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PUBLIC/HOUSE BILLS

H 92 (2025-2026) [NC DIGITAL ASSETS INVESTMENTS ACT](#). Filed Feb 10 2025, *AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE TREASURER TO INVEST IN QUALIFYING DIGITAL ASSETS*.

House committee substitute to the 2nd edition makes the following changes.

Removes the content of previously proposed new GS 147-69.2E and replaces it with the following content. Allows the State Treasurer to invest the cash of the designated funds in digital assets only after obtaining an independent assessment by a third-party consultant that all of the following requirements for proposed assets have been met: (1) the digital assets are maintained with a secure custody solution; (2) the potential investment is appropriate for the designated fund's circumstances from a total portfolio perspective; and (3) the control environment meets institutional investment industry requirements for independent risk and compliance oversight, operational robustness, and regulatory compliance. Limits investments in digital assets from any of the designated funds to, in the aggregate, 5% of the balance of the designated fund.

Removes amendments to GS 147-69.1 (investments authorized for General Fund and Highway Fund assets) and GS 147-69.2 (investments authorized for special funds held by the State Treasurer).

Adds the following content.

Requires the State Treasurer to examine the feasibility of allowing members of the Supplemental Retirement Income Plan and members of the 457(b) Deferred Compensation Plan to elect to invest in digital assets held as exchange-traded products. If it is determined that such investment is appropriate and the Supplemental Retirement Board of Trustees agrees, then they may adopt rules allowing State employees to invest, including the specified provision in the rules.

Requires the State Bureau of Investigation, along with the State Treasurer, local law enforcement agencies, and other statewide law enforcement agencies, to study the feasibility of creating the North Carolina Digital Asset Reserve to retain digital assets seized and forfeited to the State; sets out issues to be include in the study. Requires a report on the study to the specified NCGA committee by March 1, 2026.

Provides that if H 506 (2025 State Investment Modernization Act) becomes law, then GS 147-69.2, as enacted in that act is repealed, and if S 709 (2025 State Investment Modernization Act) becomes law, then GS 147-69.2, as enacted in that act is repealed. Also provides, that if either of those bills become law, then GS 147-69.2E is amended to give the Investment Authority, rather than the State Treasurer, authority to invest cash of the designated funds in digital assets and requires approval from the Board of Directors based on the independent assessment by the third-party consultant.

Makes conforming changes to the act's long title.

Intro. by Ross, Brody, Schietzelt, D. Hall.

GS 147

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**Government, Budget/Appropriations, State Agencies,
Department of State Treasurer, State Government, Executive**

H 106 (2025-2026) [REVIVE HIGH-NEED RETIRED TEACHERS PROGRAM](#). Filed Feb 11 2025, *AN ACT TO REVIVE AND EXPAND THE PROGRAM ALLOWING RETIRED EDUCATORS TO RETURN TO WORK IN HIGH-NEED SCHOOLS*.

House committee substitute to the 2nd edition makes the following changes.

Amend GS 115C-302.4 by changing the definition of high-need retired teacher to refer to those who retired on or before May 1, 2025 (was, at least two months before the date on which the beneficiary is scheduled to be reemployed under the previous edition, and on or before February 1, 2019, in current law).

Amends the provisions concerning the private letter rule to now require the State Treasurer to seek a favorable private letter ruling from the IRS to determine that this act does not jeopardize the status of the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System (Retirement System) by the later of January 1st of the calendar year or within 120 days from this act becoming law. Repeals the act if the IRS declines to make a private letter ruling or does not issue a response by January 1, 2027. Also repeals the act if the IRS does not make a favorable determination that this act does not jeopardize the status of the Retirement System; the repeal would be on the last day of the month following the month of receipt of that determination by the State Treasurer.

Intro. by Carver.

[APPROP, GS 115C, GS 135](#)

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[Education, Elementary and Secondary Education, Employment and Retirement, Government, Budget/Appropriations, State Agencies, Department of State Treasurer](#)

H 146 (2025-2026) [REMOTE LICENSE RENEWAL/ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY](#). Filed Feb 17 2025, *AN ACT AUTHORIZING CONSECUTIVE REMOTE DRIVERS LICENSE RENEWALS FOR ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY*.

House committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Amends GS 20-7 to allow members of the US Armed Forces or a reserve component serving on active duty and stationed outside of North Carolina to renew their drivers licenses remotely if either: (1) the license being renewed is not REAL ID compliant, or (2) the license being renewed is REAL ID compliant but is being converted to a non-REAL ID compliant license for purposes of the renewal (was, allowed even if their most recent renewal was remote without regard to REAL ID compliance).

Intro. by Campbell, Lowery.

[GS 20](#)

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[Courts/Judiciary, Motor Vehicle, Government, State Agencies, Department of Transportation, Military and Veteran's Affairs, Transportation](#)

H 364 (2025-2026) [STIP GRANT ANTICIPATION NOTES](#). Filed Mar 11 2025, *AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO BORROW MONEY FOR THE PURPOSE OF ACCELERATING A LOCAL TRANSPORTATION PROJECT THAT IS IDENTIFIED FOR FUNDING UNDER THE STATE TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (STIP)*.

House committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Amends GS 159-171 by making technical and clarifying changes.

Amends the requirement that the Department of the State Treasurer, in consultation with the Department of Transportation, adopt rules to make sure they are consistent with Article 9 (was, Article 4) of GS Chapter 159. Makes other technical changes.

Intro. by Winslow, Chesser, Tyson, Paré.

[GS 136, GS 159](#)

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[Government, State Agencies, Department of State Treasurer, Department of Transportation, Transportation](#)

H 376 (2025-2026) [VARIOUS ON-SITE WASTEWATER & WELL PROVISIONS](#). Filed Mar 11 2025, *AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES TO ON-SITE WASTEWATER PROVISIONS AND TO MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES TO THE PRIVATE DRINKING WATER WELL PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION AND PERMITTING*.

House committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Makes the changes to GS 90A-77 and GS 90A-78 effective January 1, 2026, and applicable to applications for certification or certificate renewal on or after that date.

Amends GS 130A-335 to require that the Department determine the validity of proposals from local boards of health seeking modifications or addition to rules established by the Commission based on whether the rules are at least as stringent as those adopted by the Commission and necessary to protect the public health (was, based solely on the necessity to protect public health).

Amends GS 130A-336 to allow the owner of the site where an on-site wastewater system is proposed for installation to waive the site verification before the start of construction of the wastewater system (was, the owner of the site where an on-site wastewater system is proposed for installation may waive the right to a verification visit) by submitting the verification waiver form. Amends the liability waiver provision so that it applies to site condition changes after the issuance of a Construction Authorization no longer limiting it to any Construction Authorization issued after receiving a verification waiver form from the site owner.

Adds the requirement that the application Submittal Rule, 15A NCAC 02T .0604, be implemented so that a letter from either the local county health department or a certified Authorized On-Site Wastewater Evaluator denying the site for all subsurface systems be submitted to the Division by the applicant. Requires adopting a new permanent rule consistent with these provisions, at which time this section will expire.

