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NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
Commerce and Job Development
SubCommittee on Science and Technology
2011-2012 SESSION



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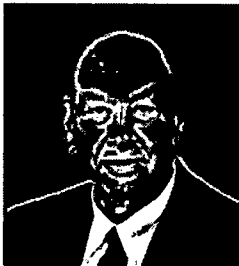
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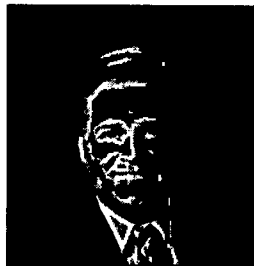
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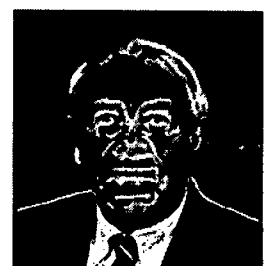
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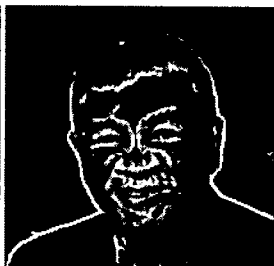
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Bill	Introducer	Short Title	Latest Action	In Date	Out Date
H0044	Pierce	PROHIBIT MOBILE PHONE USE/HANDS-FREE ONLY.	H Ref to the Com on Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology, if favorable, Transportation, if favorable, Finance	02-08-11	
H0091=	Faison	REPEAL E-NC SUNSET.	H Assigned To Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology	03-10-11	
H0101	K. Alexander	BROADBAND PARITY FOR COUNTIES & CITIES.	H Assigned To Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology	03-10-11	
H0307	Dollar	LOCAL ELECTRONIC NOTICE.	H Re-ref Com On Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology	05-26-11	
H0391=	Avila	DEPT. OF ADMIN/PROCUREMENT MODERNIZATION.-AB	H Ref To Com On Commerce	04-13-11	06-08-11
S0346	Eleanor Kinnaird	EXEMPT COOKING SCHOOLS FROM FOOD REGULATIONS.	*H Pres. To Gov. 6/20/2011	04-13-11	04-20-11

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Minutes

Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology

Wednesday March 23, 2011

10:00 am

Room 1425

Chairman Representative Avila called the meeting to order and introduced the pages, staff and Sargent at Arms.

The following representatives were in attendance: Adams, Bradley, Brandon, Brawley, Farmer-Butterfield, Frye, Hastings, Horn, Jeffus, Johnson, Murry, Parfitt, Sanderson, Tolson, Torbett, Wray. Womble was absent.

Chairman Avila asked that committee members look within their districts to find technology companies that might be available to make presentations to the committee.

Chairman Avila pointed members to a handout on manufacturing.

Rep. Sanderson made a motion to adopt the PCS for H 44 Prohibit Mobile Phone Use/Hands-Free Only. The motion to discuss H44 was passed.

Rep. Garland Pierce was asked to explain the bill.

He asked for the staff to give an overview.

Bill Patterson, Research, summarized the bill.

Rep Pierce continued explanation of bill.

Chairmen Avila asked for questions from members.

She recognized Rep. Adams.

Rep. Adams asked about costs.

Rep. Pierce answered.

Chairmen Avila recognized Rep Farmer-Butterfield.

Re. Farmer-Butterfield asked about laws in other states.

Rep Pierce answered.

Chairman Avila recognized Rep. Horn.

Rep. Horn commented on the bill.

Chairman Avila recognized Rep. Hastings.

Rep. Hastings asked questions on law enforcement, the constitutionality of the bill and contributory negligence.

Staff Bill Patterson responded to the contributory negligence issue.

Rep Hastings was recognized for a follow up.

Rep Hastings asked about emergency personnel exception.

Staff Bill Patterson responded.

Chairman Avila recognized Rep Bradley.

Rep Bradley commented on the bill.

Rep. Bradley made a motion for a favorable report.

Chairmen Avila responded that the bill was for discussion only.

Rep Avila recognized Rep. Jeffus.

Rep. Jeffus asked for clarifications of changes from the original bill and the PCS.

Staff Bill Patterson was recognized to address the changes.

Chairman Avila recognized Rep. Adams.

Rep Adams asked the bill sponsor about emergency exceptions.

Rep Pierce referred her question to staff.

Staff Bill Patterson explained.

Chairman Avila recognized Rep Sanderson.

Rep. Sanderson asked if this bill was enforceable.

Rep. Pierce responded.

Chairman Avila recognized Rep. Sanderson for a follow-up on training od emergency personal.

Rep Pierce responded.

Rep. Sanderson was recognized for a follow-up on a question on GPS devises.

Rep. Pierce commented.

Rep. Horn was recognized to make a comment and observation.

Rep Wray was recognized to make a comment on hearing aids.

Rep Brawley was recognized by the chair to make a comment.

Rep Murry was recognized by the chair ask staff for the grid on how a Class Two misdemeanor fits into violations.

Staff Bill Patterson said he will provide that for the committee.

Chair Avila asked for if there were more questions.

Rep. Sanderson was recognized for comment.

Staff Bill Patterson addressed the misdemeanor question.

Chairman Avila opened the meeting to public comment.

Mr. Tom Crosby, Vice President of AAA of the Carolinas, presented information in support of the bill.

Miss Krista Slough, UNC student and accident victim spoke in support of the bill.

Mr. Joe Capowski, witness to accident and retired UNC faculty member, spoke in support of the bill.

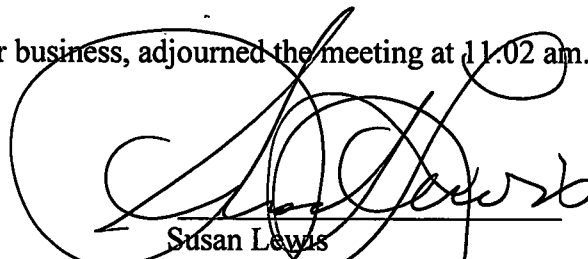
Chairman Avila asked if there were more wishing to speak. As there were none, she recognized Rep. Pierce for a closing comment.

