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SENATE BILL DRS45435-NJa-75

Short Title: State Surplus Vehicle Repair. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator McInnis (Primary Sponsor).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT REQUIRING STATE AGENCIES TO DONATE SURPLUS STATE VEHICLES TO  
3 NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE AUTO REPAIR PROGRAMS AND TO  
4 DIVIDE SALES PROCEEDS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO RAISE  
5 AWARENESS OF THIS ACT.

6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 **SECTION 1.** Article 3A of Chapter 143 of the General Statutes is amended by  
8 adding a new section to read:

9 "**§ 143-64.07. State surplus vehicles.**

10 State-owned motor vehicles that have become surplus property shall be repaired by a North  
11 Carolina community college with an Automotive Systems Technologies program and sold by the  
12 State Surplus Property Agency. Proceeds from the sale of the vehicle shall be equally divided  
13 and distributed to the agency that owned the vehicle and the community college that repaired the  
14 vehicle."

15 **SECTION 2.** G.S. 143-64.02 reads as rewritten:

16 "**§ 143-64.02. Definitions.**

17 The following definitions apply in Part 1 of this Article:

18 ...

19 (1a) Motor vehicle. – As defined in G.S. 20-354.2.

20 (1b) Motor vehicle repair. – As defined in G.S. 20-354.2.

21 ...."

22 **SECTION 3.** Effective July 1, 2024, there is appropriated from the General Fund to  
23 the North Carolina Community College System Office the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars  
24 (\$25,000) in nonrecurring funds for the 2024-2025 fiscal year to raise public awareness of this  
25 act.

26 **SECTION 4.** Except as otherwise provided, this act is effective when it becomes law  
27 and applies to all motor vehicles that have been made surplus on or after that date.

