A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT TO AMEND THE NORTH CAROLINA BUILDING CODE EXCLUSION FOR
TEMPORARY MOTION PICTURE, TELEVISION, AND THEATER STAGE SETS AND
SCENERY TO EXEMPT THEM FROM USE AND OCCUPANCY CLASSIFICATION
UNDER THE CODE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 143-138(b20) reads as rewritten:
"(b20) Exclusion for Temporary Motion Picture, Television, and Theater Stage Sets and
Scenery. – Buildings used for temporary motion picture, television, and theater stage sets and
scenery are exempt from use and occupancy classification under the North Carolina State
Building Code. No permit shall be required under the North Carolina State Building Code or any
local variant approved under subsection (e) of this section for any construction, installation,
repair, replacement, or alteration of temporary motion picture, television, and theater stage sets
and scenery that are being used for less than one year in one location and are inspected by the
assigned fire code inspector. The Building Code Council shall create a fire code inspection
checklist that shall be used for inspections under this subsection-scenery."

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.