Rep. Pierce commented.

Chairman Avila, having no further business, adjourned the meeting at 11.02 am.

Respectfully submitted,


Representative Marilyn Avila
Committee Chair


Susan Lewis
Committee Assistant

Susan Lewis (Rep. Avila)

From: Susan Lewis (Rep. Avila)
Sent: Friday, March 18, 2011 4:12 PM
To: Rep. Garland Pierce; Mildred Alston (Rep. Pierce)
Subject: <NCGA> House Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology Committee Meeting Notice for Wed, 03-23-2011 at 10:00 am - CORRECTED

Corrected Notice Remove HB-91 and HB-101

**NORTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICE
AND
BILL SPONSOR NOTIFICATION
2011-2012 SESSION**

You are hereby notified that the Committee on **Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology** will meet as follows:

DAY & DATE: Wednesday, March 23, 2011
TIME: 10:00 am
LOCATION: 1425 LB
COMMENTS: Remove HB-91 and HB-101

The following bills will be considered:

BILL NO.	SHORT TITLE	SPONSOR
HB 44	Prohibit Mobile Phone Use/Hands-Free Only. For discussion only.	Representative Pierce

Respectfully,
Representative Avila, Chair

I hereby certify this notice was filed by the committee assistant at the following offices at 4 PM o'clock on **March 18, 2011.**

Principal Clerk
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Susan Lewis (Committee Assistant)



2011- 2012 House Committee on Science and Technology

Date: March 23, 2011

Room: 1425

Time: 10:00 am

AGENDA

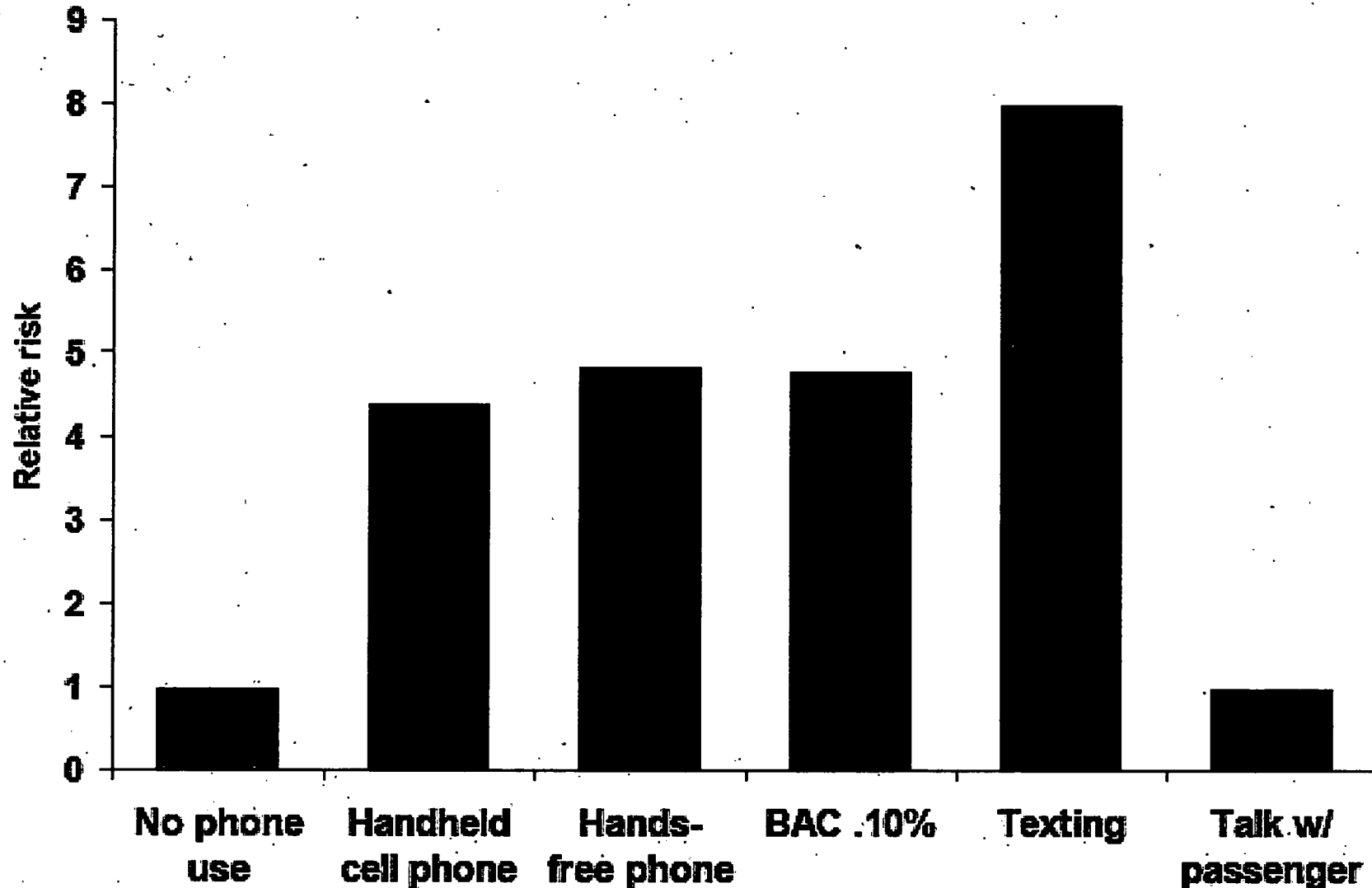
Introductions

Opening comments

HB 44 Prohibit Mobile Phone Use Rep. Pierce



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OPINION | FEBRUARY 25, 2011

The Truth About U.S. Manufacturing

The average American factory worker today is responsible for more than \$180,000 of annual output, triple the \$60,000 in 1972.

By MARK J. PERRY

Is American manufacturing dead? You might think so reading most of the nation's editorial pages or watching the endless laments in the news that "nothing is made in America anymore," and that our manufacturing jobs have vanished to China, Mexico and South Korea.

Yet the empirical evidence tells a different story—of a thriving and growing U.S. manufacturing sector, and a country that remains by far the world's largest manufacturer.

