February 28, 2007

H 414. AMEND METALS PRODUCTS REGULATIONS. Filed 2/28/07. TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE REGULATION OF CERTAIN METALS TO PROVIDE MORE OVERSIGHT OF THE SALES OF METALS PRODUCTS AND TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTY FOR VIOLATING THOSE REGULATIONS.

Amends GS 66-11 to require a secondary metals recycler (recycler) who purchases regulated metals to keep a record of a signed statement that includes the delivery vehicle license plate number when the person delivering the metals does not have a driver's license. Requires the recycler to make receipts for the purchase of regulated metals available for pickup by the sheriff or chief of police each work day. Prohibits the recycler from purchasing regulated metals from minors. Also requires the recycler to retain regulated metals for seven days after purchase before selling or disposing of them. Requires the recycler to report any offers to sell metals that the recycler suspects are stolen. Increases violations of the section from a Class 1 to a Class A1 misdemeanor. Makes conforming changes. Effective for offenses committed on or after December 1, 2007.

Intro. by Braxton.

**GS 66** 

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**H 414. AMEND METALS PRODUCTS REGULATIONS.** Filed 2/28/07. House committee substitute adopted 4/9/07 makes the following changes to 1st edition. Amends proposed GS 66-11(d1) to exempt iron and steel products from the requirement that metals be retained for seven days before they can be sold or altered.

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H 414. AMEND METALS PRODUCT REGULATIONS. Filed 2/28/07. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Modifies proposed amendments to GS 66-11 as follows: (1) makes the requirement that a secondary metals recycler make purchase receipts for the regulated metals property available for regular pickup conditional upon request by the sheriff or the chief of police; (2) limits a secondary metals recycler from purchasing or receiving regulated metals property from a minor other than at a fixed location except for the purchase of aluminum beverage or food cans; and (3) provides that the requirement to retain certain metals for seven days before selling or altering applies to any secondary metals recycler owner convicted of a violation of GS Chapter 66 (commerce and business), GS 14-71 (receiving stolen goods), GS 14-71.1 (possessing stolen goods), or GS 14-72 (larceny of property).