, TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATES TO BE ON A BACKGROUND OTHER THAN THE 'FIRST IN FLIGHT' BACKGROUND, AND TO ESTABLISH A PROCESS BY WHICH PERSONS OR ORGANIZATIONS MUST OBTAIN A MINIMUM NUMBER OF PAID APPLICATIONS PRIOR TO OBTAINING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE.*

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Intro. by Martin, Howard, Moffitt, Setzer.

[GS 20](#)

[View summary](#)**Government, State Agencies, Department of Revenue,
Department of Transportation, Transportation**

H 625 (2013-2014) **ZONING/HEALTH CARE STRUCTURE**. Filed Apr 9 2013, *A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING PROVISIONS FOR TEMPORARY HEALTH CARE STRUCTURES.*

AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING PROVISIONS FOR TEMPORARY HEALTH CARE STRUCTURES.

Enacted August 1, 2014. Effective October 1, 2014.

Intro. by Moffitt, Howard, Setzer.

GS 130A, GS 131D, GS 153A, GS 160A

[View summary](#)**Development, Land Use and Housing, Land Use,
Planning and Zoning**

H 1193 (2013-2014) **RETIREMENT TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS ACT OF 2014**. Filed May 21 2014, *AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE STATUTES AFFECTING THE STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS.*

AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE STATUTES AFFECTING THE STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS. Enacted August 1, 2014. Section 4 is effective January 1, 2015. The remainder is effective July 1, 2014.

Intro. by Collins, S. Ross.

GS 58, GS 120, GS 128, GS 135, GS 143

[View summary](#)**Courts/Judiciary, Court System, Employment and
Retirement, Government, State Government, State
Personnel**

H 1224 (2013-2014) **LOCAL SALES TAX OPTIONS/ECON. DEVPT. CHANGES (NEW)**. Filed May 27 2014, *A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT THE TOTAL LOCAL GOVERNMENT SALES AND USE TAX RATE TO TWO AND ONE-HALF PERCENT; TO GIVE COUNTIES THE FLEXIBILITY TO USE UP TO ONE-HALF PERCENT OF THE LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION, FOR PUBLIC EDUCATION, FOR GENERAL PURPOSES, OR FOR A COMBINATION THEREOF; AND TO MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES TO TAX AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT LAWS.*

The conference report makes the following changes to the 4th edition.

Amends subsection (b) of proposed GS 105-506.4 (GS Chapter 105, Article 43, Part 1) to provide that regardless of subsection (a), which limits the rate of the local sales and use tax to a maximum of 2 1/2 percent, the local sales and use tax rate may exceed 2 1/2 percent if all of the conditions specified in subsection (b) are met. However, in no event may a county's local sales and use tax rate be more than 2 3/4 percent. Specifies the following conditions, all of which must be met, for a county's tax rate to permissibly exceed 2 1/2 percent: (1) the county is Durham, Forsyth, Guilford, Orange, Mecklenburg or Wake; (2) the county levies a tax authorized under Part 2 of Article 43 of GS Chapter 105 or the county levies a tax at the rate of 1/2 percent under Part 5 of Article 43 of GS Chapter 105, or the county is part of a special district authorized to levy a tax under Part 4 of Article 43 of GS Chapter 105; and (3) the county has conducted one or more advisory referendums on or before December 31, 2014, in which a majority of the voters approved the levy of a local sales and use tax rate of 1/4 percent under Article 46 of GS Chapter 105.

Adds new subsection (c) to proposed GS 105-506.4 to provide that if the tax levied under Article 43 or Article 46 of GS Chapter 105 is repealed, and the repeal results in a decrease of the local sales and use tax rate to less than 2 3/4 percent in a county that is listed in subdivision (b)(1) of GS 105-506.4, as amended in this edition, the county may not enact a local sales and use tax rate under this Subchapter that is more than 2 1/2 percent.

