



## NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT House Bill 40

AMENDMENT NO.	A <sub>2</sub>
(to be filled in by	
Principal Clerk)	

H40-ATU-7 [v.2]

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Amends Title [YES] Second Edition Date \_\_\_\_\_,2023

Senator Smith

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- moves to amend the bill on page 1, line 10, by inserting the following at the end of the line before
  the period:
- 4 "PROTEST RESPONSE AND ENGAGEMENT POLICIES; AND TO REQUIRE THAT
  5 BUSINESS PROPERTY INSURANCE POLICES COVER DAMAGE CAUSED BY
  6 RIOTS";
- 8 and on page 3, lines 19-20, by rewriting the lines to read:
- 10 "SECTION 4.7(a). Article 44 of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes is amended by
  adding a new section to read:
- 12 "<u>§ 58-44-31. Require business property insurance coverage for damage caused by riot.</u>
- All business property insurance polices issued in this State shall provide coverage for any damage that is caused by rioting, looting, or civil commotion. No insurer shall deny coverage on the basis that the damage is caused by rioting, looting, or civil commotion."
- 16 **SECTION 4.7(b).** This section becomes effective October 1, 2023, and applies to 17 business property insurance policies issued, renewed, or amended on or after that date.
- 18 **SECTION 5.** Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 4.1 of this act become effective December 1,
- 19 2023, and apply to offenses committed on or after that date. Except as otherwise herein provided,
- 20 the remainder of this act is effective when it becomes law.".

