May 17, 2004

H 1453. DISCHARGING FIREARM ON SCHOOL PROPERTY. TO MAKE IT A CLASS F FELONY TO DISCHARGE A FIREARM ON EDUCATIONAL PROPERTY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE CORRECTIONS, CRIME CONTROL, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE. Amends GS 14-269.2, "Weapons on campus or other educational property," to specify that any person who discharges a firearm of any kind on educational property or at a curricular or extracurricular activity sponsored by a school is guilty of a Class F felony, unless the conduct is covered under some other provision of law providing greater punishment. Does not apply to a BB gun, stun gun, air rifle, or air pistol. Makes conforming amendment to GS 14-269.2(h) to clarify that the exception to the statutory prohibitions found in that subsection continues to apply only to the possession or carrying of a firearm.

Intro. by Moore, Clary.

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June 29, 2004

H 1453. DISCHARGING FIREARM ON SCHOOL PROPERTY. Intro. 5/17/04. House amendment makes the following changes to 1st edition. Amends GS 14-269.2(b) to provide that <u>willfully</u> discharging firearm on educational property is a Class F felony. Deletes provision making it a Class F felony to discharge a firearm at school-sponsored activities that are not on educational property. Changes effective date to Dec. 1, 2004.

July 7, 2004

H 1453. DISCHARGING FIREARM ON SCHOOL PROPERTY. Intro. 5/17/04. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Amends GS 14-269.2(g)(4) to authorize school authorities to allow weapons used for hunting purposes on educational property (was, property owned by Johnston Community College only).

July 12, 2004

H 1453. DISCHARGING FIREARM ON SCHOOL PROPERTY. Intro. 5/17/04. Senate amendment adopted 7/9/04 makes the following changes to 3rd edition. Amends GS 14-269.2(g)(4) to permit the governing body of any school to grant permission for weapons to be used on the premises for hunting purposes.