This is a particularly sensitive topic in my hometown of Flint, Mich., where auto-plant closings have meant lost jobs and difficult transitions for the displaced. But while it's true that the U.S. has lost more than seven million manufacturing jobs since the late 1970s, our manufacturing output has continued to expand.

International data compiled by the United Nations on global output from 1970-2009 show this success story. Excluding recession-related decreases in 2001 and 2008-09, America's manufacturing output has continued to increase since 1970. In every year since 2004, manufacturing output has exceeded \$2 trillion (in constant 2005 dollars), twice the output produced in America's factories in the early 1970s. Taken on its own, U.S. manufacturing would rank today as the sixth largest economy in the world, just behind France and ahead of the United Kingdom, Italy and Brazil.

In 2009, the most recent full year for which international data are available, our manufacturing output was \$2.155 trillion (including mining and utilities). That's more than 45% higher than China's, the country we're supposedly losing ground to. Despite recent gains in China and elsewhere, the U.S. still produced more than 20% of global manufacturing output in 2009.

The truth is that America still makes a lot of stuff, and we're making more of it than ever before. We're merely able to do it with a fraction of the workers needed in the past.

Consider the incredible, increasing productivity of America's manufacturing workers: The average U.S. factory worker is responsible today for more than \$180,000 of annual manufacturing output, triple the \$60,000 in 1972.

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These increases are a direct result of capital investments in productivity-enhancing technology, which last year helped boost output to record levels in industries like computers and semiconductors, medical equipment and supplies, pharmaceuticals and medicine, and oil and natural-gas equipment.

Critics view the production of more with less as a net negative—fewer auto plant jobs mean fewer paychecks, they reason. Yet technological improvement is one of the main ingredients of economic growth. It means increasing wages and a higher standard of living for workers and consumers. Displaced workers learn new skill sets, and a new generation of workers finds its skills are put to more productive use.

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Increases in productivity are a direct result of capital investments in productivity-enhancing technology, such as GM's next generation Ecotec engine.

Our world-class agriculture sector provides a great model for how to think about the evolution of U.S. manufacturing. The U.S. produces more agricultural output today—with only 2.6% of our work force involved in farming—than we did 100 years ago, when farming jobs represented almost 40% of the

labor force. Likewise, we're able to produce twice as much manufacturing output today as in the 1970s, with about seven million fewer workers. That means yesterday's farmhands and plant workers can become today's computer engineers, medical doctors and financial managers.

I don't deny that the transition to this new economy can be a rough one for displaced workers. But turning back the clock to a less efficient economy is not the answer. Instead, let's retrain our work force to participate in this dynamic new economy—an economy that still supports America's status as the world's leading manufacturer.

Mr. Perry, a professor of economics at the University of Michigan, Flint, is also a visiting scholar at the American Enterprise Institute.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Representative Avila
FROM: Jared Wiener (919-715-4199)
DATE: March 23, 2011
SUBJECT: Information on the Manufacturing Sector

Manufacturing has long been a critical component of the state's economy. The State's manufacturing presence was once focused almost exclusively on textiles, furniture, and tobacco. However, North Carolina's economy is transitioning from traditional labor-intensive industries to knowledge-based or service-related industries. Manufacturing remains a key industry for the State, although, as a whole, it is becoming more capital intensive and automated – much like the economy as a whole. As such, manufacturing will continue to be a vital economic development target for North Carolina. Even as it remains a key component of the State's economy, the changes in the sector from labor-intensive to more of a reliance on capital will likely reduce the amount of employment needed in the overall sector.

MANUFACTURING SECTOR OVERVIEW

MANUFACTURING SECTOR CONTINUES TO SHED JOBS; JOB LOSSES EXACERBATED BY RECESSION

Job loss in the manufacturing sector has garnered significant attention in recent years. Between 2005 and 2010 manufacturing employment in North Carolina declined the most of any sector losing approximately -137,000 jobs and only construction experienced a larger percentage decline (-25% and -24%, respectively). While this time frame does include the Great Recession losses in the sector have accelerated since the recession began, but sustained decline was occurring before.

- Only three sectors lost employment between 2005 and 2007, and the manufacturing sector accounted for 87% of the state's gross employment loss.
- Between the start of the recession and December 2010, the State lost 98,000 manufacturing jobs or -18% of the total nonfarm manufacturing employment, the most of any industry sector.¹

MANUFACTURING STILL CRITICAL TO THE STATE'S ECONOMY BUT EMPLOYMENT PROJECTED TO CONTINUE LONG TERM DECLINE

While declining in employment, manufacturing in North Carolina is still a major component of the state's economy. In 2009, manufacturing accounted for \$6.5 billion of real state gross domestic product or 21% of all private industry GDP. Manufacturing (433,722) is the third largest private sector industry by employment size behind Health care and social assistance (463,642) and Retail trade (436,525).

MANUFACTURING WAGES HIGHER THAN AVERAGE PRIVATE SECTOR WAGES

Manufacturing employment is widely considered a "quality job" primarily because of the associated wages. During the first three quarters of 2010, the average weekly wages for manufacturing were substantially higher than the average weekly wages for total private industry employment.²

¹ U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistic, Economy at a Glance, Nonfarm Wage and Salary Employment

² NC Employment Security Commission, Employment and Wages by NAICS; only the first three quarters were available at time of publication.

SUBSECTOR ANALYSIS

Manufacturing is a diverse industry. The industry is composed of industry sectors ranging from labor intensive to highly automated. The skill requirements of workers in the industry are nearly as diverse as the subsectors themselves. The chart below provides a brief overview of employment in the industry subsectors in 2005 and 2010. Current wages and total compensation are also provided. Further analysis can be conducted on specific industry sectors as required.