Amends GS 87-96 reinstating the provision concerning conflicts with other laws by providing that any law, rule, or local ordinance establishing standards for testing groundwater resources will prevail over the provisions of Article 7 (North Carolina Well Construction Act) and rules adopted under the Article. Allows a local board of health to adopt more stringent rules for testing of water resources when necessary to protect the public health.

Amends GS 87-97 to require counties to implement the private drinking water well permitting and inspection (was, permitting, inspection, and testing program) established and adopted by the Environmental Management Commission.

Amends GS 130A-39 by excepting testing standards under GS 87-96 from the prohibition on local boards of health from adopting rules concerning the permitting of private water wells.

Intro. by Brody, Zenger, Riddell.

[STUDY, GS 87, GS 90A, GS 130A](#)

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[Government, State Agencies, Department of Environmental Quality \(formerly DENR\), Department of Health and Human Services, Local Government, Health and Human Services, Health, Public Health, Public Enterprises and Utilities](#)

H 381 (2025-2026) [ON-SITE WASTEWATER SYSTEM AMENDMENTS](#). Filed Mar 12 2025, *AN ACT TO AMEND THE ON-SITE SUBSURFACE WASTEWATER STATUTES AND TO MODIFY THE APPROVAL PROCESS FOR CERTAIN ADVANCED TREATMENT SYSTEMS AS INNOVATIVE WASTEWATER SYSTEMS*.

House committee substitute to the 2nd edition makes the following change.

Amends the definition of advanced pretreatment in GS 130A-334 by adding that *advanced pretreatment* must be part of a ground absorption system.

Intro. by Warren, Huneycutt, Gillespie, Zenger.

[GS 130A](#)

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Government, State Agencies, Department of Health and Human Services, Health and Human Services, Health, Public Health, Public Enterprises and Utilities

H 472 (2025-2026) **COMMERCIAL VEHICLE & AMP CARGO PROTECTION**. Filed Mar 20 2025, *AN ACT TO ENACT THE COMMERCIAL VEHICLE AND CARGO PROTECTION ACT*.

House committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Amends new GS 20-219.3A, by specifying that the prohibition on immobilizing a commercial vehicle using a device such as a boot is when it is done for the purpose of parking enforcement. Makes violations a Class 2 misdemeanor (was, deemed a misdemeanor).

Amends new GS 20-219.15, requiring a tower of a nonconsensual tow or a tow under the direction of a law-enforcement officer (was, government-initiated tow) to promptly return any commercial cargo towed by the tower to the owner of the commercial cargo or to a designee of the owner upon request (request was not required under the previous edition). Allows for trailers that are towed to be exchanged for another trailer of similar type that is in working condition and was manufactured within five years of the manufacturing date of the original trailer, or newer, as arranged by the commercial cargo owner (was, a trailer in equal or better condition so that the owner of the trailer containing the commercial cargo gets the cargo back).

Intro. by Branson, Loftis, Schietzelt, Hawkins.

[GS 20](#)

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Courts/Judiciary, Motor Vehicle, Criminal Justice, Criminal Law and Procedure

H 506 (2025-2026) **2025 STATE INVESTMENT MODERNIZATION ACT.-AB** Filed Mar 24 2025, *AN ACT TO ENACT THE 2025 STATE INVESTMENT MODERNIZATION ACT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STATE TREASURER*.

House committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Section 3.

Removes proposed GS 147-69.2E, which allowed the Investment Authority to invest the cash of the designated funds in digital assets upon approval of the Board of Directors. Makes a conforming change to GS 147-69.2 by amending one of the investment options available to the Investment Authority by no longer including any invested digital assets to the aggregate market value of all assets under specified provision that could not exceed 80% of the market value of all invested assets.

Intro. by B. Jones, K. Hall, Ross, Tyson.

[GS 135, GS 143, GS 147](#)

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Banking and Finance, Government, Budget/Appropriations, State Agencies, Department of State Treasurer, State Government, State Personnel, State Property

H 569 (2025-2026) **PFAS POLLUTION AND POLLUTER LIABILITY**. Filed Mar 27 2025, *AN ACT TO PROTECT THE CITIZENS OF NORTH CAROLINA FROM DRINKING WATER CONTAMINATED BY GENX AND OTHER PFAS COMPOUNDS*.

House committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Amends new GS 130A-19.1 by amending the items excluded from the definition of PFAS manufacturer to now exclude a person that uses previously made PFAs compounds (was, PFAS materials or items) obtained from a PFAS manufacturer.

Intro. by Davis, Iler, Wheatley, Reives.

APPROP, GS 130A

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Environment, Environment/Natural Resources, Government, Budget/Appropriations, State Agencies, Department of Environmental Quality (formerly DENR)

H 822 (2025-2026) [MOPED REGULATION](#). Filed Apr 8 2025, *AN ACT TO MODIFY LAWS GOVERNING OPERATION OF MOPEDS*.

House committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Amends GS 20-146 by making violations subject to citation for obstruction of traffic (was, an infraction) when operating a moped on a highway in any lane other than the right-hand side of the right-hand lane available for through traffic where the posted speed limit is greater than 35 miles per hour, unless the operator is preparing for a left turn. Removes the prohibition on a person operating a moped on a highway where the posted speed limit is greater than 35 miles per hour.

Intro. by Adams, Shepard, Setzer.

GS 20

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Courts/Judiciary, Motor Vehicle

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S 245 (2025-2026) [THE RAKIM SHACKLEFORD EMBALMING FLUID ACT](#). Filed Mar 5 2025, *AN ACT TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF CRIMINAL POSSESSION AND UNLAWFUL SALE OF EMBALMING FLUID AND TO MAKE OTHER TECHNICAL REVISIONS*.

Senate committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Changes the number of the new Article in GS Chapter 90 from 5H to 5I and renumbers the new statute to GS 90-113.154 (was, GS 90-113.107).

Intro. by B. Newton, Lazzara, Brinson.

GS 90

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Business and Commerce, Occupational Licensing, Courts/Judiciary, Criminal Justice, Criminal Law and Procedure

S 257 (2025-2026) [2025 APPROPRIATIONS ACT](#). Filed Mar 10 2025, *AN ACT TO MAKE BASE BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS FOR CURRENT OPERATIONS OF STATE AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, AND INSTITUTIONS*.

Senate amendments to the 2nd edition make the following changes.

Part V. General Provisions

Section 5.12 Increase Penalty for Participating in Pyramid Disruption Plan

Amendment #14 adds a section amending GS 14-291.2 to make it a Class 1 misdemeanor (was, Class 2 misdemeanor) to participate in or otherwise promote a pyramid distribution plan. Makes additional technical changes. Applies to offenses committed on or after December 1, 2025.

Section 5.18 Conforming Change to Financial Transaction Card Crime Act

Amendment #38 adds a section amending GS 14-113.7A specifying that the Article 19A (Obtaining Property or Services by False or Fraudulent Use of Credit Device or Other Means) does not apply to a financial transaction card.

