

March 12, 2007

**H 584. ITS/EMPLOYEE BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS.** Filed 3/12/07. *MAKING EMPLOYEES AND PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYEES OF THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES SUBJECT TO BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS; EXEMPTING FROM THE PUBLIC RECORDS LAWS THE CRIMINAL HISTORIES OF AGENCY SECURITY LIAISONS AND PERSONNEL IN THE OFFICE OF STATE AUDITOR, AND MAKING CONFORMING CHANGES.*

Amends GS 147-33.77 authorizing the State Chief Information Officer to require background investigations of employees and prospective employees. Provides that the background reports are not public records under GS Chapter 132. If the employee or prospective employee has been a resident of North Carolina for less than five years, the background report must include a review of information from the State and National Repositories of Criminal Histories. Amends GS 114-19.20 to allow the Department of Justice (DOJ) to provide the Office of Information Technology Services (OITS) the criminal history of current or prospective employees, volunteers, or contractors and allows the DOJ to charge a fee to offset the costs of conducting the criminal record check. Requires OITS to provide DOJ with fingerprints, a form signed by the person consenting to the background check, and any additional information required. Makes conforming changes to GS 147-33.113.

**Intro. by Tolson.**

GS 114, 147

June 20, 2007

**H 584. ITS/EMPLOYEE BACKG. INVESTIGATIONS/IT BOARD (NEW).** Filed 3/12/07. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Amends GS 147-33.72G to decrease the membership of the Information Technology Advisory Board (board) from 12 members to 9 and modify the requirements for individuals appointed to the board. Also establishes the members' terms and provides for the filling of vacancies. Includes in the board's duties advising the State Chief Information Officer on the development of statewide information technology programs and services. Sets the term of the existing board members to expire September 30, 2007. Amends the effective date to provide that the changes to the statute concerning the board are effective October 1, 2007.

June 25, 2007

**H 584. ITS/EMPLOYEE BACKG. INVESTIGATIONS/IT BOARD.** Filed 3/12/07. Senate amendment makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Provides that if Senate Bill 878, 2007 Regular Session becomes law, the following proposed changes are repealed so as not to be enacted twice: (1) enactment of new GS 147-33.77 (regarding background investigations for employees or prospective employees of the Office of Information Technology Services); (2) and proposed amendments to GS 147-33.113(a)(4) and GS 114-19.20.

July 9, 2007

**SL 2007-189 (H 584). INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES/EMPLOYEE BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS/INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY BOARD. AN ACT MAKING EMPLOYEES AND PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYEES OF THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES SUBJECT TO BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS; EXEMPTING FROM THE PUBLIC RECORDS LAWS THE CRIMINAL HISTORIES OF AGENCY SECURITY LIAISONS AND PERSONNEL IN THE OFFICE OF STATE AUDITOR, AND MAKING CONFORMING CHANGES, AND TO CHANGE THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ADVISORY BOARD.** Summarized in *Daily Bulletin* 3/12/07, 6/20/07, and 6/25/07. Enacted July 8, 2007. Section 4 is effective October 1, 2007. The remainder is effective July 8, 2007.