NAICS Code	Description	2005 Jobs	2010 Jobs	Change	% Change	2010 Wages & Salaries	2010 Total
311	Food Manufacturing	50,310	51,303	993	2%	\$31,665	\$39,723
312	Beverage and Tobacco Product Manufacturing	15,079	12,354	(2,725)	(18%)	\$63,152	\$91,099
313	Textile Mills	55,711	29,111	(26,600)	(48%)	\$33,841	\$43,716
314	Textile Product Mills	13,549	6,705	(6,844)	(51%)	\$28,433	\$37,449
315	Apparel Manufacturing	22,815	12,130	(10,685)	(47%)	\$34,993	\$45,775
316	Leather and Allied Product Manufacturing	702	517	(185)	(26%)	\$29,676	\$38,340
321	Wood Product Manufacturing	27,128	16,096	(11,032)	(41%)	\$33,288	\$44,311
322	Paper Manufacturing	19,753	16,249	(3,504)	(18%)	\$51,319	\$66,193
323	Printing and Related Support Activities	15,184	12,048	(3,136)	(21%)	\$40,819	\$50,982
324	Petroleum and Coal Products Manufacturing	1,057	968	(89)	(8%)	\$53,095	\$90,473
325	Chemical Manufacturing	44,449	40,411	(4,038)	(9%)	\$71,673	\$95,326
326	Plastics and Rubber Products Manufacturing	33,592	28,996	(4,596)	(14%)	\$42,990	\$55,848
327	Nonmetallic Mineral Product Manufacturing	17,103	13,591	(3,512)	(21%)	\$42,859	\$55,901
331	Primary Metal Manufacturing	7,740	7,225	(515)	(7%)	\$46,096	\$62,474
332	Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	41,508	32,361	(9,147)	(22%)	\$42,171	\$53,077
333	Machinery Manufacturing	31,713	26,297	(5,416)	(17%)	\$50,339	\$63,624
334	Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	38,939	34,310	(4,629)	(12%)	\$97,347	\$119,961
335	Electrical Equipment, Appliance, and Component Manufacturing	25,977	21,227	(4,750)	(18%)	\$50,843	\$70,960
336	Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	36,749	25,424	(11,325)	(31%)	\$55,023	\$73,829
337	Furniture and Related Product Manufacturing	57,005	32,537	(24,468)	(43%)	\$30,993	\$39,700
339	Miscellaneous Manufacturing	14,812	13,860	(952)	(6%)	\$44,204	\$63,073
Total (Covered) Statewide Employment		4,011,189	3,987,452	(23,737)	(1%)	\$40,252	\$50,735

Source: EMSI Covered Employment - 4th Quarter 2010

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Minutes

Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology

Wednesday April 20, 2011

10:00 am

Room 1425

Chairman Representative Avila called the meeting to order and introduced the pages, staff and Sargent at Arms.

The following representatives were in attendance: Adams, Bradley, Brawley, Horn, Jeffus, Murry, Parfitt, Sanderson, Tolson, Torbett, Womble, Wray. Reps. Brandon, Farmer-Butterfield, Frye, Hastings and Johnson were absent.

Chairmen Avila recognized Senator Kinnaird to explain S 346 Exempt Cooking Schools From Food Regulations. Sen. Kinnaird outlined the purpose of the bill. Rep Womble was recognized to explain an amendment. Rep Horn was recognized to ask a question in the amendment. Sen. Kinnaird responded to the question. Rep Horn was recognized for a follow up. Chairman Avila asked for the public comment from guests.

Marilyn Markel of Southern Seasons was recognized to speak in favor of the bill. Chairman Avila asked staff to respond to Rep Horn's question. Bill Patterson sited current statute on the size of the class. Chairman Avila recognized Rep Bradley for a question on the amendment. Senator Kinnaird suggested the amendment was not necessary. Rep Womble was recognized to ask a question on the amendment. Rep Torbett was recognized to call a question on the amendment. Sen Kinnaird withdrew the amendment from consideration and asked that the bill be considered as currently written. Rep Sanderson was recognized to ask a question on the wording within the bill. Chairmen Avila asked for clarification from staff. Bill Patterson addressed the issue on the wording. Rep. Torbett was recognized to ask if the word primarily could be changed to specifically. Sen Kinnaird thought that was acceptable. Rep Bradley was recognized to suggest a perfecting amendment that would just strike the word primarily. Chairmen Avila ask the committee to stand at ease while the amendment was written. Rep. Horn was recognized to comment on the bill. Sen. Kinnaird was recognized to comment. Rep Torbett moved that on page one, line 8 the word primarily be removed from the bill. The amendment was approved by voice vote. Marilyn Markel of Southern Seasons was again recognized to speak in favor of the bill.

Briggs Wesche of Southern Seasons was introduced to speak in favor of the bill.

Chairmen Avila recognized Rep Womble to speak on the bill.

Chairmen Avila read Rep Torbett's motion to give the bill a favorable report as amended, with the recommendation that the report be made directly to the floor of the House if approved by Standing Committee Chairmen.

The bill passed on voice vote.

Chairmen Avila introduced a presentation suggested by Rep Murray from Research Triangle Institute.

Dr .David Myers, Vice President of Engineering and Technology at RTI made a presentation to the committee. See attached.

Chairmen Avila opened the floor for questions.

Chairmen Avila asked a question.

Dr. Myers addressed her question.

Rep. Parfitt was recognized for a question.

Dr. Myers answered.

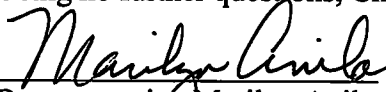
Rep. Bradley was recognized to ask a question and a follow up question.

Dr Myers addressed all questions.

Rep. Murray was recognized to make a comment.

Chairmen Avila asked an additional question.

Being no further questions, Chairmen Avila adjourned the meeting at 10:55 am.


Representative Marilyn Avila
Committee Chair


Susan Lewis
Committee Assistant

**NORTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICE
AND
BILL SPONSOR NOTIFICATION
2011-2012 SESSION**

You are hereby notified that the Committee on **Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology** will meet as follows:

DAY & DATE: Wednesday, April 20, 2011

TIME: 10:00 am

LOCATION: 1425 LB

COMMENTS: There will also be a presentation by Dr. Dave Myers from RTI.
"Federal Energy Research and Opportunities for Economic Development in North Carolina"

The following bills will be considered:

BILL NO.	SHORT TITLE	SPONSOR
SB 346	Exempt Cooking Schools from Food Regulations.	Senator Kinnaird

Respectfully,
Representative Avila, Chair

I hereby certify this notice was filed by the committee assistant at the following offices at **12 PM** o'clock on **April 18, 2011**.