Section 5.19 Repeal Obsolete Article

Amendment #18 adds a new section repealing Article 15A (Investigation of Offenses Involving Abandonment and Nonsupport of Children) of GS Chapter 15.

Section 5.22 Make Language Gender-Neutral Throughout Geologists Licensing Act

Amendment #23 adds a new section amending the following statutes to make language gender neutral and make additional clarifying and technical changes: GS 89E-3, GS 89E-4, GS 89E-6, GS 89E-7, GS 89E-8, GS 89E-9 (also removes outdated language), GS 89E-11, GS 89E-13, GS 89E-14, GS 89E-18 (also removes outdated language), GS 89E-19, GS 89E-22, and GS 89E-24.

Section 5.24 Repeal Obsolete Article

Amendment #40 adds a new section repealing Article 3 (Control over Child-Caring Facilities) of GS Chapter 110.

Section 5.25 Making Language Gender-Neutral in Child Support Statute

Amendment #25 adds a new section amending GS 110-130 to make language gender neutral, and to make clarifying and technical changes.

Section 5.29 Repeal Duplicative Statute

Amendment #20 adds a new section that repeals GS 121-42 (setting out the name of the Article).

Section 5.34 Delete Obsolete References to the Noncommercial Leaking Petroleum Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Fund

Amendment #49 adds a section making the following changes.

Repeals: GS 143-215.94A(5) (defining *Loan Fund*); GS 143-215.94B(b)(6) (allowed expenses under the Storage Tank Cleanup Fund-reimbursement to the State for damages or other costs), GS 143-215.94B(b)(12) (allowed expenses under the Storage Tank Cleanup Fund-compensation to third parties for bodily injury and property damage in excess of \$100,000); GS 143-215.94F (limited amnesty for certain underground storage tanks operated prior to October 1, 1989); and GS 143-215.94P (groundwater protection loan fund).

Makes technical, organizational changes to the definitions contained in GS 143-215.94A(2)(2a) and (7). Removes requirement that pipeline facility regulated by certain State laws be intrastate facilities to qualify under the pipeline facility exception to *commercial underground storage tank* definition. Removes the listed exceptions from the definition of *noncommercial underground storage tank*. Now limits the definition to the following storage tanks: (1) farm or residential underground storage tank of 1,100 gallons or less capacity used for storing motor fuel for noncommercial purposes; (2) underground storage tank of 1,100 gallons or less capacity used for storing heating oil for consumptive use on the premises where stored; and (3) underground storage tank of more than 1,100 gallon capacity used for storing heating oil for consumptive use on the premises where stored by four or fewer households.

Makes technical changes and conforming changes to account for repeal of commercial underground storage tank cleanup fund to GS 143-215.94E (concerning owner/operator rights under the Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Fund).

Makes conforming changes to account for repeal of noncommercial underground storage tank cleanup fund to GS 143-215.94G (authority of Department of Environmental Quality [DEQ]), GS 143-215.94V (standards for petroleum underground storage tank cleanups) as amended by Section 23(1) of the act, and GS 143B-426.40A(l) (assignment of claims against the State).

Section 5.35 Update Obsolete Reference and Other Conforming Changes in Administrative Law

Amendment #49 makes the following changes.

Recodifies the last sentence of GS 150B-37(c) under GS 150B-34 and requires the Office of Administrative Hearings to forward a written copy of an administrative law judge's final decision or order (was, final decision) to the parties. Makes additional clarifying and technical changes.

Amends GS 90A-30, concerning penalties for violations of GS 90A-29, and GS 104E-24, concerning administrative penalties, by updating statutory cross-references and making additional clarifying, conforming, and technical changes.

Amends GS 108A-70.9A to require the Office of Administrative Hearings, instead of the administrative law judge, to forward a written copy of the judge's decision to the Department and the recipient in accordance with GS 150B-34; makes conforming changes. Makes conforming changes to GS 108A-70.9B and GS 108D-16.

Amends GS 122C-24, concerning adverse action on a license, by removing the provision concerning sharing the decision when an appeal is filed concerning the denial, suspension, amendment, or revocation of a license. Amends GS 122C-24.1, GS 131D-34, and GS 131E-129, concerning penalties, by making conforming and clarifying changes. Amends GS 143-215.94G by making clarifying and technical changes and removing unnecessary language.

Section 5.36 Repeal Obsolete Article

Amendment #51 adds a new section that repeals Article 29A (Governor's Council on Employment of the Handicapped) of GS Chapter 143.

Part VI. Community College System

Section 6.10 No Financial Benefit for CC Students Convicted of Assaulting Officers or Employees of the State

Amendment #32 adds a new section amending GS 115D-3 requiring the State Board of Community Colleges to adopt a policy prohibiting the Community Colleges System Office and community colleges from providing a State-funded scholarship or grant to any student convicted of assaulting an officer or employee of the State or any political subdivision of the State, while enrolled as a student. Makes the prohibition begin with the semester or academic term following the conviction. Applies to offenses committed on or after December 1, 2025.

Part VIII. The University of North Carolina System

Section 8.27 No Financial Benefit for UNC Students Convicted of Assaulting Officers or Employees of the State

Amendment #32 adds a new section amending GS 116-11 requiring the UNC Board of Governors to adopt a policy prohibiting UNC and its constituent institutions from providing a State-funded scholarship or grant to any student convicted of assaulting an officer or employee of the State or any political subdivision of the State, while enrolled as a student. Makes the prohibition begin with the semester or academic term following the conviction.

Enacts new GS 116-143.2A disqualifying a person enrolled at an institution of higher education from receiving in-State tuition if they have been convicted of assaulting an officer or employee of the State or its political subdivision while enrolled. Makes the disqualification begin with the semester or academic term following the conviction.

Enacts new GS 116-209.19B requiring the Authority to adopt a rule prohibiting a student from receiving a State-funded scholarship or grant if the student has been convicted of assaulting an officer or employee of the State or its political subdivision while enrolled. Makes the disqualification begin with the semester or academic term following the conviction.

Applies to offenses committed on or after December 1, 2025.

Part XVI. Administrative Office of the Courts.

Section 16.2 Split of District Court District 43

Amendment #6 amends GS 7A-133 decreasing the number of district court judges in District 43A by one to three and increases the number in District 43B from three to four.

Section 16.4 Additional Assistant District Attorneys in Various Counties

Amendment #3

Increases the number of full-time assistant district attorneys in Wake County from 44 to 49 and from 40 to 41 in Guilford County in GS 7A-60(a1).

Directs, notwithstanding any provision of the act to the contrary, that the funds appropriated in the act to the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) under Budget Code 100072 funding new assistant district attorney positions to be increased by

\$974,106 in recurring funds beginning in 2025-26 and \$22,512 in nonrecurring funds for the 2025-26 year. Decreases the recurring and non-recurring funds appropriations to the Future Building Reserve under Budget Code 19050 by those same amounts.

