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H 1718. AUTHORIZE INTERSTATE ABC SHIPMENT. TO AUTHORIZE LIMITED RECIPROCAL INTERSTATE SHIPMENT AND RECEIPT OF UNFORTIFIED WINE. Amends GS 18B-109 (direct shipment of alcoholic beverages into NC). Allows persons at least 21 years of age, after securing a purchase-importation permit from ABC Comm'n, to purchase unfortified wine outside NC for delivery in NC for personal use. Sets fee for permit at \$50.00 per year. Authorizes holder of permit to make arrangements for shipment of unfortified wine to ABC store. Requires purchaser to pay, with cashier's check, taxes that would be payable on the product if purchased in NC. Requires local ABC board to contact purchaser, make arrangements for pickup, and compute taxes. Allows purchases only from a state that allows its residents to receive wine shipments from NC and wine must be for personal or household use. Prohibits any person from receiving in excess of 60 cases of wine in a year and from reselling wine.

Intro. by Harrington.

Ref. to Finance	GS 18B
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