- Principal Clerk
 Reading Clerk – House Chamber

Susan Lewis (Committee Assistant)

House Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology

Agenda

Wednesday, April 20, 2011

10:00 am

Room 1425 LB

Representative Marilyn Avila, Presiding

I. Welcome

Representative Avila

II. Introduction

SB 346-Exempt Cooking Schools from Food Regulations
Senator Kinnaird, sponsor

III. Introduction David Myers, RTI

**Presentation: "Federal Energy Research and Opportunities
for Economic Development in North Carolina"**

IV. Adjournment



NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AMENDMENT
Senate Bill 346*

AMENDMENT NO. _____
(to be filled in by
Principal Clerk)

S346-ASH-12 [v.2]

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Comm. Sub. [NO]
Amends Title [NO]
Second Edition

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Representative
~~Representative *Sen. Kirkwood*~~

1 moves to amend the bill on page 1, lines 8-11, by rewriting the lines to read:
2 " cooking schools that: (i) primarily provide instruction to no more
3 than 20 students per class, or no more than 50 participants per
4 demonstration, on food preparation techniques that participants can
5 replicate in their homes; (ii) prepare or serve food for cooking school
6 participants during instructional time only and discard unused food at
7 the end of each session; and (iii) do not otherwise prepare or serve
8 food to the public."

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Amendment Sponsor

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Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

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NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT

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COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE _____

DATE 4/19

Amendment No. 1

(to be filled in by
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Rep.) Torbett
Sen.)

1 moves to amend the bill on page 1, line 8

2 () WHICH CHANGES THE TITLE

3 by deleting the word "primarily"

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**2011 PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

FOR RECOMMENDING BILLS TO STANDING COMMITTEE OR TO THE FLOOR OF THE HOUSE

The following report(s) from permanent sub committee(s) is/are presented:

By Representative(s) Avila (Chair) for the Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology.

Committee Substitute for

SB 346 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT BONA FIDE COOKING SCHOOLS FROM REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE SANITATION OF ESTABLISHMENTS THAT PREPARE OR SERVE FOOD OR DRINK TO THE PUBLIC.

REPORTED TO THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE AND JOB DEVELOPMENT

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

With a favorable recommendation as to proposed House committee substitute bill, unfavorable to original bill.

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO EXEMPT BONA FIDE COOKING SCHOOLS FROM REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE SANITATION OF ESTABLISHMENTS THAT PREPARE OR SERVE FOOD OR DRINK TO THE PUBLIC.

Introduced by Senator(s)

Kinnaired

Kinnaired *J. Hall*

W. B. Bessell

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FILED MAR 15 2011

PASSED 1st READING

MAR 16 2011

AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

ON *Health Care*

Committee on Health Care to whom this bill was referred, a majority being present and voting, has considered the same and recommended that it pass.

W. B. Bessell
Committee

REPORTED FAVORABLY MAR 30 2011

SENATOR *Kinnaired*
AMENDMENT NO. *1* MAR 31 2011

Adopted 48-0

PASSED 2nd & 3rd READINGS

48-0 *VV*
MAR 31 2011

ORDERED SENT TO HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Janet RECEIVED
APR 05 2011 8:04pm

PASSED 1st READING

APR 05 2011

AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON *Commerce*

The Committee/Subcommittee on *Commerce* refer

the bill to *Sub Committee on Science and Technology*
Rep. McCosar
For the Committee referred to *Committee/Subcommittee on Science & Tech.*

APR 13 2011

VISITOR REGISTRATION SHEET

Subcommittee on Science and Technology
Name of Committee

April 20, 2011
Date

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Matt Wilke	Parker Poe
BRUCE THOMPSON	PARKER POE
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Melissa Reed	PPHS

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NAME OF COMMITTEE Science & Tech

DATE: 4-20-11 Room: 1421

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Name: Doug Harris

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Minutes

Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology

Wednesday June 1, 2011

10:00 am

Room 1425

Chairman Representative Avila called the meeting to order and introduced the pages, staff and Sargent at Arms.

The following representatives were in attendance: Adams, Brawley, Farmer-Butterfield, Frye, Hastings, Horn, Jeffus, Johnson, Murry, Parfitt, Sanderson, Tolson. Reps. Bradley, Brandon, Torbett, Wray were absent.

Chairman Avila recognizes Rep McGrady to explain H 307 Local Electronic Notice.

Chairman Avila asks for questions or comment from committee members.

Rep Horn was recognized with a question on other state laws.

Rep McGrady answered that Virginia had a similar law.

Rep. Horn asked a follow-up.

Rep. Tolson was recognized with a comment and indicated he was not supportive of the bill.

Rep. McGrady commented on the bill.

Rep. Parfitt was recognized to speak on the bill. She expressed concerns about the bill.

Rep. Sanderson was recognized to speak on the bill and concern on the issue of transparency.

Rep. Adams was recognized to comment on the bill and stated concerns for older people.

Rep. Adams will not support the bill.

Rep. Hastings was recognized to comment on the bill and indicated he was not supportive of the bill.

Rep. Horn was recognized to comment on the bill.

Rep. Horn suggested an amendment to the bill.

Rep. McGrady was recognized to point out that issue was addressed in the bill.

Rep Horn was recognized with another question.

Rep. McGrady answered.

Rep. Farmer-Butterfield was recognized with a question.

Rep. McGrady addressed the question.

Rep. Brawley was recognized by the Chair to make a comment.

Rep. Horn was recognized to announce he had asked the staff to prepare an amendment addressing two issues.

Rep. McGrady was recognized to speak to the amendments.

Rep. Horn recognized to explain his amendment proposal.

Rep. Adams was recognized and asked for clarification.

Rep. Horn was recognized to re-explain the amendment.

Rep. Adams was recognized for a follow-up and also to ask a question on the original bill.

