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To be summarized in tomorrow's *Daily Bulletin*.

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Amends the crime of restraining a dog in a cruel manner in GS 14-362.3. Prohibits tethering for more than specified periods of time and requires that tethering conform to specified requirements. Provides that counties, cities, and towns may by ordinance modify the permitted times for tethering. Violation remains a Class 1 misdemeanor but now also constitutes cruelty under GS 19A-1(2). Effective December 1, 2007.

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