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Comm. Sub. [YES]  
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Senator \_\_\_\_\_

1 moves to amend the bill on page 19, lines 3 through 5,  
2 by rewriting those lines to read:

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4 "SECTION 15.(b) G.S. 143-214.2 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

5 "§ 143-214.2. Prohibited discharges.

6 (a) The discharge of any radiological, chemical or biological warfare agent or  
7 high-level radioactive waste to the waters of the State is prohibited.

8 (b) The discharge of any wastes to the subsurface or groundwaters of the State by  
9 means of wells is prohibited. This section shall not be construed to prohibit (i) the operation of  
10 closed-loop groundwater remediation systems in accordance with G.S. 143-215.1A or (ii)  
11 injection of hydraulic fracturing fluid for the exploration or development of natural gas  
12 resources.

13 (c) Unless permitted by a rule of the Commission, the discharge of wastes, including  
14 thermal discharges, to the open waters of the Atlantic Ocean over which the State has  
15 jurisdiction are prohibited.

16 (d) The discharge of any waste produced in connection with oil and gas exploration,  
17 development, and production, that contains a pollutant for which the Commission has not  
18 adopted an effluent limit guideline under G.S. 143-215, or a water quality standard under  
19 G.S. 143-214.1, is prohibited."

20 SECTION 15.(c) This section is effective when it becomes law, except that  
21 G.S. 113-395D(b), as enacted by Section 15(a) of this act, shall become effective December 1,  
22 2014. "

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_

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