

March 20, 2003

**H 562. CHARLOTTE PHOTO SPEED MEASURING SYSTEMS.** *AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE TO USE PHOTOGRAPHIC SPEED-MEASURING SYSTEMS DURING A THREE-YEAR PILOT PROGRAM IN DESIGNATED CORRIDORS; TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE TO ESTABLISH CIVIL PENALTIES FOR SPEED LIMIT AND SCHOOL ZONE SPEED LIMIT VIOLATIONS; AND TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA CRIMINAL JUSTICE EDUCATION AND TRAINING STANDARDS COMMISSION AND THE SECRETARY OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO APPROVE STANDARDS FOR THE PHOTOGRAPHIC SPEED-MEASURING SYSTEMS.* Creates G.S. 160A-300.2, applicable only to the City of Charlotte, to authorize the use of photographic speed-measuring devices to measure the speed of vehicles and produce images of vehicles violating speed limits. Bill identifies specific corridors on which the authorized devices may be used during a three-year period beginning July 1, 2003. Provides for testing and calibration, monitoring, and advance warning signs when devices are used. Authorizes the city to adopt ordinance for civil enforcement of speed limit violations using photographic speed measuring system. Ordinance shall provide that the owner is responsible for a violation unless the owner shows that the vehicle was at the time of the violation in the care, custody, or control of another person. Provides for a nonjudicial administrative hearing process to review objections, subject to review by superior court. Net proceeds of civil penalties must be used to support traffic safety measures in the city. Amends G.S. 8-50.3 to provide for the admissibility of evidence from photographic speed-measuring systems in nonjudicial administrative hearings. Amends G.S. 17C-6(a) to authorize the NC Criminal Justice Education and Training Standards Comm'n and the Sec'y of Crime Control and Public Safety to approve standards for the use of these systems. Effective July 1, 2003, and expires June 30, 2006.

**Intro. by Alexander, Rhodes.**

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April 28, 2003

**H 562. CHARLOTTE PHOTO SPEED MEASURING SYSTEMS.** Intro. 3/20/03. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Makes technical changes only.

May 20, 2003

**H 562. CHARLOTTE PHOTO SPEED-MEASURING SYSTEMS.** Intro. 3/20/03. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Makes technical changes only.

June 4, 2003

**H 562. CHARLOTTE PHOTO SPEED-MEASURING SYSTEMS.** Intro. 3/20/03. Senate amendments make the following changes to 3rd edition. Amend GS 160A-300.4(e)(3) to require forwarding of citation by certified (was, first-class) mail and Sec. 4(5) of act to authorize use of monitoring systems on Tryon Street between (was, from) Mallard Creek Church Road and University City Boulevard. Makes technical changes.

July 7, 2003

**SL 2003-280 (H 562). CHARLOTTE PHOTO SPEED-MEASURING SYSTEMS.** *AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE TO USE PHOTOGRAPHIC SPEED-MEASURING SYSTEMS DURING A THREE-YEAR PILOT PROGRAM IN DESIGNATED CORRIDORS; TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE TO ESTABLISH CIVIL PENALTIES FOR SPEED LIMIT AND SCHOOL ZONE SPEED LIMIT VIOLATIONS; AND TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA CRIMINAL JUSTICE EDUCATION AND TRAINING STANDARDS COMMISSION AND THE SECRETARY OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO APPROVE STANDARDS FOR THE PHOTOGRAPHIC SPEED-MEASURING SYSTEMS.* Summarized in *Daily Bulletin* 3/20/03, 4/28/03, 5/20/03, and 6/4/03. Enacted June 30, 2003. Effective July 1, 2003, and expires June 30, 2006.