

The Daily Bulletin: 2023-06-19

#### PUBLIC/HOUSE BILLS

H 87 (2023-2024) PROBATION MODIFICATIONS/SHERIFF AUTHORITY. (NEW) Filed Feb 9 2023, AN ACT TO ALLOW DISTRICT ATTORNEYS TO FILE PROBATION MODIFICATION PETITIONS, TO ALLOW PROBATION OFFICERS TO REDUCE A TERM OF SUPERVISED PROBATION IN CERTAIN INSTANCES, AND TO EXEMPT SHERIFF'S OFFICES FROM CERTAIN STATE CONTRACTING REQUIREMENTS WHEN CONTRACTING FOR FOOD AND FOOD SERVICES AT DETENTION FACILITIES.

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Intro. by N. Jackson, Stevens, Carson Smith, Biggs. GS 7A, GS 15A, GS 143

View summary

Courts/Judiciary, Criminal Justice, Corrections (Sentencing/Probation), Criminal Law and Procedure, Government, Public Safety and Emergency Management

H 103 (2023-2024) GSC TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS 2023. Filed Feb 13 2023, AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AND SESSION LAWS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION.

AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AND SESSION LAWS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION. SL 2023-46. Enacted June 16, 2023. Effective June 16, 2023, except as otherwise provided.

Intro. by Davis.

GS 1, GS 17F, GS 20, GS 36C, GS 41, GS 74C, GS 90, GS 93B, GS 130A, GS 143B, GS 150B, GS 160D

View summary

Animals, Business and Commerce, Occupational Licensing, Courts/Judiciary, Civil, Civil Law, Motor Vehicle, Development, Land Use and Housing, Land Use, Planning and Zoning, Property and Housing, Government, APA/Rule Making, Cultural Resources and Museums, Public Safety and Emergency Management, State Agencies, Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Department of Environmental Quality (formerly DENR), Health and Human Services, Health, Health Care Facilities and Providers, Public Health

## PUBLIC/SENATE BILLS

S 58 (2023-2024) PROTECT CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE. Filed Feb 1 2023, AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PUNISHMENT FOR PROPERTY CRIMES COMMITTED AGAINST UTILITIES, INCLUDING FACILITIES INVOLVED IN THE TRANSMISSION OF TELEPHONE, BROADBAND, BROADCAST, OR CABLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES AND FACILITIES INVOLVED IN THE PRODUCTION, STORAGE, TRANSMISSION, OR DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRICITY, FUEL, OR ANOTHER FORM OR SOURCE OF ENERGY.

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Intro. by McInnis, Britt, P. Newton.

GS 1D, GS 14

View summary

Courts/Judiciary, Criminal Justice, Criminal Law and Procedure, Government, Public Safety and Emergency Management, Public Enterprises and Utilities

S 299 (2023-2024) REIMBURSE LATE AUDIT COSTS WITH SALES TAX REV. Filed Mar 13 2023, AN ACT TO INCREASE COMPLIANCE BY COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES THAT FAIL TO TIMELY SUBMIT AN ANNUAL AUDIT REPORT.

The Governor vetoed the act on June 19, 2023. The Governor's objections and veto message are available here: https://webservices.ncleg.gov/ViewBillDocument/2023/6260/0/S299-BILL-NBC-10917.

Intro. by Barnes, Johnson.

GS 159

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Government, Tax, Local Government

S 329 (2023-2024) RETAIL INSTALLMENT SALES ACT AMENDMENTS. Filed Mar 16 2023, AN ACT TO AMEND THE RETAIL INSTALLMENT SALES ACT.

The Governor vetoed the act on June 19, 2023. The Governor's objections and veto message are available here: https://webservices.ncleg.gov/ViewBillDocument/2023/6258/0/S329-BILL-NBC-10915.

Intro. by Perry, Britt.

**GS 25A** 

View summary

Banking and Finance, Business and Commerce

S 331 (2023-2024) CONSUMER FINANCE ACT AMENDMENTS. Filed Mar 20 2023, AN ACT TO AMEND THE NORTH CAROLINA CONSUMER FINANCE ACT.

The Governor vetoed the act on June 19, 2023. The Governor's objections and veto message are available here: https://webservices.ncleg.gov/ViewBillDocument/2023/6259/0/S331-BILL-NBC-10916.

Intro. by Perry, Britt.

GS 53, GS 53C

View summary

**Banking and Finance** 

S 364 (2023-2024) NONDISCRIMIN & DIGNITY IN STATE WORK. (NEW) Filed Mar 23 2023, AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATE HUMAN RESOURCES ACT TO PROHIBIT COMPELLED SPEECH WHEN AN INDIVIDUAL SEEKS STATE GOVERNMENT OR COMMUNITY COLLEGE EMPLOYMENT, TO DEMONSTRATE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY'S INTENT THAT STATE AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE EMPLOYEES RECOGNIZE THE EQUALITY AND RIGHTS OF ALL PERSONS, AND TO PROHIBIT STATE GOVERNMENT AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE WORKPLACES FROM PROMOTING CERTAIN CONCEPTS THAT ARE CONTRARY TO THAT INTENT.

GS 126

The Governor vetoed the act on June 16, 2023. The Governor's objections and veto message are available here: https://webservices.ncleg.gov/ViewBillDocument/2023/6254/0/S364-BILL-NBC-10913.

Intro. by Daniel, Johnson, Overcash.