Part XIX. Public Safety

Section 19.2 Study Increasing Energy Efficiencies

Amendment #16 corrects a reference to the Department of Adult Correction.

Part XXI. State High Patrol

Amendment #8 corrects the title of the Part to State Highway Patrol.

Part XXVI. Budget And Management - Special Appropriations

Section 27.3 State Controller Operating Budget & Staff Savings

Amendment #12 adds a new section prohibiting the BEST Shared Services in the Office of the State Controller from being reduced by \$530,000 in recurring funds for the 2025-26 and 2026-27 fiscal year, and requiring instead that the State Controller reduce funds in any division or program funded in the Office's General Fund budget code equal to \$530,000 in recurring funds for the 2025-26 and 2026-27 fiscal year. Makes conforming changes.

Part XLIV. Finance.

Section 44.1 Personal Income Tax Reduction

Amendment #2

Amends GS 105-153.7, as amended (individual income tax reductions), to specify that in no instance may the tax rate authorized under GS 105-153.7 be lower than 1.99%.

Intro. by Jackson, Hise, Lee.

APPROP, STUDY, GS 1, GS 6, GS 7A, GS 7B, GS 9, GS 14, GS 15, GS 15A, GS 18B, GS 20, GS 45, GS 47, GS 50, GS 50A, GS 55D, GS 58, GS 62, GS 63A, GS 65, GS 66, GS 74C, GS 74D, GS 84, GS 88B, GS 89E, GS 90, GS 90A, GS 90D, GS 93A, GS 95, GS 104E, GS 105, GS 108A, GS 108D, GS 110, GS 113A, GS 115C, GS 115D, GS 116, GS 116B, GS 120, GS 121, GS 122C, GS 126, GS 127A, GS 130A, GS 131D, GS 131E, GS 135, GS 136, GS 143, GS 143B, GS 143C, GS 147, GS 150B, GS 153A, GS 159G, GS 160A, GS 160B, GS 161, GS 166A

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Business and Commerce, Courts/Judiciary, Civil, Civil Procedure, Juvenile Law, Delinquency, Motor Vehicle, Court System, Administrative Office of the Courts, Criminal Justice, Corrections (Sentencing/Probation), Criminal Law and Procedure, Development, Land Use and Housing, Community and Economic Development, Land Use, Planning and Zoning, Property and Housing, Education, Preschool, Elementary and Secondary Education, Higher Education, Employment and Retirement, Environment, Energy, Environment/Natural Resources, Government, Budget/Appropriations, Cultural Resources and Museums, Elections, General Assembly, Public Safety and Emergency Management, State Agencies, Community Colleges System Office, UNC System, Department of Administration, Department of Adult Correction, Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Department of Natural and Cultural Resources (formerly

Dept. of Cultural Resources), Department of Environmental Quality (formerly DENR), Department of Health and Human Services, Department of Justice, Department of Labor, Department of Military & Veterans Affairs, Department of Public Instruction, Department of Public Safety, Department of Revenue, Department of State Treasurer, Department of Transportation, Office of Information Technology Services, Office of State Auditor, Office of State Budget and Management, Secretary of State, State Board of Elections, State Government, Executive, State Personnel, State Property, Tax, Local Government, Native Americans, Health and Human Services, Health, Health Care Facilities and Providers, Health Insurance, Public Health, Mental Health, Social Services, Adult Services, Child Welfare, Public Assistance, Military and Veteran's Affairs

S 266 (2025-2026) **HISTORIC FLOOD EVENT BLDG. CODE EXEMPTION**. Filed Mar 11 2025, *AN ACT TO ESTABLISH EXEMPTIONS FROM CERTAIN FLOODPLAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR THE REPLACEMENT OR RECONSTRUCTION OF STRUCTURES DAMAGED BY HISTORIC FLOOD EVENTS; AND EXEMPTIONS FROM SOLID WASTE COMPOSTING RULES, STATE-ONLY STORMWATER AND SEDIMENTATION CONTROL REQUIREMENTS, STATE-ONLY AIR QUALITY PERMITS, SOIL AMENDMENT OR COMPOST PRODUCT REGISTRATION, AND FIRE CODE LIMITATIONS ON MULCH PILE STORAGE, FOR THE PROCESSING OF TREE STUMPS AND OTHER VEGETATIVE DEBRIS INTO MULCH OR SOIL AMENDMENTS IN THE COUNTIES AFFECTED BY HELENE FOR A PERIOD OF TWENTY-FOUR MONTHS.*

Senate committee substitute to the 1st edition adds the following content.

Requires the Department of Insurance (DOI), by August 1, 2025, to prepare and submit to FEMA for its approval, the proposed changes set out in the act. Changes the effective date of the changes to GS 143-138 and GS 143-215.54 so that they are now effective on the later of (1) October 1, 2025, or (2) the first day of the month that is 30 days after the Commissioner of Insurance certifies that FEMA has approved the proposed changes (requires the Commissioner to provide this notice and the act's effective date on its website). Requires DOI to report to the specified NCGA commission on the status of their activities related to the above on a quarterly basis beginning September 1, 2025, until the changes to the statutes become law.

Requires the Department of Environmental Quality, Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, and a unit of local government (as applicable), to waive the following requirements, to the extent the requirements are State or local in origin and not otherwise required to meet federal law, as they apply to activities to process tree stumps and vegetative debris into mulch or soil amendments in the counties designated before, on, or after the act's effective date under a major disaster declaration by the President as a result of Hurricane Helene: (1) solid waste composting rules for Type 1 facilities under the specified rule, (2) stormwater, sedimentation, and erosion control requirements; (3) air quality permit requirements for vegetative debris processing equipment under the specified rule, (4) soil amendment or compost product registration required by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, and (5) State Fire Code limitations on mulch pile storage. Expires July 1, 2027.

Makes conforming changes to the act's long title.

Intro. by Moffitt, Daniel, Britt.

GS 143

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Development, Land Use and Housing, Building and Construction, Environment, Environment/Natural Resources, Government, Public Safety and Emergency Management, State Agencies, Department of Environmental Quality (formerly DENR), Department of Insurance, Local Government

S 402 (2025-2026) [ALLOW LOTTERY WINNERS TO BE CONFIDENTIAL](#). Filed Mar 24 2025, *AN ACT TO ALLOW CERTAIN LOTTERY WINNERS TO CHOOSE TO TREAT AS CONFIDENTIAL THEIR IDENTIFYING INFORMATION*.

Senate committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Amends GS 18C-132 to allow, upon request, for the identifying information of any prize winner of \$5 million or more (was, \$1 million in previous edition and \$50 million in the current law) to be treated as confidential except for the specified purposes.

Intro. by Hise.

[GS 18C](#)

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[Lottery and Gaming](#)

S 405 (2025-2026) [CHIROPRACTIC MODS](#). Filed Mar 24 2025, *AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES TO THE LAWS GOVERNING THE PRACTICE OF CHIROPRACTIC*.

Senate committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Amends the act's effective date provision to specify that the act applies to applications for licensure on or after October 1, 2025.

