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H 279. U.S.S. NORTH CAROLINA/NO FEE FOR MILITARY. Filed 2/24/09. *TO PROVIDE THAT MEMBERS AND VETERANS OF THE MILITARY ARE NOT CHARGED AN ADMISSION FEE TO THE U.S.S. NORTH CAROLINA.*

Amends GS 143B-73, authorizing the U.S.S. North Carolina Battleship Commission (Commission) to establish standards and adopt rules and regulations for (1) establishing and providing for a proper charge for admission to the U.S.S. North Carolina and (2) the maintenance and operation of the ship as a permanent memorial and exhibit. Directs that members and veterans of the military are not to be charged for admission to the ship; however, permits the Commission to require persons to submit proof that they are a member or a veteran of the military. Defines the term *military* as it applies in the proposed new subdivision. Makes a conforming change to GS 143B-73.1 (regarding the duties of the Commission).

Intro. by McElraft.

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