

March 13, 2003

**H 478. AMBER ALERT.** *TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE NORTH CAROLINA CHILD ALERT NOTIFICATION (NC CAN) SYSTEM AND TO RENAME THAT SYSTEM THE AMBER ALERT SYSTEM.* Amends GS 143B-499.2 and GS 143B-499.7 as title indicates. Amends GS 143B-499.1 to require that law enforcement agencies notify the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children of missing children reports. Requires that AMBER Alert System disseminate information on missing children 15 years of age or younger (was, 12 or younger) and provides that System may issue information on a case-by-case basis on 16 and 17 year old children (was, 13). Makes technical and conforming changes.

**Intro. by Rapp.**

Ref. to Judiciary III	GS 143B
-----------------------	---------

April 2, 2003

**H 478. AMBER ALERT.** Intro. 3/13/03. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Increases age of children eligible for system use from 15 to 17 and provides that system may be used when child's abduction is suspected to be by a parent when the child's life may be in danger. Makes technical and conforming changes.

May 28, 2003

**H 478. AMBER ALERT.** Intro. 3/13/03. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Makes technical changes only.