Amends GS Chapter 105, Article 46, One-Quarter Cent (1/4C) or One-Half Cent (1/2C) County Sales and Use Tax Act, adding subsection (e) to GS 105-537 to provide that regardless of the provisions of subsection (a), which requires a tax levied under Article 46 to be approved in a referendum and that the applicable rate meet specified conditions, the local sales and use tax rate in the counties of Durham, Forsyth, Guilford, Orange, Mecklenburg, and Wake may exceed 2 1/2 percent if all of the conditions listed in this subsection are met. Prohibits the local sales and use tax rate in these counties from exceeding 2 3/4 percent. Provides specified conditions that are identical to those listed in subsection (b) of proposed GS 105-506.4. Provides that Durham and Orange counties levy a local sale and use tax at the rate of 2 3/4 percent as of August 1, 2013. Also provides that as of August 1, 2014, Forsyth, Guilford, Mecklenburg, and Wake Counties levy a local sales and use tax at the rate of 2 1/2 percent or less but are authorized to levy the tax at a rate of up to 2 3/4 percent.

Enacts new subsection (f) to GS 105-537 to provide that if the tax levied under Article 43 or Article 46 of GS Chapter 105 is repealed, and the repeal results in a decrease of the local sales and use tax rate to less than 2 3/4 percent in a county that is listed in subsection (e) of GS 105-537, the county may not enact a local sales and use tax rate under this Subchapter that is more than 2 1/2 percent.

Under current law, GS 158-7.1 authorizes each county and city in this state to make appropriations, funded by the levy of property taxes under GS 153A-149 and GS 160A-209, for the purpose of aiding and encouraging local development. Amends subsection (b) of GS 158-7.1 to expand the list of activities in the subsection that may be funded by the levy of property taxes under GS 153A-149 and GS 160A-209 to include authorizing a county or city to provide grants or loans for the rehabilitation of underutilized mills, other industrial structures, or historic structures.

Directs the Revenue Laws Study Committee (Committee) to conduct an economic analysis of rehabilitating both income-producing and non-income producing historic structures, including historic mill property. Requires the Committee to report its findings, along with any legislative recommendations, to the Regular Session of the 2015 General Assembly upon its convening. Lists topics and issues that may be examined in the study.

Amends GS 96-4(x) regarding the confidentiality of unemployment compensation information. Defines *confidential information* as the term is used in this section, to mean any unemployment compensation information in the records of the Division of Employment Security (DES) applicable to the administration of the Employment Security Law required to be kept confidential under 20 CFR Part 603. Includes any claim information and any other information that could reveal the name or identifying particulars about any past or present employer or employing unit or that could be foreseeably combined with other information publicly available that could be used to reveal any such particulars.

Exempts confidential information from the public records disclosure requirements of GS Chapter 132. Specifies that confidential information may only be disclosed as permitted in this subsection. Clarifies that any disclosure or re-disclosure of confidential information must be consistent with 20 CFR Part 603. Provides that DES may disclose final decisions and the records of hearings that led to those decisions only after the expiration of the appeal rights as provided under GS 96-15.

Amends Section 7.2(a) and 7.3 of SL 2014-3, concerning retailer-contractors, providing clarification that the act does not affect any interpretation of a statute which is the subject of a state tax audit for taxable years beginning before January 1, 2015, as well as clarifying that the changes that are effective January 1, 2015, apply to withdrawals of items from inventory for contracts entered into on or after that date.

Amends Section 8.1(c) of SL 2014-3, effective June 1, 2014, clarifying that a retailer of a rental of a private residence, cottage, or similar accommodation, which is rented for fewer than 15 days in a calendar year and listed with a real estate broker or agent, is liable for any over-collection of sales tax or occupancy tax for any such rental that is occupied or available to be occupied for nights beginning June 14, 2012, and ending June 30, 2013, and must remit the

tax collected. Also provides that a retailer is not liable for an undercollection of sales tax or occupancy tax for such rental which is occupied or available to be occupied between June 1, 2014, and June 30, 2014, if a good-faith effort to comply with the law was made. Deletes language which states the section applied during June 14, 2012, and July 1, 2014.

Repeals Section 14.26 of SL 2014-3, concerning the definition of an income year.

Amends GS 105-113.35(d), effective June 1, 2015, to provide that a manufacturer who ships vapor products to either a wholesale dealer or retail dealer can apply to the Secretary of Revenue to be relieved of paying the tax imposed by this section on those vapor products.

Amends GS 105-129.16A, concerning tax credits for investing in renewable energy property, providing that a taxpayer that has constructed, purchased, or leased renewable energy property is allowed a credit equal to 35 percent of the cost of the property if the property is placed in service in North Carolina during the taxable year.

Amends Section 1.1(a) of SL 2014-3, concerning federal taxable income deductions, making a clarifying change.

