

April 26, 2001

**H 1195. ANNUAL ABSENTEE BALLOT REQUEST.** Intro. 4/12/01. House amendment makes the following changes to 1st edition. Provides that a person requesting an absentee ballot for all elections held during the calendar year must state on the application that the person's sickness or physical disability is expected to last the remainder of the calendar year.

October 3, 2001

**H 1195. ANNUAL ABSENTEE/FORSYTH SUPERIOR CT. JUDGE.** Intro. 4/12/01. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Changes title to *AN ACT TO GIVE ILL AND DISABLED CIVILIANS THE SAME RIGHT AS MILITARY PERSONNEL TO REQUEST ABSENTEE BALLOTS FOR AN ENTIRE CALENDAR YEAR AND BY PRESCRIBING A METHOD FOR MAKING ABSENTEE BALLOT REQUESTS, AND TO REALIGN THE SUPERIOR COURT DISTRICTS IN FORSYTH COUNTY*. Makes technical changes to original provisions. Adds new provisions prescribing a method for requesting absentee ballots. Requires written requests for absentee ballots to be written entirely by the requester personally or on a form generated by the county board of elections and signed by the requester. Provides that a requester who is unable to complete a written request due to disability or illiteracy to receive assistance in writing the request from an individual of the requester's choice. Requires State Board of Elections to adopt rules for enforcement of these provisions. Adds new provision realigning the superior court districts in Forsyth County. Provisions regarding Forsyth County superior court apply to appointments and elections made or held on or after Jan. 1, 2002. Provisions regarding absentee ballots apply to primaries and elections held on or after Jan. 1, 2002.

November 29, 2001

**H 1195. ANNUAL ABSENTEE/FORSYTH SUPERIOR CT. JUDGE.** Intro. 4/12/01. Conference report recommends the following changes to 4th edition to reconcile matters in controversy. Changes title to *AN ACT TO GIVE ILL AND DISABLED CIVILIANS THE SAME RIGHT AS MILITARY PERSONNEL TO REQUEST ABSENTEE BALLOT REQUESTS, AND TO REALIGN THE SUPERIOR COURT DISTRICTS IN FORSYTH COUNTY* and deletes provision prescribing a method of requesting absentee ballots.

January 9, 2002

**SL 2001-507 (H 1195). ANNUAL ABSENTEE/FORSYTH SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE.** *AN ACT TO GIVE ILL AND DISABLED CIVILIANS THE SAME RIGHT AS MILITARY PERSONNEL TO REQUEST ABSENTEE BALLOTS FOR AN ENTIRE CALENDAR YEAR, AND TO REALIGN THE SUPERIOR COURT DISTRICTS IN FORSYTH COUNTY*. Summarized in *Daily Bulletin* 4/12/01, 4/26/01, 10/3/01, and 11/29/01. Enacted Dec. 19, 2001. Effective Dec. 19, 2001. Sections 3 and 4 apply to appointments made on or after Jan. 1, 2002, and primaries and elections held on or after Jan. 1, 2002. The remainder of this act applies to primaries and elections held on or after Jan. 1, 2002.