Intro. by Hise, Sawrey, Burgin.

[GS 90](#)

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[Business and Commerce, Occupational Licensing, Health and Human Services, Health, Health Care Facilities and Providers](#)

S 429 (2025-2026) [2025 PUBLIC SAFETY ACT](#). Filed Mar 24 2025, *AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES RELATED TO THE CRIMINAL LAWS OF NORTH CAROLINA*.

Senate committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes. Makes conforming changes to act's long title. Makes organizational changes.

Deletes the contents of Section 1 (changes to GS 15A-1415 and GS 15-1419) and Section 2 (expanding the required policy under GS 115C-407 to also prohibit hemp-derived consumable products) in their entirety.

Section 1 (was, Section 3).

Expands the *mens rea* required for culpability under GS 14-318.7 (exposing a child to a controlled substance) to include acting with reckless disregard for human life. Makes clarifying changes. Exempts persons who intentionally administer a controlled substance to a child that has been prescribed to the child by a licensed medical professional when given in the prescribed manner and amount.

Section 3 (was, Section 5).

Further modifies GS 130A-385 (duties of medical examiners), as follows. Now triggers the treatment of the listed materials as part of a criminal investigation in GS 130A-385 upon notice from the investigating or prosecuting entity. Specifies that autopsy photographs or video or audio records can only be disclosed or released pursuant to GS 130A-389.1 (governing those recordings made pursuant to autopsy). Specifies that only finalized reports may be released to the specified persons, which now also includes (1) a beneficiary of a benefit or claim associated with the decedent for purposes of receiving the benefit or resolving the claim or (2) to the decedent's spouse, child or stepchild, parent or stepparent, sibling, or legal guardian. Expands authorized disclosures to include: (1) when necessary to conduct a thorough and complete death investigation, to consult with outside physicians and other professionals during the death investigation, and to conduct necessary toxicological screenings and (2) when disclosing information to the investigating public law enforcement agency or prosecuting district attorney.

Provides for notice by the investigating or prosecuting entity of the conclusion of the investigation. Specifies that the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner (OCME) and its staff, the county medical examiner, and the autopsy center and its staff have no liability for relying upon such notices.

Designates listed records and other information compiled, prepared, or conducted by the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner, a pathologist designated by the Chief Medical Examiner, a county medical examiner appointed under GS 130A-382, an investigating medical examiner, or an autopsy center in connection with the death of a child who was under 18 years of age at the time of death, including any autopsy photographs or video or audio recordings, as confidential, only to be disclosed or released: (1) with the prior written consent of the deceased child's parent or guardian or (2) a person standing in loco parentis to the deceased child. Further authorizes release to: (1) the personal representative of the decedent's estate to enable them to fulfill their duties under law; (2) when OCME or a pathologist designated by the Chief Medical Examiner determines disclosure is necessary for the described reasons relating to public health; (3) to the decedent's surviving spouse, parents, adult children, legal guardian or custodian (including those of the decedent's children), or any person holding power of attorney or healthcare attorney for the deceased; and (4) the legal representatives of any person authorized to receive records under GS 130A-385.

Specifies that no person is guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor for disclosing, releasing, possessing, or disseminating records or materials if, at the time of the disclosure, release, possession, or dissemination, notice that the record or material is a record of a criminal investigation had not been provided as required by GS 130A-385. Directs the Chief Medical Examiner to provide the finalized autopsy report to the Commissioner of Labor upon written request within five months from the date of the request. Makes organizational, clarifying, and conforming changes.

Makes conforming changes to GS 130A-389(a) (autopsies), GS 130A-389.1 (photos, video, or audio recordings made pursuant to autopsy), and GS 132-1.8 (confidentiality of photos, video, or audio recordings made pursuant to autopsy).

Section 4 (was, Section 6).

Amends GS 14-202.3 by modifying the punishment for solicitation of a minor by computer as follows: (1) from a Class E felony for first violations of the statute when the defendant does not have a prior conviction in any federal or state court in the United States that is substantially similar to GS 14-202.3 to a Class G felony; (2) makes subsequent violations a Class E felony; (3) makes it a Class E felony for defendants charged with a first offense but who have the described prior convictions; and (4) from a Class G to a Class D felony (was, Class C felony in the previous edition) when the defendant, or a person for whom the defendant was arranging the meeting, actually appears at the meeting location.

Section 9 (was, Section 11).

Amends GS 14-202 (offense of secretly peeping into a room occupied by another person) so that a person is guilty of a Class A1 misdemeanor when they secretly peep into any room while in possession of any device that can take a photo and have the intent to take a photo (currently, no intent to take photo required).

Section 10 (was, Section 12).

Adds definition of *custody* to GS 14-27.31 (offense of sexual activity by substitute parent or custodian) to mean the care, control, or supervision of a minor by any adult who, by virtue of their position, role, employment, volunteer status, or relationship to a minor; exercises supervisory authority or control over a minor; or is responsible for the minor's welfare, safety, or supervision, regardless of whether such responsibility arises from express appointment, organizational duty, professional obligation, or circumstantial necessity.

Section 11 (was, Section 13).

Changes the title of new GS 14-72.12 so that it reads "Larceny of gift cards" (was, Larceny of gift cards; receiving stolen gift cards or possessing stolen gift cards). Amends GS 1-538.2 to make any person who commits an act punishable under new GS 14-72.12 (larceny of gift cards) liable for civil damages to the property owner; also makes parents or legal guardians of unemancipated minors who commit an act punishable under new GS 14-72.12 civilly liable to the property owner if they knew or should have known of the propensity for the child to commit such an act, and had the opportunity and ability to control the child, and made no reasonable effort to correct or restrain the child.

Section 12 (was, Section 14).

Changes the intent required under GS 14-54(b1) from “knowingly and wrongfully” entering a building not open to the public, as described, to “with intent to commit an unlawful act.”

Section 15 (was, Section 17).

Amends GS 15A-268 to remove provisions requiring the evidence to be preserved until the clerk notifies the collecting agency that preservation is no longer required under the specified time frame and the require preservation period has also passed. Now directs that a court may order that the evidence be returned to the collecting agency to be preserved during the pendency of the proceedings for which the evidence was introduced pursuant to GS 15A-268(a1) (biological evidence) at a request from the district attorney, the clerk, and the collecting agency if the court finds that the collecting agency is better equipped to preserve the evidence and the district attorney, the clerk, and the collecting agency all agree (was, court may order evidence to be returned to the collecting agency to be preserved pursuant to GS 15A-268(a4) (preservation of biological evidence) under the specified circumstances, but no mention of its introduction as evidence under GS 15A-268(a1)).

Section 19.

