

March 22, 2001

**S 626. DOMESTIC VIOLENCE FATALITY REVIEW TEAM. ESTABLISHING A PILOT PROGRAM TO REVIEW DOMESTIC VIOLENCE FATALITIES.** Allows Mecklenburg County and one rural county, to be selected by the Governor's Comm'n on Domestic Violence, to establish a multidisciplinary domestic violence fatality review team to identify and review domestic violence related deaths and to facilitate communication among various domestic violence agencies to prevent future deaths. The local board of county comm'rs is to appoint lead agency and the lead agency will appoint the Review Team from groups identified in bill. Each team member is responsible for reviewing domestic violence fatalities of victims who were 18 or older. Team also is required to identify areas where local government and other local agencies may increase victim safety and public awareness, and provide training and education for the public in domestic violence related issues. Pilots to operate for 5 years. Each must file an interim report to the Governor's Comm'n on Domestic Violence by June 15, 2003, and make a final report with recommendations by June 15, 2006.

**Intro. by Clodfelter.**

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April 25, 2001

**S 626. DOMESTIC VIOLENCE FATALITY REVIEW TEAM.** Intro. 3/22/01. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Increases groups from which lead agency may select review team members and deletes limit on size of team. Sets out responsibilities of lead agency. Adds provisions relating to access to criminal investigative reports and criminal intelligence information of public law enforcement agencies and confidential information in review team's possession. Applies to one rural county with a population of 75,000 or less selected by the Governor's Commission on Domestic Violence as well as to Mecklenburg County.

May 16, 2001

**S 626. DOMESTIC VIOLENCE FATALITY REVIEW TEAM.** Intro. 3/22/01. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Amends Section 1.(h) to specify that the meetings of the review team are not subject to the open meetings law.

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