

April 12, 2001

**H 1258. HISTORIC MONUMENTS/MEMORIALS PROTECTION ACT. TO ENACT THE HISTORICAL MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS PROTECTION ACT.** Adds new GS 121-13.3 requiring a two-thirds majority vote of approval of each house of the General Assembly before (1) certain historical monuments or memorials on public property may be relocated, removed, disturbed, or altered; (2) any person or organization may prevent the body responsible for the protection, preservation, and care of the monuments or memorials from exercising its responsibility; and (3) any street, park, bridge, building, school, or other public area of the state or any subdivision of the state dedicated in memory or named for any historic figure or event may be renamed or rededicated. Requires the Sec'y of Cultural Resources to catalogue all existing monuments, memorials, plaques, markers, and historic flag displays located on public property in the state and all streets, parks, bridges, buildings, schools, preserves, reserves, and other public areas honoring and dedicated to the memory of or named for any historic figure or event.

**Intro. by Davis by request.**

Ref. to Rules	GS 121
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