

March 31, 2009

H 944. DISCLOSURE BY APPOINTEES. Filed 3/31/09. *TO PROVIDE FOR DISCLOSURE OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION ACTIVITY BY APPOINTEES TO POSITIONS IN STATE GOVERNMENT.*

Adds new section GS 163-278.23A to provide that within five days of an appointment to the Governor's Cabinet, the state courts, or to any board and commission exercising executive powers, the appointee has a duty to submit reports to the State Board of Elections on contributions of \$1000 or more made by the appointee or by members of the appointee's family to the political committee that made the appointment. Also requires that within five days of an appointment to the Governor's Cabinet, the state courts, or to a specified list of 14 boards and commissions, that the appointee submit a list of contributions of \$1000 or more that resulted from the appointee's fund-raising for a relevant political committee. Requires the State Board of Elections to make these reports available to the public within three business days of receiving the reports. Provides that a violation of the new section is a Class 2 misdemeanor. Makes a conforming change by repealing GS 143B-350(i) and (j) (related to the Board of Transportation and the Secretary of Transportation's disclosure of contributions and campaign fund-raising). Effective January 1, 2010, and applicable to contributions made on or after that date.

Intro. by Glazier, Stam, Ross, Tillis.

GS 163, 143B

April 23, 2009

H 944. DISCLOSURE BY APPOINTEES. Filed 3/31/09. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Makes technical changes only.

May 5, 2009

H 944. DISCLOSURE BY APPOINTEES. Filed 3/31/09. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Clarifies in the proposed definition of *date of appointment*, in new GS 163-278.23A, that for the purposes of this section individuals elected to the UNC Board of Governors and the State Board of Community Colleges by the General Assembly are appointees. Makes a technical change.

May 6, 2009

H 944. DISCLOSURE BY APPOINTEES. Filed 3/31/09. House amendment makes the following changes to 3rd edition. Amends proposed GS 163-278.23A regarding the initial report by appointees to positions in state government of contribution-related activity to require the appointing authority to notify the appointee of the appointment and the duty to report within five days after the date of the appointment. Also directs the appointing authority to make the appropriate reporting forms available to the appointee. Requires the appointee to submit reports to the State Board of Election within five days after receiving the notice from the appointing authority (was, required the appointee to submit reports to the State Board of Election within five days after the date of the appointment). Repeals GS 143B-350(i) [was, repealed GS 143B-350(i) and (j)].