Amends GS 105-134.6A, concerning definitions for provisions concerning the decoupling from federal accelerated depreciation, making organizational changes and setting out and defining the term *owner in a transferor*. Effective for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2013.

Amends GS 105-153.6, concerning definitions for provisions concerning the decoupling from federal accelerated depreciation, making organizational changes and setting out and defining the term *owner in a transferor*. Effective for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2014.

Prohibits the Secretary of Revenue from imposing interest with respect to an underpayment of income tax to the extent that the underpayment was created or increased by the changes in Section 2.2 of SL 2014-3. Provides that a withholding agent is not liable for the amount of tax the agent fails to withhold to the extent the amount not withheld was created or increased by those same changes. Effective when the section becomes law and applies to taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2014, and before January 1, 2015, and to payroll periods beginning on or after January 1, 2014, and before January 1, 2015.

Amends GS 105-164.3(35), making technical changes and adding new language that provides that a person, other than a facilitator, required to collect the tax levied under GS 105-164.4(a) is defined as a retailer for the purposes of GS Chapter 105, Article 5.

Amends GS 105-164.4G, clarifying that the sale at retail and the use, storage, or consumption in North Carolina of specified gross receipts from an entertainment activity admission charge are exempt from the tax imposed by GS Chapter 105, Article 5 (previously, did not include the sale at retail and the use, storage, or consumption language). Clarifies that an admission charge (was, admission) to an entertainment activity is sourced to the location where admission to the activity may be gained by person.

Amends GS 105-164.13, Retail sales and use tax, adding piped natural gas to exemptions detailed in GS 105-164.13(8a), (10), and (57). Effective July 1, 2014.

Amends GS 105-164.13E, as amended by SL 2014-3, to add piped natural gas to the list of tangible personal property, digital property, and services that are exempt from sales and use tax if purchased by the qualifying farmer for use in farming operations. Defines the term *taxable year* as having the same meaning as defined in GS 105-153.3.

Amends Section 3.1(d) of SL 2014-3 to provide a person who has an agricultural exemption certificate number issued before July 1, 2014, meeting the requirements of GS 105-164.13E for a qualifying farmer should apply for a new agricultural exemption certificate number before July 1, 2014, for use for qualifying purchases made on or after January 1, 2015 (was, October 1, 2014). Makes conforming changes.

Amends GS 105-164.16A, as enacted by SL 2014-3, creating a subsection (a) and adding a new subsection (b).

Amends subsection (a) to provide a retailer (was, taxpayer) that offers (was, that offers to sell) a prepaid meal plan

subject to the tax imposed by GS 105-164.4 an option as to how the sales tax will be remitted to the Secretary of Revenue (Secretary) and a return filed under GS 105-164.16. Provides that when a retailer enters into an agreement with a food service contractor who agrees to provide food under a prepaid meal plan, and the food service contractor is also a retailer under this Article, then the retailer may include in the agreement that the food service contractor is liable for reporting (was, collecting) and remitting the sales tax due on the gross receipts from the prepaid meal plan on the behalf of the retailer. Directs that tax payments received by a food service contractor from a retailer are held in trust by the food service contractor for remittance to the Secretary. Requires a food service contractor to remit the amount of a tax payment received from a retailer to the Secretary. Provides that a food service contractor is not liable for tax due but not received from a retailer. Makes a retailer liable for the tax due on the gross receipts derived from a prepaid meal plan if the retailer fails to send the tax due to the food service contractor. Enacts new subsection (b) of GS 105-164.16A to add provisions regarding the basis of reporting gross receipts derived from a prepaid meal plan.

Amends GS 105-164.20 to require a retailer of electricity, telecommunications service, piped natural gas, and prepaid meal plans to report its sales on an accrual basis (was, retailers of electricity and telecommunications service must report sales on an accrual basis) for the purposes of this Article. Provides that the tax on the sales price or gross receipts derived from the sale accrues when the retailer bills its customer for the sale or gross receipts (was, for the sale).

Amends GS 105-164.29(a), as amended by Section 14.9(b) of SL 2014-3, to provide that a certificate of registration must be signed by a manager, member, or company official (was, partner) if the owner is a limited liability company (was, if the owner is an association, a partnership, or a limited liability company). Provides that if the owner is a partnership, the certificate of registration must be signed by a manager, member, or partner.

Amends GS 105-241.6(b)(5) to make clarifying and organizational changes regarding exceptions to the general statute of limitations for obtaining a refund of an overpayment in the case of a contingent event.

