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S 1111. ONLINE NORTH CAROLINA. *TO CREATE "ONLINE NORTH CAROLINA" A STATEWIDE INFORMATION NETWORK TO FACILITATE ELECTRONIC GOVERNMENT.* Adds new subpart to part 16 of art. 10 of GS Ch. 143B to create an agency called Online North Carolina charged with creating and operating a gateway for electronic access to public information. Provides for nine member Board appointed by the Governor, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House. Specifies basic governance features and duties of Board. Requires Online North Carolina to contract with a network manager to direct and supervise the construction and operation of the gateway. Effective July 1, 1999. **Intro. by Reeves.**

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