April 14, 1999

**S 916.** ADJUST GAS TAX FORMULA. *TO ADJUST THE GAS TAX RATE FORMULA*. Amends GS 105-449.80(a) to raise variable wholesale component of motor fuel excise tax to greater of \$0.05 or 7% of the average wholesale price of motor fuel (now \$0.035). Amends GS 105-449.38 to provide that tax levied under that section is at rate established by Secretary of Revenue pursuant to GS 105-449.80 or 105-449.136. Requires distributor and bulk-end user who has motor fuel in their possession on 12:01 am on July 1, 1999 to inventory fuel and report it to Secretary, and pay any increased tax required by act by July 15, 1999. Effective July 1, 1999. **Intro. by Gulley.** 

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