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H 360. DEATH PENALTY STUDY. TO PROVIDE FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OR ITS DESIGNEE TO STUDY THE ISSUES REGARDING THE IMPOSITION OF A DEATH SENTENCE UNDER NORTH CAROLINA LAW. As title indicates. Issues to include adequacy of counsel, whether there is discrimination based on victim's or defendant's race, and prosecutorial misconduct. Provides that if General Assembly designates someone else to conduct study, designee may make interim report to 2006 session and shall make final report to 2007 session. Intro. by Hilton, Johnson.

Ref. to Rules STUDY