

April 12, 1999

**S 829. NO BILLBOARDS ON I-40 EAST. TO PROHIBIT THE ERECTION OF OUTDOOR ADVERTISING ON A PORTION OF INTERSTATE HIGHWAY 40.** Prohibits new (after effective date of bill) outdoor advertising, as defined by GS 136-128(3), that is visible from highway right of way on Interstate 40 from the Orange-Alamance county line to Wilmington. Does not apply to official signs of Department of Transportation, signs advertising sale of land on which it is located and signs advertising activities on land on which sign is located.

**Intro. by Jordan.**

Ref. to Transportation

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April 28, 1999

**S 829. NO BILLBOARDS ON I-40 EAST.** Intro. 4/12/1999. Senate amendment makes the following changes to 1st edition. Requires Joint Legislative Transportation Oversight Comm. to study whether additional outdoor advertising along I-40 from Orange-Alamance County line to Wilmington should be prohibited. Comm. to report findings and recommendations to 2000 Regular Session of General Assembly. Pending comm.'s report, establishes moratorium on new outdoor advertising along this portion of I-40, to expire July 1, 2000.

April 29, 1999

**S 829. NO BILLBOARDS ON I-40 EAST.** Intro. 3/12/99. Senate amendment makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Adds a provision directing the committee also to study the advisability of the Dep't of Transportation allowing owners of billboards to enter the right of way and destroy vegetation which might obscure their advertising.