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H 2070. CIVIL CASE COSTS TASK FORCE. Filed 5/17/06. ESTABLISHING A HOUSE TASK FORCE TO REVIEW AND RESOLVE THE CONFLICT IN NORTH CAROLINA LAW OVER THE RECOVERY OF COSTS IN A CIVIL CASE. Establishes a House Task Force on the Recovery of Costs in Civil Cases to review and recommends a resolution to the conflict that exists between G.S. 6-20 and G.S. 7A-305 and the appellate cases interpreting those statutes. Directs the Speaker of the House of Representatives to appoint six members of the House, one member of the NC Academy of Trial Lawyers, one member of the NC Association of Defense Attorneys, and one member of the NC Bar Association as members of the Task Force. The Task Force is to report to the Speaker by December 31, 2006. Effective upon adoption.

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