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# AGENDA 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, February 21, 2018 Room 643 Legislative Office Building

Room 643 Legislative Office Building Raleigh, North Carolina

1. Call to order

Representative Ted Davis, presiding

2. Introductory remarks by Cochairs
Representative Ted Davis
Representative Holly Grange

Representative Frank Iler

- 3. Department of Environmental Quality update on response to emerging compounds and responses to previous questions, including:
  - Spikes in GenX concentrations near the Cape Fear Public Utility Authority Plant in December, 2017
  - Potential use of private drinking water well filtration systems
  - Update on enforcement actions taken

(1 hour 15 minutes)

Sheila Holman, Assistant Secretary for Environment Department of Environmental Quality

Linda Culpepper, Deputy Director, Division of Water Resources Department of Environmental Quality

Michael Scott, Director, Division of Waste Management Department of Environmental Quality

Mike Abraczinskas, Director, Division of Air Quality Department of Environmental Quality 4. Interim report on implementation of Section 20(a)(1) of S.L. 2017-209 (House Bill 56) (GenX Response Measures); report on spikes in GenX concentrations near the Cape Fear Public Utility Authority Plant in December, 2017 (30 minutes)

Jim Flechtner, Executive Director Cape Fear Public Utility Authority

Frank Styers, Chief Operations Officer Cape Fear Public Utility Authority

5. Interim report on implementation of Section 20(a)(2) of S.L. 2017-209 (House Bill 56) (GenX Response Measures) (45 minutes)

Dr. Robert Keiber, Professor and Graduate Coordinator Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, University of North Carolina Wilmington

### LUNCH BREAK

6. Use and availability of high resolution mass spectrometers for detection and analysis of GenX and other emerging contaminants (1 hour)

Mark Strynar, Physical Scientist National Exposure Research Laboratory, United States Environmental Protection Agency

Andy Miller, Director of Legislative Affairs Department of Environmental Quality

- 7. Discussion of House Bill 189 (Water Safety Act) (1 hour)
- 8. Committee discussion and announcements
- 9. Adjourn

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

Persons having questions about the Committee meeting or other matters related to the Committee may contact Jeff Hudson or Jennifer McGinnis, Committee Counsels, or other Committee staff at (919) 733-2578 or may visit the Committee's website at:

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