March 17, 2005

H 683. ADD INFO ON PROTECTING NEWBORN TO CURRICULUM. TO INCLUDE INFORMATION IN THE SCHOOL HEALTH EDUCATION PROGRAM ABOUT THE MANNER IN WHICH A PARENT MAY LAWFULLY ABANDON A NEWBORN BABY WITH A RESPONSIBLE PERSON AND TO DIRECT LOCAL BOARDS OF EDUCATION TO ENSURE THAT HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS RECEIVE THAT INFORMATION. Amends GS 115C-81 and enacts new GS 115C-47(45) as title indicates.

Intro. by Haire, Fisher, Justice.

Ref. to Educ/Sub on Pre-School, K-12

**GS 115C** 

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H 683. INSTRUCTION/INFO. TO PROTECT NEWBORN (NEW). Intro. 3/17/05. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Changes title to AN ACT TO REQUIRE LOCAL BOARDS OF EDUCATION TO ENSURE THAT STUDENTS IN GRADES EIGHT THROUGH TWELVE RECEIVE ANNUAL INSTRUCTION OR INFORMATION ABOUT THE MANNER IN WHICH A PARENT MAY LAWFULLY ABANDON A NEWBORN BABY WITH A RESPONSIBLE PERSON. As title indicates, modifies proposed GS 115C-47(45) to give local school districts the option of offering either information or instruction on lawful abandonment of a newborn baby. Deletes proposed GS 115C-81(e1)n., which would have required that school districts include information on lawful abandonment in the school health education program.