Amends GS 105-338(c), as amended by Section 11.1(e) of SL 2014-3, regarding the allocation of appraised valuation of public service property among local taxing units. Deletes the appraised valuation of the tangible personal property of a mobile telecommunications company from the tangible personal property that is appraised under the provisions of this subsection. Instead provides for the appraised valuations of the tangible personal property of mobile telecommunications companies pursuant to GS 105-339 as amended by Section 11.1(f) of SL 2014-3. Effective for taxes imposed for taxable years beginning on or after July 1, 2015. Makes a technical change.

Repeals Section 11.1(g) of SL 2014-3 regarding certification of appraised valuations of mobile telecommunications companies.

Enacts new subsection (b) to GS 160A-206. Prohibits a city from imposing a license, franchise, or privilege tax on a person engaged in any of the following businesses: (1) supplying piped natural gas, (2) providing telecommunications service taxed under GS 105-164.4(a)(4c), (3) Providing video programming taxed under GS 105-164.4(a)(6), and (4) providing electricity. Provides that these businesses are either subject to sales tax at the combined general rate for which the city receives a share of the tax revenue or they are subject to the local sales tax. Enacts new subsection (b) to GS 153A-146 to prohibit a county from imposing a license, franchise, or privilege tax on a person engaged in any of the businesses as listed in new subsection (b) of GS 160A-206.

Clarifies that the Department of Revenue can draw the funds needed from sales tax to make distributions of the repealed franchise tax on electricity and excise tax on piped natural gas, specifically the September 15, 2014, distributions, for the calendar quarter that begins April 1, 2014, to cities under GS 105-116.1 and GS 105-187.44.

Amends GS 105-153.3 and GS 105-153.5(a)(1), to add and define the term surviving spouse for the purposes of the Individual Income Tax Act and to add that term to the standard deduction amount table in GS 105-153.5(a)(1). Effective for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2014.

Amends GS 105-134.1 and GS 105-134.6(a2) to add and define *surviving spouse* and add it to the standard deduction table found in GS 105-134.6(a2). Effective retroactively for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2012, and

before January 1, 2014.

Amends GS 105-164.13B(a)(4) to delete a reference to a previously repealed statute. Adds language defining, for the purpose of the subdivision, a *related person*, meaning a person described in one of the relationships set out in section 267(b) or 707(b) of the Tax Code.

Includes a severability clause. Makes conforming changes to the bill title.

Intro. by Presnell.

Durham, Forsyth, Guilford, Mecklenburg, Orange, Wake, GS 78A, GS 105, GS 115D, GS 132, GS 143B, GS 153A, GS 158, GS 160A

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Development, Land Use and Housing, Community and Economic Development, Employment and Retirement, Government, Public Records and Open Meetings, Tax, Local Government, Health and Human Services, Social Services, Public Assistance

PUBLIC/SENATE BILLS

S 763 (2013-2014) [REVENUE LAWS TECH. CHANGES AND OTHER CHANGES](#). Filed May 14 2014, *A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING CHANGES TO VARIOUS REVENUE LAWS; TO MODIFY THE RENEWABLE ENERGY TAX CREDIT; AND TO MODIFY AND EXTEND THE HISTORIC REHABILITATION TAX CREDIT.*

House amendments to the 5th edition, as amended, make the following changes.

Amendment #3 amends GS 143B-437.012, concerning eligibility for a grant from The Job Maintenance and Capital Development Fund, adding new conditions for eligibility. New conditions include that the business be a major employer, with the project for which funds are requested having to be located in a development tier one area at the time the business applies for the grant. Also new, a business can be eligible for a grant if it is a large manufacturing employer that is converting its manufacturing process to change the product it manufactures or is investing in its process by enhancing pollution controls or transitioning the manufacturing process from using coal to using natural gas for the purpose of becoming more energy efficient or reducing emissions, as well as being certified by the Department of Commerce that it has invested or plans to invest at least \$50 million of private funds (was, \$65 million) in improvements to real property and additions to tangible personal property within a five-year period (was, three-year). Deletes a requirement that the large manufacturing business must be located in a tier one development area in order to be eligible for a grant. However, sets out that to be eligible, certain employment levels must be met and maintained depending on the category of the development area the business is located in. The business can be located in either a tier one or tier two development area, with different employment requirements depending on the tier. Tier one location would roughly require that 320 full-time employees be employed by the project subject to the grant with tier two location requiring 800 full-time employees if the tier two area has a population of less than 60,000 as of July 1, 2013.

