March 14, 2007

H 648. CORRECTION ENTERPRISES/FUNDS. Filed 3/14/07. TO REVISE AND RECODIFY THE LAW AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF CORRECTION ENTERPRISES WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR A STUDY OF THE JOB TRAINING PROGRAMS AVAILABLE FOR INCARCERATED INMATES.

To be summarized in tomorrow's *Daily Bulletin*. Intro. by Gibson, R. Warren.

GS 148, APPROP, STUDY

## March 15, 2007

H 648. CORRECTION ENTERPRISES/FUNDS. Filed 3/14/07. TO REVISE AND RECODIFY THE LAW AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF CORRECTION ENTERPRISES WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR A STUDY OF THE JOB TRAINING PROGRAMS AVAILABLE FOR INCARCERATED INMATES.

Enacts new GS Chapter 148, Article 14, titled "Correction Enterprises" establishing the Division of Correction Enterprises (DCE) within the Department of Correction. DCE is to develop and operate industrial, agricultural, and service enterprises employing incarcerated offenders. The act sets forth the powers and responsibilities of DCE and directs the Secretary of the Department of Corrections to adopt rules governing DCE inmate wages and working conditions and directs state entities to give preference to DCE products. Repeals and amends various other statutory sections in GS Chapter 148 inconsistent with or superfluous in light of new Article 14. Directs the Department of Correction to study job training programs available for incarcerated inmates. Appropriates from the General Fund to the Department of Correction \$25,000 for 2007-08 to conduct the study. Effective July 1, 2007.

Intro. by Gibson, R. Warren.

GS 148, APPROP, STUDY

# May 3, 2007

**H 648. CORRECTION ENTERPRISES.** Filed 3/14/07. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Deletes the provision requiring a study of job training programs available to inmates, and deletes the \$25,000 appropriation to fund the study. Makes conforming changes to the title. Modifies proposed GS 148-126 to delete the authority to execute and enter into leases from the powers and responsibilities delegated to the Division of Correction Enterprises. [First edition amends GS Chapter 148 by adding a new Article 14 that establishes the Division of Correction Enterprises as a division of the Department of Correction (DOC).] Modifies proposed GS 148-127 to limit the sale of Correction Enterprises goods to a state employee to a value not to exceed \$2,500 a year. Amends GS 66-58(b)(16) to add VA Medical Centers of the United States Department of Veteran Affairs to the list of agencies for which the DOC may perform laundry services. Makes conforming changes to GS 66-58(f). Makes technical changes.

### May 8, 2007

**H 648. CORRECTION ENTERPRISES.** Filed 3/14/07. House amendment makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Amends proposed GS 148-127 to clarify that Correction Enterprises may market and sell products and services to current state employees, verified by state-issued identification. Also prohibits products purchased by state employees from being resold.

#### June 18, 2007

**H 648. CORRECTION ENTERPRISES.** Filed 3/14/07. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 3rd edition. Makes technical and stylistic changes.

June 19, 2007

**H 648. CORRECTION ENTERPRISES.** Filed 3/14/07. Senate amendment makes the following changes to 4th edition. Sets the act to expire on July 1, 2012.

# July 11, 2007

**H 648. CORRECTION ENTERPRISES.** Filed 3/14/07. Conference report recommends the following changes to 5th edition to reconcile matters in controversy. Changes the effective date from July 1, 2007, to August 1, 2007, and provides that only the first sentence of GS 148-127(5) (allowing the Division of Correction Enterprises to market and sell products and services to any current state employee up to \$2,500 during any calendar year), not the entire act, expires on July 1, 2012.

July 28, 2007

SL 2007-280 (H 648). CORRECTION ENTERPRISES. AN ACT TO REVISE AND RECODIFY THE LAW AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF CORRECTION ENTERPRISES WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION. Summarized in Daily Bulletin 3/15/07, 5/4/07, 5/8/07, 6/18/07, 6/19/07, and 7/11/07. Enacted July 27, 2007. Effective August 1, 2007, but the first sentence of GS 148-127(5), as enacted by this act, expires July 1, 2012.