March 28, 2007

H 1228. STOP LIGHT CAMERAS IN UNION COUNTY. Filed 3/28/07. TO PROVIDE FOR AN INCREASE IN THE PENALTY SET FOR A RED LIGHT VIOLATION DETECTED BY A CAMERA AND TO DEFINE WHAT CLEAR PROCEEDS SHALL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE SCHOOL SYSTEM AND THE AMOUNT OF FUNDS THAT MAY BE USED TO COVER THE ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS OF OPERATING THE RED LIGHT CAMERA SYSTEMS.

Amends GS 160A-300.1(c) increasing the civil penalty for a red light violation detected by a camera from \$50 to \$75. Directs that the clear proceeds from citations issued under an ordinance authorized by the act be paid to the local school board. Specifies that the administrative costs for a red light violation may not exceed \$50. The act applies only to the cities of Greenville, Rocky Mount, and Newton, and to the municipalities in Union County. Makes conforming changes to GS 160A-300.1(d) (listing cities, towns, and municipalities regarding use of traffic control photographic systems). Effective July 1, 2007, and applies to offenses on or after that date.

Intro. by Gibson, Jeffus.

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July 24, 2007

H 1228. STOP LIGHT CAMERAS IN CERTAIN MUNICIPALITIES (NEW). Filed 3/28/07. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Revises Section 3 to narrow the scope of the bill to the City of Monroe and the towns of Marshville and Wingate. Modifies the provisions for (1) the contents of the citation and (2) the formula for determining the amount of the clear proceeds of the civil penalty. Authorizes a collection assistance fee for the costs of collecting civil penalties that are not paid on time. Changes the effective date from July 1, 2007, to September 1, 2007.

July 26, 2007

H 1228. STOP LIGHT CAMERAS IN CERTAIN MUNICIPALITIES. Filed 3/28/07. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 3rd edition. Deletes proposed amendments to GS 160A-300.1(d) [regarding use of traffic control photographic systems in certain towns and cities].

July 27, 2007

H 1228. STOP LIGHT CAMERAS IN CERTAIN MUNICIPALITIES. Filed 3/28/07. House amendment makes the following changes to 4th edition. Adds the cities of Albemarle, Fayetteville, Locust, and Rocky Mount to the bill. Makes a conforming change to GS 160A-300.1(d).

August 1, 2007

H 1228. STOP LIGHT CAMERAS IN CERTAIN MUNICIPALITIES. Filed 3/28/07. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 5th edition. Reorganizes GS 160A-300.1(c)(6) and extends the scope of the statute so that it also applies to Charlotte, Durham, and all the municipalities in Union County.

August 10, 2007

SL 2007-341 (H 1228). STOP LIGHT CAMERAS IN CERTAIN MUNICIPALITIES. AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR AN INCREASE IN THE PENALTY SET FOR A RED LIGHT VIOLATION DETECTED BY A CAMERA; TO REQUIRE THAT THE CLEAR PROCEEDS OF EACH PENALTY COLLECTED BE TRANSFERRED TO THE LOCAL SCHOOL BOARD; TO DEFINE WHAT AMOUNTS MAY BE DEDUCTED FROM EACH PENALTY BY A MUNICIPALITY TO ARRIVE AT THE AMOUNT OF CLEAR PROCEEDS FROM EACH CIVIL PENALTY THAT MUST BE TRANSFERRED TO THE LOCAL SCHOOL BOARD; AND TO PERMIT A COLLECTION ASSISTANCE FEE TO BE COLLECTED FROM THE RESPONSIBLE PARTY IF THE CIVIL PENALTY IS NOT PAID WITHIN A SPECIFIED TIME. Summarized in Daily Bulletin

3/28/07, 7/24/07, 7/26/07, 7/27/07, and 8/1/07. Enacted August 2, 2007. Effective September 1, 2007.