Establishes that the Department of Commerce cannot enter into more than five agreements/grants, with total aggregate cost not to exceed \$79 million (was, \$69 million).

Effective July 1, 2014.

Amendment #5 repeals GS 143B-131.7, which required the Attorney General to assign legal counsel to the Roanoke Island Commission.

Amendment #6 amends GS 74F-16 to provide that GS Chapter 74F (Locksmith Licensing Act) does not apply to a merchant, or retail or hardware store if it: (1) is lawfully duplicating keys or installing, servicing, repairing, rebuilding, reprogramming, rekeying, or maintaining locks in the normal course of its business; (2) maintains a physical location in the state; (3) maintains a sales and use tax permit; and (4) does not represent itself as a locksmith.

Provides that if Senate Bill 734 (Regulatory Reform Act of 2014) becomes law, Section 2.5 (excluding from the Locksmith Licensing Act a merchant, or retail or hardware store, when the merchant or store does not purport to be a locksmith and lawfully (1) rekeys a lock at the time of sale of the lock; (2) duplicates a key, including a transponder type key that requires programming; or (3) installs a lock on a door if both the door and lock were purchased from the same merchant) is repealed.

Intro. by Rabon, Rucho.

[GS 74F](#), [GS 105](#), [GS 143B](#), [GS 153A](#), [GS 160A](#)

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Business and Commerce, Occupational Licensing, Government, Tax, Local Government

S 853 (2013-2014) [BUSINESS COURT MODERNIZATION](#). Filed May 27 2014, *A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODERNIZE THE BUSINESS COURT BY MAKING TECHNICAL, CLARIFYING, AND ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES TO THE PROCEDURES FOR COMPLEX BUSINESS CASES, TO STREAMLINE THE PROCESS OF CORPORATE REORGANIZATION UTILIZING HOLDING COMPANIES, TO VALIDATE CORPORATE FORUM SELECTION PROVISIONS CONTAINED IN ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION AND BYLAWS, AND TO CREATE A WORKING GROUP TO STUDY JUDICIAL EFFICIENCY AND BUSINESS COURT MODERNIZATION.*

Clarifications & Corrections to the conference report summary:

Amends GS 7A-45.3 to exempt an order effecting a settlement agreement or a jury verdict from the orders in connection with which the presiding Business Court judge is required to issue a written opinion.

Amends GS 7A-45.4 to delete the exception preventing parties from designating disputes that involve enforcing a noncompetition or nonsolicitation covenant against an individual employee as a mandatory complex business case.

Intro. by Rucho, Barringer.

[GS 1A](#), [GS 7A](#), [GS 55](#)

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Business and Commerce, Corporation and Partnerships, Courts/Judiciary, Civil, Civil Law

S 881 (2013-2014) [ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE](#). Filed Jun 11 2014, *A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE OF THE 2013 REGULAR SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.*

Senate amendment makes the following changes to the 2nd edition:

Deletes provisions that provided that when convened for sessions on August 14, 2014, and November 17, 2014, the Senate and House of Representatives can consider matters in conference where conferees have been appointed by both chambers on or before August 2, 2014.

Provides that when the General Assembly convenes for session on August 14, 2014, and November 17, 2014, both chambers can consider bills in which the General Assembly makes an appointment or appointments to public office

with no other matter included may be considered.

Provides that bills relating to coal ash management may be considered by the General Assembly when it convenes on November 17, 2014.

Intro. by Apodaca.

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[Government, General Assembly](#)

S 883 (2013-2014) [MITIGATION BUFFER RULE/WASTEWATER TREATMENT \(NEW\)](#). Filed Jun 26 2014, *AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE THE MITIGATION PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS FOR PROTECTION AND MAINTENANCE OF RIPARIAN BUFFERS RULE ADOPTED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION, DIRECT THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION TO ADOPT A NEW MITIGATION PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS FOR PROTECTION AND MAINTENANCE OF RIPARIAN BUFFERS RULE, AND AMEND WASTEWATER DISPOSAL SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS.*

AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE THE MITIGATION PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS FOR PROTECTION AND MAINTENANCE OF RIPARIAN BUFFERS RULE ADOPTED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION, DIRECT THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION TO ADOPT A NEW MITIGATION PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS FOR PROTECTION AND MAINTENANCE OF RIPARIAN BUFFERS RULE, AND AMEND WASTEWATER DISPOSAL SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS.
Enacted August 1, 2014. Effective August 1, 2014.

