

June 13, 2002

H 1638. PRIVATE PROTECT. SERVICES CRIM. HIST. CHECK. TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO PROVIDE CRIMINAL RECORD CHECKS TO THE PRIVATE PROTECTIVE SERVICES BOARD AND TO CHARGE A FEE FOR CONDUCTING THE CHECK.

Adds new GS 74C-8(c)(5), as title indicates. Authorizes record checks for a person who has applied for a new or renewal license, registration, certification, or permit if the applicant consents to the record check. Specifies information the board must provide the Dep't of Justice, including the applicant's signed consent to the record check and to the use of fingerprints and other identifying information. Requires the dep't to forward the fingerprints to the State Bureau of Investigation, which must forward a set to the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Requires the board to keep information privileged and provides that the information is confidential and not a public record. The act also provides that if Congress ratifies the Private Security Officer Employment Standards Act of 2002, North Carolina declines to participate in the background check system authorized by that act as a result of the enactment of this act.

Intro. by Haire.

Ref. to Judiciary II	GS 74C
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August 27, 2002

H 1638. PRIVATE PROTECT. SERVICES CRIM. HIST. CHECK. Intro. 6/13/02. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Changes title to *AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO PROVIDE CRIMINAL RECORD CHECKS TO THE ALE DIVISION WHEN INVESTIGATING ABC PERMIT APPLICANTS, LOCAL LAW-ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES ISSUING PRECIOUS METAL DEALER PERMITS, THE PRIVATE PROTECTIVE SERVICES BOARD, THE ALARM SYSTEMS LICENSING BOARD, THE BOARD OF LAW EXAMINERS, THE MEDICAL BOARD, THE STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS, THE BOARD OF PHARMACY, THE BOARD OF MORTUARY SCIENCE, THE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION, THE COMMISSIONER OF LABOR WHEN INVESTIGATING PRIVATE PERSONNEL SERVICE LICENSE APPLICANTS, THE STRUCTURAL PEST CONTROL COMMITTEE, AND CITIES WHEN INVESTIGATING TAXI LICENSE APPLICANTS AND TO CHARGE A FEE FOR CONDUCTING THE CHECKS.* Adds provisions as title indicates.

September 20, 2002

H 1638. CRIM. HIST. CHECK/ CONFORM SEX OFF. REG. (NEW). Intro. 6/13/02. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Changes title. Amends G.S. 14-208.7(b) to require that the sheriff obtain the following additional information from sex offenders: (1) the person's current enrollment at an educational institution or plans to enroll at an educational institution within a year of registration, including the name and address of that institution; (2) the person's current employment by an institution of higher education or plans to become employed by such an institution within a year of registration, including the institution's name and address. Amends G.S. 14-208.9 to change title by adding "change of academic status or educational employment status" and to require that educational and employment information be updated upon a change in the sex offender's educational or employment status. Amends G.S. 14-208.11 to make a sex offender's failure to register the person's educational or employment status a Class F felony. Amends G.S. 14-208.14 to require that the Division of Criminal Statistics receive information concerning the educational and employment status of the sex offender and to provide such information to campus law enforcement authorities on a need-to-know basis. Further amends G.S. 14-208.14 to require that the Division notify an institution of higher education of relevant information concerning a sex offender's educational and employment status. Amends G.S. 14-208.6 to define "employed," "institution of higher education" and "student."

September 25, 2002

H 1638. CRIM. HIST. CHECK/CONFORM SEX OFF. REG. Intro. 6/13/02. Senate committee amendment makes the following changes to 3rd edition. Provides that Part II of the act, dealing with sex offender registration, is effective when it becomes law and applies to persons convicted on or after that date.