Rep. McGrady re-states the purpose of the amendment.

Chairmen Avila asks staff for an explanation of the amendment.

Chairmen Avila asks the committee to be at ease while the staff worked out details of the amendment.

Chairmen Avila called the meeting back to order.

As the amendments need more work, the meeting would be open to public comments.

Mr. John Bussian, representing the NC Press Association, spoke against the bill.

Ms. Lana Hygh, representing the Town of Cary, spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. Rick Thames, representing the Charlotte Observer, spoke against the bill.

Mr. Kevin Leonard, representing County Commissioners, spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. Todd Allen, publisher of Wake Weekly, spoke against the bill.

Ms. Kelli Kukura, NC League of Municipalities, spoke for the bill.

Chairmen Avila asks for other public comment.

The Chair recognizes Tammy Dunn, Montgomery Herald, raised a question about inclusion of Montgomery County on the bill.

Rep. McGrady agreed to look into the matter and remove the county if needed.

Rep. Adams is recognized to ask a question.

Rep. McGrady responds.

The Chair recognizes Mr. Morgan Dickerson, Wilson Times, to speak against the bill and discuss government transparency.

The Chair recognizes Mr. Thames again to comment against the bill.

The Chair recognizes Mr. Leonard again for a follow-up comment for the bill.

The Chairmen closes public comment and asks for Rep. Horn to present the amendment.

Rep. Horn reads the amendment. There are two portions to the amendment.

Discussion on amendment opens by Chair.

Rep. Parfitt recognized to ask question on amendment.

Rep. Horn explains again how the amendment changes.

Rep. McGrady is recognized to say the amendment is acceptable.

Rep. Murry is recognized to ask a question.

Rep. Adams is recognized to ask a clarifying question.

Rep. Horn is recognized to address the question.

Rep. Adams is recognized to comment that the amendment does not fix the issue.

Re. Brawley is recognized to ask a question to Rep. Adams.

Rep. Adams consents.


Rep. Adams asks Rep. Adams which of the counties in the bill she represents.


Rep. Adams answers.

The Chair brings the meeting back to order.

The Chair decides that there is confusion on the amendment and takes the liberty to appoint a subcommittee to study the bill further and it will be brought up at a later date.

With no other business, the Chair adjourns the meeting at 11:01 a.m.


Representative Marilyn Avila
Committee Chair


Susan Lewis
Committee Assistant

**NORTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICE
AND
BILL SPONSOR NOTIFICATION
2011-2012 SESSION**

You are hereby notified that the Committee on **Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology** will meet as follows:

DAY & DATE: Wednesday, June 1, 2011

TIME: 10:00 am

LOCATION: 1425 LB

COMMENTS:

The following bills will be considered:

BILL NO.	SHORT TITLE	SPONSOR
HB 307	Local Electronic Notice.	Representative Dollar Representative Jackson Representative Murry

Respectfully,
Representative Avila, Chair

I hereby certify this notice was filed by the committee assistant at the following offices at **5 PM** o'clock on **June 22, 2011**.

- Principal Clerk
 Reading Clerk – House Chamber

Susan Lewis (Committee Assistant)

**House Commerce and Job Development
Subcommittee on Science and Technology**

Agenda

Wednesday June 1, 2011

10:00 am

Room 1425 LB

Representative Marilyn Avila, Presiding

- I. Welcome**
Representative Avila

- II. Introduction**
Representative McGrady
HB 307 Local Electronic Notice

- III. Adjournment**

NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT

(Please type or use ballpoint pen)

EDITION No. _____

H. B. No. 307

DATE _____

S. B. No. _____

Amendment No. _____

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

(to be filled in by
Principal Clerk)

Rep.) Horn
 Sen.)

1 moves to amend the bill on page 1, line 17

2 () WHICH CHANGES THE TITLE

3 by _____

4 deleting "for twelve months";

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and on page 1, lines 18-19 by inserting the
following:

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9 "(b1) Upon adoption of an ordinance under

10 subsection (a) of this section that ~~provides~~ ~~for~~ provides for

11 electronic notice in lieu of the required publication

12 or advertisement, the governing board shall continue to

13 publish the required publication or advertisement in a

14 newspaper having a general circulation for that

15 jurisdiction as provided in G.S. 1-597."

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SIGNED Whay Horn

To: N.C. House Committee on Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology

From: Rick Thames, member, North Carolina Press Association; editor, The Charlotte Observer and CharlotteObserver.com

Subj: House Bill 307

Good morning and thank you for the opportunity to speak to you today about HB 307.

I'm Rick Thames, editor and vice president for news for The Charlotte Observer.

I'm also a past president of the North Carolina Press Association and a current member of its legislative committee.

I'm here because there is no question in my mind that public notices belong with newspapers, not on government websites.

And by the way, it's obvious that a lot of people agree with me, including many of your colleagues. Two other House committees have already rejected two versions of this bill.

I was here two weeks ago when the House Government Committee said NO to a statewide version of the bill by a vote of 21-10.

Today, you will hear this bill described as an opportunity for governments to save money.

Well, there is good reason to believe that it won't. And I'll explain why it won't in a minute.

But first I want to draw your attention to the more important issue that the bill fails to address.

Public notices are not simply legal requirements to be checked off. They alert voters to vital issues: annexation proposals, redistricting plans, polling changes.

And for public notices to work, they must be in a place where the public WILL notice.

This bill suggests that municipalities can effectively reach the public simply by launching a website.

What about people who still don't have access to the Internet? Government websites won't reach them.

On the other hand, newspapers still can -- and do.

Newspapers also have websites, and many of them already put public notices on their sites.

But would the public be served just as well by a government site?

The handout before you is clear. The answer is no.

A check of municipal websites in 20 cities across North Carolina found that their audiences are as much as **65 times smaller** than the audiences coming to newspaper web sites.

In my home county in Mecklenburg, Charlotte city government and Mecklenburg County government share the same website. It is a very professionally produced website.

Yet, even that website attracts an audience that is **16 times smaller** than the audience for the web site of the Charlotte Observer.

In seven other cities we checked, the government web sites drew such small audiences that they weren't included in the industry audit.

