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**H 1925. NC/VA INTERSTATE TOLL ROAD COMPACT.** Filed 5/11/06. *TO ESTABLISH THE VIRGINIA-NORTH CAROLINA INTERSTATE TOLL ROAD COMPACT.* The Commonwealth of Virginia has enacted legislation establishing the Virginia-North Carolina Interstate Toll Road Compact that is contingent upon similar action by North Carolina. This bill adds new Article 6I to GS Chapter 136, establishing the compact. Upon adoption of the compact, both states agree to impose and collect tolls for the use of I-95, to share the proceeds from tolls collected evenly, and to coordinate efforts to establish welcome centers, rest areas, and other facilities for travelers. Provides that tolls established may not exceed \$5.00 for a two-axle vehicle. Establishes the Virginia-North Carolina Interstate Toll Road Compact Commission, composed of ten members (five appointed by the legislature of each state), and authorizes it to carry out the purposes of the compact. Requires both states' Departments of Transportation to provide staff support to the Commission.

**Intro. by Owens.**

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