Amends GS 90-95 (violations of the Controlled Substances Act), as follows. Makes it a Class F felony to manufacture, sell, or deliver, or possess with intent to do any of those things any Schedule I or II controlled substance involving fentanyl or carfentanil, or any salt, compound, derivative, or preparation thereof, or any mixture containing any of these substances. Makes it a Class F felony to manufacture, sell, or deliver, or possess with intent to do any of those things involving fentanyl or carfentanil, or any salt, compound, derivative, or preparation thereof, or any mixture containing any of these substances. Makes conforming changes. Makes possession of a controlled substance that is fentanyl or carfentanil, or any salt, compound, derivative, or preparation thereof, or any mixture containing any of these substances a Class H felony.

Creates the felony “trafficking in fentanyl or carfentanil,” for a person who sells, manufactures, delivers, transports, or possesses four grams or more of fentanyl or carfentanil, or any salt, compound, derivative, or preparation thereof, or any mixture containing any of these substances, punishable as follows: (1) if the amount is four grams or more, but less than 14 grams, then the person is punished as a Class E felon and sentenced to a minimum term of 90 months and a maximum term of 120 months in the State's prison with a fine of \$500,000; (2) if the amount is 14 grams or more but less than 28 grams, then the person is punished as a Class D felon and sentenced to a minimum term of 175 months and a maximum term of 222 months in the State's prison with a fine of \$750,000; and (3) if the amount is 28 grams or more, the person is punished as a Class C felon and sentenced to a minimum term of 225 months and a maximum term of 282 months in the State's prison with a fine of \$1 million.

Effective December 1, 2025.

Intro. by Britt, B. Newton, Daniel.

[GS 7B](#), [GS 14](#), [GS 15A](#), [GS 15B](#), [GS 20](#), [GS 50B](#), [GS 84](#), [GS 90](#), [GS 116](#), [GS 130A](#), [GS 132](#)

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S 599 (2025-2026) [DENTAL BOARD REFORM](#). Filed Mar 25 2025, *AN ACT TO REVISE THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS*.

Senate committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Amends GS 90-22 as follows. Increases the membership of the North Carolina Board of Dental Examiners by one to 10, including an additional dental hygienist. Makes technical changes. Amends GS 90-22A by decreasing the number of members that are appointed by the Governor from five to four, removing the appointment of one of the public consumer members. Adds the appointment of two members by the Commissioner of Labor: one dental hygienist and one public consumer member.

Amends Section 2 of the act as follows. Adds that the licensed dental hygienists' seats that become eligible for appointment after the act becomes law will be appointed for three-year terms in the specified order. Gives the Speaker of the House the power to appoint both of the specified licensed dentists to the North Carolina Board of Dental Examiners (was, one each by the Speaker and President Pro Tempore of the Senate).

Intro. by Galey, Sawrey, Burgin.

GS 90

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Business and Commerce, Occupational Licensing, Health and Human Services, Health, Health Care Facilities and Providers

S 600 (2025-2026) **MEDICAID AGENCY OMNIBUS.** Filed Mar 25 2025, *AN ACT MAKING TECHNICAL, CONFORMING, AND OTHER MODIFICATIONS TO LAWS PERTAINING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF HEALTH BENEFITS.*

Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to the 1st edition.

Specifies, in GS 108C-3, that the categorical risk level for provider screening of skilled nursing facilities (SNF) is the categorical risk required by federal law or regulation. Instructs that if federal law does not require a particular categorical risk level, SNFs are a limited categorical risk. Removes provisions that would have designated prospective (newly enrolling) skilled nursing facilities and those undergoing a change in ownership as high risk provider types. Makes technical, organizational, clarifying, and conforming changes.

Further modifies GS 108C-3, as amended by the act, as follows. Removes provisions that would have designated certain revalidating skilled nursing facilities as a moderate categorical risk provider. Expands the type of hospice organizations that are considered a high categorical risk provider to include those that are revalidating. Specifies that prospective hospice organizations and those that are newly enrolling are separate things. Clarifies that the described revalidating agencies falling into the high categorical risk category that provide durable medical equipment that includes orthotics and prosthetics (was, includes but not limited to). Removes revalidating skilled nursing facilities. Makes technical, organizational, clarifying, and conforming changes.

Intro. by Burgin, Galey, Sawrey.

UNCODIFIED, GS 108A, GS 108C, GS 108D

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Courts/Judiciary, Civil, Civil Law, Criminal Justice, Corrections (Sentencing/Probation), Government, State Agencies, Department of Health and Human Services, Health and Human Services, Health, Health Insurance, Social Services, Public Assistance

S 648 (2025-2026) **AOC AGENCY REQUESTS.-AB** Filed Mar 25 2025, *AN ACT TO MODIFY PROVISIONS AFFECTING THE COURTS OF NORTH CAROLINA AND THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS.*

Senate committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Makes a clarifying change to GS 35A-1231 (pertaining to required bonds before letters of guardianship are issued), giving only the clerk the ability to approve the bond.

Makes conforming change to GS 29-30 (election of surviving spouse to take a life interest in lieu of intestate share) to reflect change from jury to commission.

Adds the following new content.

Expands the proceedings where statements and conduct occurring during settlement proceedings are admissible under GS 7A-38.1(l) (designating settlement negotiations in mediated settlement conferences in superior court and other settlement

proceedings inadmissible), GS 7A-38.4A(j) (same-district court), GS 7A-38.3B (same-clerk of superior court), and GS 7A-38.3D(k) (same-district criminal courts) to include proceedings of abuse, neglect, or dependence of a juvenile under GS Chapter 7B or for an adult under Articles 6 or 6A of Chapter 108A. Makes clarifying changes. Clarifies that nothing in any of the above listed statutes should be construed as permitting an individual to obtain immunity from prosecution for criminal conduct or excusing an individual from reporting requirements under the General Statutes, including those specified.

Makes clarifying change to GS 1A-1, Rule 63 so that it is clear that the senior resident superior court judge for the district may take over a trial or other proceeding if the presiding judge is unavailable, as specified.

Requires, in GS 20-79.6, a special license plate, as described, be issued to a senior resident superior court judge serving in the listed districts. Removes provisions pertaining to district groupings having the same numeric designations, that have more than one regular resident superior court judge, and provisions pertaining to when "A" plates are issued in districts with two or more regular resident superior court judges.

Allows the chief district court judge and senior resident superior court judge of their respective districts to establish rules to allow for the court's manual signature of orders, judgments, decrees, or other documents to be filed by the court if one or more of the parties to a proceeding requests the manual signature. Sets out additional requirements for rules on the manual signature. Specifies that this does not apply to criminal judgments.

Expands the disciplinary authority of the State bar under GS 84-28 to include discipline of attorneys admitted for limited practice or attorneys not licensed to practice law in the state but who render or who offer to render legal services in the state. Makes conforming changes.

Enacts new GS 9-33 requiring the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) to prescribe rules governing any training or educational materials provided to jurors, including grand jurors, to try any case. Prohibits the court from giving jurors training or educational material not otherwise allowed under rules prescribed by AOC. Requires AOC to adopt rules consistent with this section and allows using the procedure in GS 150B-21.1 to adopt the rules. Applies to training or educational material provided on or after December 1, 2025.

