

February 25, 2003

**H 79. DNA REGISTRY (=S 7).** *TO REQUIRE THAT A DNA SAMPLE BE TAKEN FROM ANY PERSON ARRESTED OF A VIOLENT FELONY OR CERTAIN OTHER CRIMINAL OFFENSES AND TO REQUIRE THAT A DNA SAMPLE BE TAKEN FROM ANY PERSON CONVICTED OF ANY FELONY OR CERTAIN OTHER CRIMINAL OFFENSES.* Identical to S 7, introduced 2/5/03.

**Intro. by Alexander.**

Ref. to Judiciary I	GS 7B, 15A
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April 9, 2003

**H 79. DNA REGISTRY.** Intro. 2/25/03. House committee substitute adopted 4/8/03 makes the following changes to 1st edition. Deletes proposed new GS 15A-502A, which required DNA samples for people arrested for many felonies and two misdemeanors. Deletes proposed amendment to GS 15A-1382 and to GS 7B-2201. Adds amendment to GS 15A-266.4, which deals with DNA samples for persons convicted of crimes, to require DNA samples of people found not guilty by reason of insanity for crimes covered in that section. Adds amendment to GS 15A-266.6 to require sentencing court to order person required to be tested who is also on probation to report to specific location at specific time designated by sheriff. Directs SBI to furnish sheriff with materials necessary to conduct DNA sample retrieval. Adds amendment to GS 15A-266.12 to prohibit release of DNA material without consent of the person tested to insurance companies, employers, health care providers, private investigators, or any other agency or person unless authorized by law; records are subject to subpoena, however.

June 25, 2003

**H 79. DNA REGISTRY.** Intro. 2/25/03. House amendment makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Provides that if DNA sample has been previously obtained and not expunged an additional sample need not be taken. Requires that person who has been found not guilty by reason of insanity must be committed to mental health facility before being subject to the DNA requirement.

July 15, 2003

**H 79. DNA REGISTRY.** Intro. 2/25/03. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 3rd edition. Rewrites GS 15A-166.12(b) to provide that only DNA records and samples that directly relate to the identification of individuals shall be collected and stored, and they shall be used solely as part of the criminal justice system to facilitate the identification of the perpetrator of a criminal offense or, in appropriate circumstances, to identify potential victims of mass disasters or missing persons.

August 8, 2003

**SL 2003-376 (H 79). DNA REGISTRY.** *AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A DNA SAMPLE BE TAKEN FROM ANY PERSON CONVICTED OF ANY FELONY OR CERTAIN OTHER CRIMINAL OFFENSES OR WHO IS FOUND NOT GUILTY BY REASON OF INSANITY OF ANY FELONY OR CERTAIN OTHER CRIMINAL OFFENSES, TO CLARIFY WHEN THAT SAMPLE IS TAKEN, AND TO CLARIFY CONFIDENTIALITY.* Summarized in *Daily Bulletin* 2/25/03, 4/9/03, 6/25/03, and 7/15/03. Enacted August 1, 2003. Effective December 1, 2003.