

March 7, 2007

S 613. GENERAL STATUTES COMM. TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS (=H 545). Filed 3/7/07. *TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AS REQUESTED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION.*

Identical to H 545, filed 3/7/07.

Intro. by Hartsell.

GS 70, 110, 140, 152

July 31, 2007

S 613. 2007 TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS ACT (NEW). Filed 3/7/07. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. This bill is divided into two parts. Part I makes technical corrections to the General Statutes as recommended by the General Statutes Commission that do the following: (1) update names and statutory references; (2) delete obsolete provisions; (3) correct typographical and other drafting errors; (4) reorganize statutory provisions; (5) make conforming changes; (6) recodify provisions that were initially placed incorrectly or should have been moved to conform to other statutory changes; and (7) standardize use of terms.

Part II amends numerous provisions to make similar changes and also makes additional changes.

Amends GS 7A-200 to expand the definition for *set of districts* to include a set of three districts in one county with one consisting of the entire county and the other two consisting of parts of that county. Amends GS 7A-133 to create district court district 20D (Union County).

Amends GS 7A-177(6) to require training and continuing education courses to be conveniently available to all magistrates. Removes the requirement that course be held in Asheville.

Enacts GS 10B-70 to provide validation for certain notarial acts performed for local government agencies by persons lacking full qualifications as a notary or whose notary commission was expired. Applied retroactively to notarial acts performed for a local government agency on or after October 31, 2006, and before June 30, 2007.

Amends GS 84-2 to add magistrates to the list of positions held in which the person is prohibited from engaging in the private practice of law.

Amends GS 115D-5(a) to expand the State Board of Community Colleges' (SBCC) authority with respect to individual institutions to include approving capital improvement projects. Amends GS 115D-15.1 regarding the authority of a board of trustees of a community college to enter into agreements for disposition, acquisition, and construction of property with a county. Amends GS 115D-54(a) to require that the board of trustees (BT) for each community college submit an annual budget request on a date determined by the SBCC (was, on or before May 1 each year). Amends GS 115D-55(a) to direct that each BT submit the budget to the local tax-levying authority (Authority) on a date set by the Authority (was, not later than May 15 or a later date selected by the Authority). Amends GS 115D-58.15(a) to direct that, effective October 1, 2007, a community college not have more than five State-funded contracts in effect at one time.

Amends GS 130A-498(c) to include a body created by any joint resolution in the definition of *local government*.

Amends GS 149-64.7(a) to allow an Auditor to use and disclose overdue tax debts information in support of the Auditor's statutory mission.

SL 2005-198, permitting community colleges to provide coursework for persons entering the teaching profession by lateral entry, was set to expire July 1, 2011. Amends SL 2005-198 to remove the sunset.

Effective July 11, 2007, amends SL 2007-213, Section 15, to make the following statutory provisions, as amended, effective December 1, 2007: GS 14-208.40 (establishment of sex offender monitoring program), GS 14-208.40B (determination of satellite-based monitoring requirement in certain circumstances), GS 14-208.40C (requirement of enrollment), GS 14-208.42 (requiring offenders who submit to satellite-based monitoring to cooperate with the Department of Corrections upon completion of sentence), GS 14-208.43 (release from requirement to register), GS 14-208.45 (enrollment fees), and GS 14-208.41 (mandatory enrollment in satellite-based monitoring programs and length of enrollment). Makes GS

14-208.9(a) [change of address for persons required to register] effective when it becomes law (was, December 1, 2007). Amends SL 2007-164, Section 8, to make the changes to GS 20-91(c) effective July 1, 2008 (was, when the act becomes law).

Makes additional technical corrections and organizational changes.

August 1, 2007

S 613. 2007 TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS ACT. Filed 3/7/07. House amendments make the following changes to 2nd edition. Make technical correction: (1) to GS 14-440.1(c) if H 1094 becomes law; (2) to Section 2 of H 956; (3) to Section 6 of H 1517 if the bill becomes law, and provides that for the purposes of the 2008 election, the beginning date for the voluntary funding limitation must be set by the State Board of Elections; and (4) to various sections of H 1499, if the bill becomes law. Modifies SL 2007-298 Section 10 to clarify that Sections 7.4 and 7.5 apply to *failure to submit* license renewal applications and annual verifications of status. Modifies SL 2005-421, Section 2.66 to make a technical change and extend one member's term on the North Carolina Recreation Therapy Licensure Board from June 30, 2007, to June 30, 2008. Provides that the inclusion of magistrates in those who may not engage in the private practice of law under GS 84.2 is effective December 1, 2007.

August 2, 2007

S 613. 2007 TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS ACT. Filed 3/7/07. House amendments make the following changes to 3rd edition. Effective January 1, 2008, amendment #8 amends GS 115D-31.3(j) use of funds by community colleges in low-wealth counties to update the tier reference to reflect the 2006 restructuring of the tier system in GS 143B-437.08. If H 820 (Amend Interbasin Transfer Laws) becomes law, amends Section 7 (a) to provide that the act applies to any petition for a transfer of surface water certificate for which preparation of an environmental assessment or an environmental impact statement has begun on or after the date on which the act becomes law. Effective January 1, 2008, makes technical corrections to GS 53-243.10(8) and repeals GS 53-243.10(10) if H 1817 becomes law.

If H 1517 (voter-owned elections pilot) becomes law, amendment #9 enacts new GS 163-278.99B(e) to provide for proportional allocation of matching funds for multicandidate communications.

September 4, 2007

SL 2007-484 (S 613). 2007 TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS ACT. AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AS REQUESTED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, AND TO MAKE VARIOUS OTHER TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AND SESSION LAWS. Summarized in *Daily Bulletin* 3/7/07, 7/31/07, 8/1/07, and 8/2/07. Enacted August 30, 2007. Effective August 30, 2007, except as otherwise provided.