Amends GS 7A-95 by adding that if digital recording equipment is used to record a trial then the records must be kept in the custody of the clerk. Adds that except for original stenomask audio files and audio files of digital recording technicians, audio records created by court reporters are not public record and must be disclosed to the parties and public only to the extent allowed by a court order for good cause after notice to all parties.

Removes the proposed changes to GS 7A-105, concerning suspension, removal, and reinstatement of a clerk of superior court.

Intro. by B. Newton, Britt, Daniel.

[GS 1, GS 1A, GS 7A, GS 7B, GS 9, GS 20, GS 28A, GS 28C, GS 29, GS 31, GS 35A, GS 50B, GS 84, GS 101, GS 113, GS 122C](#)

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S 710 (2025-2026) [DPS AGENCY CHANGES.-AB](#) Filed Mar 25 2025, *AN ACT TO MODERNIZE THE ALARMS SYSTEMS LICENSING ACT, MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES TO THE PRIVATE PROTECTIVE SERVICES BOARD LAWS, STRENGTHEN THE OVERSIGHT AUTHORITY OF THE ABC COMMISSION, MODIFY THE LAW REGARDING NOTICE OF CERTAIN VIOLATIONS TO ABC PERMIT HOLDERS, ALLOW REVIEW OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS' PERSONNEL RECORDS WHEN TRANSFERRING AGENCIES, REINSTATE G.S. 102-1.1, AND TO MODIFY PROVISIONS REGARDING SUMMARY COURTS-MARTIAL AND THE APPOINTMENT AND SERVICE OF MILITARY JUDGES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA NATIONAL GUARD.*

Senate committee substitute to the 1st edition makes the following changes.

Amends GS 15A-151 and GS 93B-8.1 to refer to the Security Systems Licensing Board instead of the Alarm Systems Licensing Board. Makes conforming changes.

Removes the proposed changes to GS 127A-19 (concerning the Adjutant General).

Adds the following new content.

Amends GS 18B-502 by removing the requirement to provide notice to a permit holder within five business days of issuing a citation to an employee of a permitted establishment who is not the named holder of an ABC permit for the establishment for conduct occurring on the premises of the establishment that is a violation of GS Chapters 14 or 18B.

Enacts new GS 17C-10.2 (applicable to a North Carolina law enforcement agency considering an applicant as a sworn law enforcement officer) and new GS 17E-7.1 (applicable to a sheriff considering an applicant for deputy sheriff) to require access to and review of the applicant's personnel file maintained by or on behalf of any NC law enforcement agency where the applicant was employed for any part of the five-year period preceding the current application. Sets out provisions governing the release of that information, including requiring the applicant to sign a release. Requires confidential information to remain confidential. Provides immunity from civil or criminal liability for producing or receiving access to or copies of the personnel file.

Repeals Section 2(a) of SL 2023-92, which previously repealed GS 102-1.1 (Name and description in relation to 1983 North American Datum).

Makes conforming changes to the act's long title.

Intro. by Daniel, Britt, B. Newton.

GS 14, GS 15A, GS 17C, GS 17E, GS 18B, GS 74C, GS 74D, GS 93B, GS 102, GS 127A

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Alcoholic Beverage Control, Business and Commerce, Occupational Licensing, Courts/Judiciary, Criminal Justice, Criminal Law and Procedure, Government, Public Safety and Emergency Management, Military and Veteran's Affairs

ACTIONS ON BILLS

PUBLIC BILLS

H 57: ADOPT STATE VETERANS MUSEUM.

House: Withdrawn From Com

House: Re-ref to the Com on Homeland Security and Military and Veterans Affairs, if favorable, Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

H 69: MILITARY AND VETERANS EDUCATIONAL PROMISE ACT. (NEW)

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 92: NC DIGITAL ASSETS INVESTMENTS ACT.

House: Reptd Fav Com Sub 2

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

H 106: REVIVE HIGH-NEED RETIRED TEACHERS PROGRAM.

House: Reptd Fav Com Sub 2

House: Re-ref Com On Appropriations

H 133: NC FARMLAND AND MILITARY PROTECTION ACT.

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 146: REMOTE LICENSE RENEWAL/ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY.

House: Reptd Fav Com Substitute

House: Re-ref Com On Homeland Security and Military and Veterans Affairs

H 211: THE KELSEY SMITH ACT.

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 213: POST NC VETERANS' BENEFITS.

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 218: EMERGENCY INFO ON DMV APPLICATIONS.

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 244: DEPOLITICIZE GOVERNMENT PROPERTY ACT.

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 246: LIAM'S LAW.

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 272: THE SERGEANT MICKEY HUTCHENS ACT. (NEW)

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 309: BLDG. CODE FAM. CHILD CARE HOME CLASS.

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 328: BAN DELTA-8 & AMP DELTA-9 ON SCHOOL GROUNDS.

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 329: TOBACCO AND HEMP ON NONPUBLIC SCHOOL GROUNDS.

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 349: UPDATE REQS./ADVANCE HEALTH CARE DIRECTIVES.

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 364: STIP GRANT ANTICIPATION NOTES.

House: Reptd Fav Com Substitute

House: Re-ref Com On Finance

H 373: UNC TUITION DISCOUNTS FOR CERTAIN STUDENTS.

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 376: VARIOUS ON-SITE WASTEWATER & WELL PROVISIONS.

House: Reptd Fav Com Sub 2

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

H 378: LEON'S LAW (DUAL ENROLLMENT INFO PARENTS).

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 381: ON-SITE WASTEWATER SYSTEM AMENDMENTS.

House: Reptd Fav Com Sub 2

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

H 390: ALLEVIATE THE DANGERS OF SURGICAL SMOKE.

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 402: NC REINS ACT.

House: Amend Failed A1

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 412: CHILD CARE REGULATORY REFORMS.

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 432: PROTECT OUR HOMES ACT.

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 434: THE CARE FIRST ACT.

House: Reptd Fav

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

H 437: ESTABLISH DRUG-FREE HOMELESS SERVICE ZONES.

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 468: REGULATE KRATOM PRODUCTS.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Regulatory Reform

H 472: COMMERCIAL VEHICLE & AMP CARGO PROTECTION.

House: Reptd Fav Com Substitute

House: Re-ref Com On Judiciary 1

H 479: TOWN OF BURGAW PROPERTY TRANSFER.

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 485: ADULT CARE HOME MEDICAID PCS COVERAGE.

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 506: 2025 STATE INVESTMENT MODERNIZATION ACT.-AB

House: Reptd Fav Com Substitute

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

H 537: ALENA'S LAW.

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 546: INMATE MEDICAID SUSPENSION/TEAM-BASED CARE.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Finance

H 557: THE ANDY GRIFFITH SHOW AS STATE TV SHOW.

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 559: MAKE ELEVATORS GREAT AGAIN.-AB

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 569: PFAS POLLUTION AND POLLUTER LIABILITY.

House: Reptd Fav Com Substitute

House: Re-ref Com On Appropriations

H 570: RESPONSIBLE FIREFIGHTING FOAM MANAGEMENT ACT.