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Employment and Retirement, Government, State

**Government, Executive, State Personnel** 

S 729 (2023-2024) CBBC WORKING GROUP CHANGES. Filed Apr 6 2023, AN ACT TO AMEND THE ANTI-PENSION SPIKING CONTRIBUTION-BASED BENEFIT CAP LAW FOR SCHOOL SYSTEMS AS BROUGHT FORWARD BY THE WORKING GROUP ESTABLISHED BY S.L. 2021-72 AND TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL TOOLS TO RESOLVE DISPUTED APPLICATIONS OF THE ANTI-PENSION SPIKING LAWS

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Intro. by Burgin, Krawiec, Ford. GS 135

View summary Employment and Retirement

# LOCAL/SENATE BILLS

S 179 (2023-2024) EXTEND SUNSET/BUNCOMBE/CC PROJECT/SPENCER MTN. (NEW) Filed Feb 28 2023, AN ACT TO EXTEND THE AUTHORIZATION FOR BUNCOMBE COUNTY TO CONSTRUCT COMMUNITY COLLEGE BUILDINGS ON THE CAMPUSES OF ASHEVILLE-BUNCOMBE TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE WITHIN THE COUNTY AND TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE SUSPENSION OF THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF SPENCER MOUNTAIN.

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Intro. by Mayfield, Daniel.

Buncombe, Gaston

View summary Education, Higher Education

S 265 (2023-2024) INCREASE MUNICIPAL ELECTION PARTICIPATION ACT. Filed Mar 9 2023, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS FOR MUNICIPALITIES IN HENDERSON, POLK, AND RUTHERFORD COUNTIES ARE HELD IN EVEN-NUMBERED YEARS; TO EXTEND THE TERMS OF THE MAYOR IN THE TOWN OF TRYON AND ALL ELECTED OFFICERS IN THE TOWN OF RUTH FROM TWO TO FOUR YEARS; AND TO PROVIDE FOR FOUR-YEAR TERMS OF OFFICE FOR ALL MEMBERS OF THE POLK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

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Intro. by Moffitt.

Henderson, Polk, Rutherford

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**Government, Elections** 

# **ACTIONS ON BILLS**

## **PUBLIC BILLS**

H 168: DNCR AGENCY BILL.-AB

Senate: Reptd Fav

H 186: DIV. OF JUVENILE JUSTICE MODS.-AB

Senate: Regular Message Sent To House

House: Regular Message Received For Concurrence in S Com Sub

H 364: 2023 UNC SELF-LIQUIDATING CAPITAL PROJECTS.

House: Ratified

H 455: EXPEDITE WATER/WASTEWATER FRANCHISE TRANSFER.

Senate: Reptd Fav

H 574: FAIRNESS IN WOMEN'S SPORTS ACT.

Senate: Reptd Fav

H 611: MODIFY TRAINING/STANDARDS COMMISSIONS POWER.

Senate: Regular Message Sent To House

House: Regular Message Received For Concurrence in S Com Sub

H 618: CHARTER SCHOOL REVIEW BOARD.

Senate: Reptd Fav

H 627: ON-SITE WASTEWATER RULES IMPLEMENTATION.

Senate: Reptd Fav

H 628: AMEND ON-SITE WASTEWATER/ENVIRONMENT STATUTES.

Senate: Withdrawn From Com

Senate: Re-ref to Finance. If fav, re-ref to Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 852: THE REP. BECKY CARNEY CARDIAC ARREST ACT.

House: Serial Referral To Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House Stricken

House: Withdrawn From Com

House: Re-ref to the Com on Health, if favorable, Appropriations, if favorable, Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

#### S 58: PROTECT CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE.

Senate: Signed by Gov. 6/19/2023

Senate: Ch. SL 2023-47

#### S 171: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AGENCY BILL.-AB

House: Withdrawn From Com

House: Re-ref to the Com on Judiciary 1, if favorable, Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

#### S 246: PROPERTY OWNERS PROTECTION ACT.

House: Withdrawn From Com

House: Re-ref to the Com on Judiciary 1, if favorable, Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

### S 299: REIMBURSE LATE AUDIT COSTS WITH SALES TAX REV.

Senate: Vetoed 06/19/2023

## S 329: RETAIL INSTALLMENT SALES ACT AMENDMENTS.

Senate: Vetoed 06/19/2023

#### S 331: CONSUMER FINANCE ACT AMENDMENTS.

Senate: Vetoed 06/19/2023

#### S 364: NONDISCRIMIN & DIGNITY IN STATE WORK. (NEW)

Senate: Placed On Cal For 06/20/2023

#### S 382: DENTAL PRACTICE ACT CHANGES.

Senate: Withdrawn From Com

Senate: Placed On Cal For 06/20/2023

# S 729: CBBC WORKING GROUP CHANGES.

Senate: Signed by Gov. 6/19/2023

Senate: Ch. SL 2023-48

# **LOCAL BILLS**

#### S 9: APEX TOWN COUNCIL TO APPOINT TOWN CLERK.

House: Withdrawn From Com

House: Re-ref to the Com on Local Government, if favorable, Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

### S 126: CITY OF ASHEVILLE/PARKING METER PROCEEDS.

Senate: Withdrawn From Com

Senate: Placed On Cal For 06/20/2023

# S 179: EXTEND SUNSET/BUNCOMBE/CC PROJECT/SPENCER MTN. (NEW)

Senate: Ratified

Senate: Ch. SL 2023-49

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