Now, we don't point this out to belittle these websites. The NCPA applauds municipalities for reaching out to citizens in every way they can.

But having a web site, and having a mass audience, are two different issues.

Newspapers are in the business of building mass audiences. That has been a core function of newspapers for hundreds of years.

It is NOT a core function of municipalities. Nor should any of us expect it to be.

We don't expect municipalities to build highways. They contract that job to construction companies that build roads as a core business.

We don't expect municipalities to provide food services. They contract the employee coffee shop or cafeteria to companies that do that as a core business.

If you vote for this bill, some municipalities will make the mistake of thinking that that they are in the mass media business.

They aren't. And the results will be just as disappointing for your communities as it would be if municipalities tried to build highways or run restaurants.

Not only will the public no longer see public notices. Governments can be expected to spend more money trying to manage them.

That's right. Advocates of this bill say they hope to save money for local governments.

But let me assure you, it costs money to enter the mass media business, same as it would if you decided to build roads.

So please know that this could actually be a government spending bill.

Think of all the municipalities that will now want to hire web managers, web technicians and web specialists just for public notices.

They will HAVE to do this to be sure they comply with the stringent requirements of public notice laws.

And yet, they will spend all that money and STILL fall dramatically short of the audiences they reach now simply by working with newspapers and their web sites.

If you doubt this, ask the municipalities why they don't just go ahead now and put their public notices on their existing web sites?

There is nothing in the law that keeps them from doing this. And it could only be helpful to the public.

But most municipalities don't do this. They don't because they don't have the staff or the technology to publish the notices. That's going to take money.

Let me close by saying that we sincerely appreciate the Legislature's concern for helping local governments that are now strapped for cash.

These are our communities, too. We closely report on their struggles to help the public understand the scope of this problem and what can be done about it.

But House Bill 307 is a misdirected effort. It will neither help our communities nor save money.

For those reasons, we urge you to vote NO on House Bill 307.

Thank you and we are happy to take any questions.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

CONTACT:

Beth Grace

Executive Director, North Carolina Press Association

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Comparing newspaper and city or county websites in 10 North Carolina cities

Source: Quantcast

<u>ASHEVILLE</u>		<u>GREENVILLE</u>	
Citizen-times.com	215,500	Reflector.com	41,400
Ashevillenc.gov	45,200	Greenvillenc.gov	18600
Buncombecounty.org	37800	Pittcountync.gov	
<u>CHARLOTTE</u>		<u>RALEIGH</u>	
Charlotteobserver.com	1,300,000	Newsobserver.com	1,200,000
Charmeck.org	78300	Raleighnc.gov	18,600
Not applicable		Wakegov.com	56,400
<u>FAYETTEVILLE</u>		<u>SALISBURY</u>	
Fayobserver.com	90,800	Salisburypost.com	46,700
Cityoffayetteville.org	12,400	Ci.salisbury.nc.us	n/a
Co.cumberland.nc.us	34,900	Co.rowan.nc.us	11,500
<u>DSBORO</u>		<u>WILMINGTON</u>	
Newsargus.com	38,500	Starnewsonline.com	112,700
Ci.goldsboro.nc.us	14,100	Ci.wilmington.nc.us	8,500
Waynecounty.gov	n/a	Nhcgov.com	31,400
<u>GREENSBORO</u>		<u>WINSTON SALEM</u>	
News-record.com	386,200	Journalnow.com	288,900
Greensboro-nc.gov	13,400	Ci.winston-salem.nc.us	n/a
Co.guilford.nc.us	30,200	Co.forsyth.nc.us	36,500

Comparing newspaper and county websites on monthly visitors in past six months.

Source: Quantcast ; May 31, 2011; N/A=too small to measure.

<u>BLADEN COUNTY</u>		<u>HENDERSON COUNTY</u>	
Bladenjournal.com	12,300	Blueridgenow.com	43,000
bladeninfo.org	N/A	www.hendersoncountync.org	21,300
<u>CABARRUS COUNTY</u>		<u>MONTGOMERY COUNTY</u>	
Independenttribune.com	41,700	Montgomeryherald.com	N/A
cabarruscounty.us	8,200	montgomerycountync.com	N/A
<u>DAVIDSON COUNTY</u>		<u>STANLY COUNTY</u>	
www.the-dispatch.com	42,300	Thesnaponline.com	37,300
co.davidson.nc.us	10,800	www.co.stanly.nc.us	N/A
<u>CURRITUCK COUNTY</u>		<u>ROBESON COUNTY</u>	
Dailyadvance.com*	18,700	Robesonian.com	44,400
co.currituck.nc.us	N/A	Co.robeson.nc.us	13,500
<u>SCOTLAND COUNTY</u>		<u>ROCKINGHAM COUNTY</u>	
Laurinburgexchange.com	16,400	Yourdailyjournal.com	28,600
Scotlandcounty.org	N/A	Co.rockingham.nc.us	10,300

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Commerce Subcommittee on Science and Technology June 1, 2011

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Diane Winremiller	The Courier-Tribune
Paul Mann	The Burlington Times-News
Morgan Duker	The Wilson Times
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Whitney Christensen	Jordan Price

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Orange Quarles III	News + Observer
Charles Broadwell	Fayetteville Observer
Todd Allen	The Wake Forest Weekly
Chris Valauri	Mecklenberg Times - Dolan Media
Paeris Hobson	Franklin Press
Jack Covert	Coyle
Bob Hill	McGuire Wood

Minutes

Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology

Wednesday June 8, 2011

10:00 am

Room 1425

Chairman Representative Avila called the meeting to order and introduced the pages, staff and Sargent at Arms.

The following representatives were in attendance: Adams, Farmer-Butterfield, Frye, Hastings, Murry, Parfitt, Sanderson, Tolson, Torbett, Womble.
Reps. Bradley, Brandon, Horn Jeffus, Johnson, Wray were absent.

Chairmen Avila announces that H307 Local Electronic Notice has been removed from the agenda at the request of the sponsor.

Chairmen Avila asks Rep. Torbett to present H391 Dept. of Admin/Procurement Modernization.