House: Reptd Fav

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

H 574: WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT PILOT PROJECT.

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 592: TOXIC-FREE MEDICAL DEVICES ACT OF 2025.

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 593: LOCAL GOVERNMENT AUDITS.

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

House: Withdrawn From Com

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

H 605: DEFINITIONS FOR ADVANCED RECYCLING.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On State and Local Government

H 610: STUDY ON YEAR-ROUND SCHOOL.

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 632: AMEND HAZING LAWS.

House: Serial Referral To Higher Education Stricken

House: Withdrawn From Com

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

H 636: PROMOTING WHOLESOME CONTENT FOR STUDENTS.

House: Amend Failed A1

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 652: TRANSPORTATION GOODS UNIT PRICING COST.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Finance

H 670: WORKFORCE CREDENTIAL GRANT PROGRAM/CCP.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Appropriations

H 675: EMT PERSONNEL CREDENTIALING MODIFICATIONS.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Regulatory Reform

H 694: STUDY WATER/WASTEWATER REGIONALIZATION.

House: Reptd Fav

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

H 695: SUPPORT VIPER/ASSIST 911 OPERATIONS/DISPATCH.

House: Reptd Fav

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

H 720: INSURANCE GUARANTY ASSOCIATION ACT REVISIONS.-AB

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Finance

H 734: MODERNIZE DEBT SETTLEMENT PROHIBITION.

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

H 737: LICENSING COURSE REMOVAL/INSURANCE PRODUCERS.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Finance

H 820: PRESCRIPTION EYE DROP EARLY REFILL COVERAGE.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Appropriations

H 821: DRIVERS LICENSE EXPIRATION MORATORIUM.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Finance

H 822: MOPED REGULATION.

House: Reptd Fav Com Substitute

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

H 833: THE FRESH ACT.

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

House: Serial Referral To Commerce and Economic Development Added

House: Serial Referral To Health Added

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

H 850: INTERBASIN TRANSFER MORATORIUM/STUDY.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Regulatory Reform

H 912: THE HOMETOWN OPP. FOR MENTORING EDUCATORS ACT.

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

House: Withdrawn From Com

House: Re-ref to the Com on Education - K-12, if favorable, Appropriations, if favorable, Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

H 975: EMS PERSONNEL/ALLOW CARRY OF PEPPER SPRAY.

House: Reptd Fav

House: Re-ref Com On Judiciary 3

H 1007: ADJOURNMENT RESOLUTION TO DATE CERTAIN.

House: Passed 1st Reading

House: Ref To Com On Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

House: Passed 2nd Reading

House: Passed 3rd Reading

House: Special Message Sent To Senate

House: Passed 3rd Reading

House: Special Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Special Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

H 1008: STALKING/ENHANCED PENALTIES.

House: Passed 1st Reading

House: Ref To Com On Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

H 1009: PLANNING ETJ PROHIBITED.

House: Passed 1st Reading

House: Ref to the Com on State and Local Government, if favorable, Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

H 1010: HOME OWNERSHIP MARKET MANIPULATION.

House: Passed 1st Reading

House: Ref To Com On Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

H 1011: NC COMPASSIONATE CARE ACT.

House: Passed 1st Reading

House: Ref To Com On Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

S 177: ADD PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITALS TO MEDICAID HASP.

Senate: Passed 3rd Reading

S 245: THE RAKIM SHACKLEFORD EMBALMING FLUID ACT.

Senate: Reptd Fav Com Substitute

Senate: Com Substitute Adopted

Senate: Re-ref Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

S 257: 2025 APPROPRIATIONS ACT.

Senate: Amend Adopted A2

Senate: Amend Failed A1

Senate: Amend Adopted A3

Senate: Amend Tabled A4

Senate: Amend Adopted A6

Senate: Amend Failed A5

Senate: Amend Adopted A8

Senate: Amend Failed A7

Senate: Amendment Withdrawn A9

Senate: Amend Tabled A10

Senate: Amend Adopted A12

Senate: Amend Failed A11

Senate: Amend Adopted A14

Senate: Amend Failed A13

Senate: Amend Adopted A16

Senate: Amend Failed A15

Senate: Amend Adopted A18

Senate: Amend Failed A17

Senate: Amend Adopted A20

Senate: Amend Failed A19

Senate: Amendment Ruled Out-of-Order A21

Senate: Amend Adopted A23

Senate: Amend Failed A22

Senate: Amend Adopted A25

Senate: Amend Failed A24

Senate: Amend Tabled A26

Senate: Amend Tabled A27

Senate: Amend Tabled A28

Senate: Amend Tabled A29

Senate: Amendment Withdrawn A30

Senate: Amend Adopted A32

Senate: Amend Failed A31

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S 266: HISTORIC FLOOD EVENT BLDG. CODE EXEMPTION.

Senate: Reptd Fav Com Substitute
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S 328: UNDERGROUND SAFETY REVISIONS.

Senate: Reptd Fav
Senate: Re-ref Com On Judiciary

S 372: CONFIRM MCKINLEY WOOTEN, SEC. OF REV.

Senate: Reptd Fav

S 402: ALLOW LOTTERY WINNERS TO BE CONFIDENTIAL.

Senate: Reptd Fav Com Substitute
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Senate: Re-ref Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

S 405: CHIROPRACTIC MODS.

Senate: Reptd Fav Com Substitute
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S 429: 2025 PUBLIC SAFETY ACT.

Senate: Reptd Fav Com Substitute
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Senate: Re-ref Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

S 472: AMEND 401 CERTIFICATION PROCESS.

Senate: Reptd Fav
Senate: Re-ref Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

S 554: FARMERS PROTECTION ACT.

Senate: Reptd Fav
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S 599: DENTAL BOARD REFORM.

Senate: Reptd Fav Com Substitute

Senate: Com Substitute Adopted

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S 600: MEDICAID AGENCY OMNIBUS.

Senate: Reptd Fav Com Substitute

Senate: Com Substitute Adopted

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S 648: AOC AGENCY REQUESTS.-AB

Senate: Reptd Fav Com Substitute

Senate: Com Substitute Adopted

Senate: Re-ref Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

S 706: COUNTY WASTE MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE.

Senate: Reptd Fav

Senate: Re-ref Com On Finance

S 710: DPS AGENCY CHANGES.-AB

Senate: Reptd Fav Com Substitute

Senate: Com Substitute Adopted

Senate: Re-ref Com On Finance

S 730: EXPAND CEPS/NUCLEAR AND HYDRO.

Senate: Reptd Fav

Senate: Re-ref Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

S 754: SCHOOL CALENDAR FLEXIBILITY:A NEW ALTERNATIVE.

Senate: Reptd Fav

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S 760: CONFIRM LEE LILLEY, SEC. OF COMMERCE.

Senate: Reptd Fav

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H 333: JACKSONVILLE/ETJ PROHIBITED.

House: Regular Message Sent To Senate

Senate: Regular Message Received From House

Senate: Passed 1st Reading

Senate: Ref To Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

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