February 15, 1999

S 76. TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT STATISTICS. TO REQUIRE THE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL STATISTICS TO COLLECT AND MAINTAIN STATISTICS ON TRAFFIC LAW ENFORCEMENT. Amends GS 114-10 to require the Division of Criminal Statistics to collect information on 14 aspects of traffic law enforcement by state law enforcement officers, including the following: number of persons stopped for routine traffic enforcement; race or ethnicity, age, and gender of the person stopped; the alleged traffic violation that led to the stop; and whether any oral or written citation or warning was issued as a result of the stop. Effective Oct. 1, 1999.

Intro. by Ballance, Cooper, and Gulley.

Ref. to Judiciary II

GS 114

March 31, 1999

S 76. TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT STATISTICS. Intro. 2/15/99. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Adds requirement to collect information on the race or ethnicity, age and gender of each person searched. Rewrites requirement to record basis of searches. Broadens requirement to record whether any property was seized (was, any property seized under forfeiture laws). Provides that General Assembly is not obligated to appropriate additional funds to implement act.

April 1, 1999

S 76. TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT STATISTICS. Intro. 2/15/99. House amendment makes the following change to 3rd edition. Makes act effective Jan. 1, 2000.