Intro. by Brock.

[GS 143](#)

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[Environment, Environment/Natural Resources, Health and Human Services, Health, Public Health](#)

LOCAL/HOUSE BILLS

H 1218 (2013-2014) [MONROE ATTORNEY/ CABARRUS COMM](#). Filed May 27 2014, *A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF MONROE TO REMOVE THE PROVISION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO HAVE DIRECT SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY OVER THE CITY ATTORNEY AND TO PROVIDE THAT VACANCIES ON THE CABARRUS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS ARE NOT FILLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH G.S. 153A-27.1.*

AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF MONROE TO REMOVE THE PROVISION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO HAVE DIRECT SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY OVER THE CITY ATTORNEY AND TO PROVIDE THAT VACANCIES ON THE CABARRUS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS ARE NOT FILLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH G.S. 153A-27.1. Enacted August 1, 2014.
Effective August 1, 2014.

Intro. by Horn, Arp, Brody.

[Cabarrus, Union](#)

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ACTIONS ON BILLS**PUBLIC BILLS****H 27: ESCHEAT SAVINGS BOND TRUST FUND/SCHOLARSHIPS.**

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Ch. SL 2014-93

H 101: SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE DEVELOPMENT PROCESS.

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Ch. SL 2014-96

H 272: DOT/DMV CHANGES #2

House: Conf Report Adopted

House: Ordered Enrolled

H 366: NC FARM ACT OF 2014 (NEW).

House: Conf Report Adopted 3rd

House: Ordered Enrolled

H 625: ZONING/HEALTH CARE STRUCTURE.

Signed by Gov. 8/1/2014

Ch. SL 2014-94

H 1133: TECHNICAL AND OTHER CORRECTIONS.

House: Added to Calendar

House: Reconsidered Concurrence

House: Concurred In S/Com Sub

House: Ordered Enrolled

House: Ordered Enrolled

H 1145: REGISTRATION FOR MOPEDS.

Ratified

Pres. To Gov. 8/1/2014

H 1193: RETIREMENT TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS ACT OF 2014.

Signed by Gov. 8/1/2014

Ch. SL 2014-97

H 1224: LOCAL SALES TAX OPTIONS/ECON. DEVPT. CHANGES (NEW).

Senate: Conf Report Adopted

House: Withdrawn From Cal

House: Re-ref Com On Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

S 163: RECLAIMED WATER AS A SOURCE WATER. (NEW)

Ratified

Pres. To Gov. 08/01/2014

S 193: MODIFY P3 ETHICS REPORTING REQUIREMENTS*Ratified**Pres. To Gov. 08/01/2014***S 403: OMNIBUS ELECTION CLARIFICATIONS (NEW).***Senate: Concurred In H/Com Sub**Senate: Ordered Enrolled**Ratified**Pres. To Gov. 08/01/2014***S 648: NC COMMERCE PROTECTION ACT OF 2014 (NEW).***Ratified**Pres. To Gov. 08/01/2014***S 729: COAL ASH MANAGEMENT ACT OF 2014 (NEW).***Senate: Withdrawn From Cal**Senate: Re-ref Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate***S 744: APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2014.***Senate: Conf Report Adopted 3rd**House: Conf Report Adopted 2nd***S 763: REVENUE LAWS TECH. CHANGES AND OTHER CHANGES.***House: Amend Adopted A3***S 853: BUSINESS COURT MODERNIZATION.***House: Conf Report Adopted***S 881: ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE.***Senate: Amend Adopted A1**Senate: Passed 2nd Reading**Senate: Passed 3rd Reading**Engrossed**Senate: Special Message Sent To House**House: Special Message Received From Senate**House: Passed 1st Reading**House: Ref To Com On Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House***S 883: MITIGATION BUFFER RULE/WASTEWATER TREATMENT (NEW).***Signed by Gov. 8/1/2014**Ch. SL 2014-95***LOCAL BILLS****H 1054: SPINDALE/CAPE FEAR SEWER FEE COLLECTION.***House: Conf Report Adopted**House: Ordered Enrolled***H 1218: MONROE ATTORNEY/ CABARRUS COMM.***Ratified**Ch. SL 2014-92*

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