Chairmen Avila recognizes Ms. Patty Bowers, Procurement Transformation Manager to speak in favor of the bill.

Ms. Ann Bander, Chief Operating Officer for the Department of Administration is recognized to speak in favor of the bill.

Questions and comments are invited by the members.

Rep Tolson is recognized for positive comment on the bill.

Rep. Sanderson is recognized to ask a question on timing.

Ms. Bowers answers the question.

Rep. Sanderson asks for a follow-up question on whether this will make government more transparent.

Ms. Bower responds that it will, the information is there but it is not centrally located.

Rep. Womble is recognized and comments that the bill is a good thing and asks a question about other departments being on board and supportive.

Rep Torbett responds that there have been no objections.

Rep Womble asks for a follow-up on why there might be a hesitation.

The Chair asks that Ms. Bowers answer the question.

Ms. Bower explains that support is very strong throughout the system.

Rep Womble asks a follow up question on why some have not signed on the dotted line.

The Chair recognizes Mr. Sam Byasse, State Purchasing Director, to explain hesitation by some departments.

Rep. Womble is recognized for comment and expressed that he still wants to know if there is opposition to the bill in the departments.

Mr. Byasse addresses the question.

Rep. Womble expresses that he is satisfied.

Rep. Parfitt is recognized to express support and to ask a question on secretary authority.
Ms. Bowers responds.

Rep. Adams is recognized to ask a question on Page 2 Line 41.

Ms. Bowers is ask to respond.

Rep Adams asks for a follow up question on Page 3 Line 13.

Rep Torbett answers.

Rep Farmer -Butterfield is recognized to express support of the bill and ask a question.

Ms. Bowers responds.

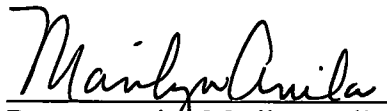
Rep. Hastings is recognized to ask a question about the Attorney General.

Mr. Byasse is recognized to answer the question.

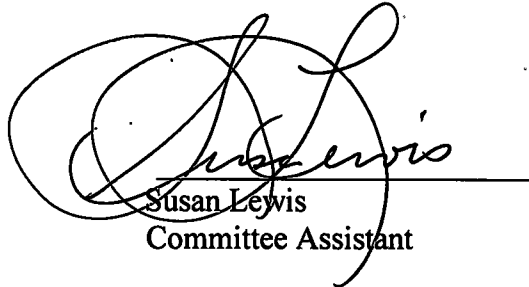
Rep Tolson is recognized to make a comment and moves to give the bill a favorable report and defer to Finance.

The motion carries in a voice vote.

The meeting is adjourned at 10:30 a.m.



Representative Marilyn Avila
Committee Chair



Susan Lewis
Committee Assistant

Corrected Notice Remove H 307

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BILL SPONSOR NOTIFICATION
2011-2012 SESSION**

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DAY & DATE: Wednesday, June 8, 2011

TIME: 10:00 am

LOCATION: 1425 LB

COMMENTS: Remove H 307

The following bills will be considered:

BILL NO.	SHORT TITLE	SPONSOR
HB 391	Dept. of Admin/Procurement Modernization.-AB	Representative Avila Representative Torbett

Respectfully,
Representative Avila, Chair

I hereby certify this notice was filed by the committee assistant at the following offices at 9 AM o'clock on **June 08, 2011**.

- Principal Clerk
 Reading Clerk – House Chamber

Susan Lewis (Committee Assistant)

**2011 PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

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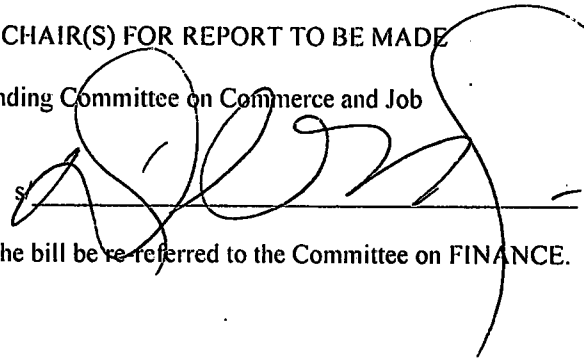
By Representative(s) Avila (Chair) for the Commerce and Job Development Subcommittee on Science and Technology.

Committee Substitute for

HB 391 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODERNIZE PROCUREMENT METHODS USED BY THE SECRETARY OF ADMINISTRATION AND STATE DEPARTMENTS, INSTITUTIONS, AND AGENCIES.

WITH APPROVAL OF STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIR(S) FOR REPORT TO BE MADE DIRECTLY TO THE FLOOR OF THE HOUSE:

Representative McComas(Chair) for the Standing Committee on Commerce and Job Development.



With a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on FINANCE.

(FOR JOURNAL USE ONLY)

_____ Pursuant to Rule 32(a), the bill/resolution is re-referred to the Committee on _____

_____ The bill/resolution is re-referred to the Committee on _____

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06-08-11
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<i>Chris Agner</i>	<i>DOA</i>
<i>Doug Heron</i>	<i>WM</i>
<i>Saw Byars</i>	<i>DOA</i>
<i>Dave Simpson</i>	<i>CAGL</i>
<i>Bryan McAuliffe</i>	<i>University of Idaho</i>

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<i>Patti Bruns</i>	<i>DOA</i>
<i>Natt Overoy</i>	<i>Rep. Anita</i>
<i>Moss Carey</i>	<i>DOA</i>
<i>Angela Smith</i>	<i>NA</i>
<i>Brittany Teague</i>	<i>NC Housing Coalition</i>
<i>Jennie Renner-Hamans</i>	<i>NC Housing Coalition</i>
<i>Barbara Goettsch</i>	<i>NC Housing Coalition</i>
<i>Doug Miskew</i>	<i>PSG</i>

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NAME OF COMMITTEE Science & Technology

DATE: 6-8-11 Room: 1425

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Sponsor: Tom Murry

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County: Lenoir

Sponsor: Stephen LaRoque

*Name: _____

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Name: Martha Parvish 6. Name: _____