

March 28, 2007

H 1243. COURTROOM PROCEDURES/JUVENILE PROCEEDINGS. Filed 3/28/07. *TO CREATE A PROCEDURE BY WHICH DETERMINATION IS MADE TO RESTRAIN JUVENILES IN THE COURTROOM.*

Enacts GS 7B-2405.1 and 7B-2501.1 to provide that a judge may subject a juvenile to physical restraint during adjudication or disposition only when the judge finds it reasonably necessary to maintain order, prevent the juvenile's escape, or provide for safety of the courtroom. Requires the judge to give the juvenile and the juvenile's attorney an opportunity to be heard before restraints are ordered, and requires the judge to make findings of fact if restraints are ordered.

Intro. by Bryant.

GS 7B

May 15, 2007

H 1243. COURTROOM PROCEDURES/JUVENILE PROCEEDINGS. Filed 3/28/07. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Rolls provisions in proposed GS 7B-2405.1 (adjudication) and GS 7B-2501.1 (disposition) regarding restraint of juveniles in the courtroom into new GS 7B-2402.1 providing that the procedures for determining when a juvenile may be subject to physical restraint in the courtroom apply to any hearings authorized or required under Subchapter II (undisciplined and delinquent juveniles) of GS Chapter 7B. Applies to all hearings conducted on or after October 1, 2007. Deletes proposed GS 7B-2405.1 and GS 7B-2501.1.

May 16, 2007

H 1243. COURTROOM PROCEDURES/JUVENILE PROCEEDINGS. Filed 3/28/07. House amendment makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Modifies GS 7B-2402.1 (regarding restraint of juveniles in courtroom) making the provision of an opportunity to be heard prior to the use of restraints conditional by inserting the phrase, *whenever practical*.

June 26, 2007

SL 2007-100 (H 1243). COURTROOM PROCEDURES/JUVENILE PROCEEDINGS. AN ACT TO CREATE A PROCEDURE BY WHICH DETERMINATION IS MADE TO RESTRAIN JUVENILES IN THE COURTROOM. Summarized in *Daily Bulletin* 3/28/07, 5/15/07, and 5/16/07. Enacted June 20, 2007. Effective October 1, 2007.