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S 600. STOPLIGHTS ON US HIGHWAY 70. *TO PROHIBIT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FROM INSTALLING ANY ADDITIONAL STOPLIGHTS ON A CERTAIN PORTION OF HIGHWAY U.S.70.* As title indicates. Adds new GS 136-18.7 to prohibit stop lights between Highway 70's intersection with Interstate 40 in Garner and where it enters the municipal limits of Morehead City. Directs the department to use other traffic control devices, such as turnouts and crossovers, to control traffic crossing over U.S. 70 unless the department has secured a study by an independent traffic engineer, approved by the Joint Legislative Comm'n on Governmental Operations, certifying that the stoplight is essential for highway safety.

Intro. by Kerr.

Ref. to Transportation

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