March 6, 2007

S 567. ALLOW DISTRIBUTION OF E-BLEND FUEL. Filed 3/6/07. TO PROMOTE ENERGY EFFICIENCY BY ALLOWING THE DISTRIBUTION OF E-BLEND FUELS.

Enacts new GS 143-143.6 authorizing E-blend fuel (which consists of petroleum and more than 15 percent ethanol) to be dispensed from equipment that is fully compliant with requirements for dispensing E-15 fuel (which consists of petroleum and no more than 15 percent ethanol). The manufacturer must provide a written statement that the specified equipment is compatible with E-blend and does not present a distinct hazard to the public. The entity dispensing E-blend fuel must retain this statement and make it available to the Office of the Fire Marshal upon request. The dispensing equipment must also comply with state law for dispensing E-15 fuel and the manufacturer must have initiated the process of applying to an independent testing laboratory to have the equipment listed as in compliance with nationally recognized standards for dispensing E-blend fuels. Expires July 1, 2009.

Intro. by Dalton.

GS 143

March 21, 2007

S 567. ALLOW DISTRIBUTION OF E-BLEND FUEL. Filed 3/6/07. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Allows E-blend fuel to be dispensed from equipment that complies with the requirements for dispensing gasoline or E-10 (was, E-15) fuel. Changes definition for E-15 fuel to E-10 fuel and makes conforming change to E-blend definition. Makes conforming and technical changes.

April 17, 2007

S 567. ALLOW DISTRIBUTION OF E-BLEND FUEL. Filed 3/6/07. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Modifies proposed GS 143-143.6 by adding an additional requirement that E-blend fuel is to be dispensed from equipment that fully discloses in bold print the type of fuel being dispensed by the percentage of ethanol included in the fuel. (This act governs the distribution of fuels that are a blend of petroleum and ethanol.)

May 24, 2007

S 567. FACILITATE DISTRIBUTION OF E-BLEND FUEL (NEW). Filed 3/6/07. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 3rd edition. Modifies the proposed definition of *E-blend fuel* to mean a blend of petroleum and ethanol that includes more than 10% and no more than 85% ethanol by volume (was, includes more than 10% ethanol). Modifies the proposed definition of *listed* to mean equipment or materials that have been tested or evaluated by an organization that periodically tests for compliance with nationally recognized safety standards and that have been found to be free from foreseeable risks of fire, electric shock, and related hazards and to be suitable for use in a specified manner. Requires entities dispensing the e-blend fuel to disclose that the e-blend fuel is being dispensed and state the percentage of ethanol in the fuel (was, disclose in bold type the type of fuel dispensed by percentage of ethanol included). Reorganizes proposed GS 143-143.6. Makes technical changes. Makes a conforming title change.

June 18, 2007

SL 2007-82 (S 567). FACILITATE DISTRIBUTION OF E-BLEND FUEL. AN ACT TO FACILITATE THE DISTRIBUTION OF E-BLEND FUELS. Summarized in Daily Bulletin 3/6/07, 3/21/07, 4/17/07, and 5/24/07. Enacted June 14, 2007. Effective June 14, 2007, and expires July 1, 2009.

June 19, 2007

SL 2007-82 (S 567). FACILITATE DISTRIBUTION OF E-BLEND FUEL. AN ACT TO FACILITATE THE DISTRIBUTION OF E-BLEND FUELS. Summarized in Daily Bulletin 3/6/07, 3/21/07, 4/17/07, and 5/24/07. Enacted June 14, 2007. Effective June 14, 2007, and expires July 1, 2009.