March 23, 2009

S 775. STUDY PREPAID WIRELESS SERVICE CHARGES. Filed 3/23/09. AUTHORIZING THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE UTILITY REVIEW COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE ADEQUACY OF THE SERVICE CHARGE FOR PREPAID WIRELESS TELEPHONE SERVICE AND THE MANNER IN WHICH THE SERVICE CHARGE IS COLLECTED AND REMITTED TO THE 911 BOARD AND EXTENDING THE SUNSET ON THE COLLECTION OF SERVICE CHARGES FOR PREPAID WIRELESS TELEPHONE SERVICE.

As title indicates. Allows the Joint Legislative Utility Review Committee to make an interim report to the 2010 Regular Session of the 2009 General Assembly and requires a final report to be submitted to the 2011 Session of the General Assembly. Requires the Legislative Services Officer to allocate funds for the Committee's expenditures in conducting the study.

Amends Section 7(c) of SL 2007-383, as amended, to provide that the charge imposed in GS 62A-43 does not apply to prepaid wireless telephone service until September 30, 2010 (was, does not apply for the 2008 calendar year and for the first nine months of the 2009 calendar year).

Intro. by Dannelly.

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