GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 444*

Short Title: Ranger Residences/Delete Reporting.

Sponsors: Representatives N. Crawford, DeVane, Foster; Colton, Greenwood, Nesbitt, and Warner.

Referred to: Basic Resources.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

2	AN ACT TO DELETE THE REQUIREMENT THAT THE DIVISION OF PARKS
3	AND RECREATION REPORT TO THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION
4	ON GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS REGARDING RANGER RESIDENCES
5	AND LAKE JAMES STATE PARK AND TO REPEAL THE SUNSET ON
6	LEGISLATION REGARDING CONSTRUCTION OF RANGER RESIDENCES.
7	The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
8	Section 1. Section 9 of Chapter 876 of the 1987 Session Laws reads as
9	rewritten:
10	"Sec. 9. (a) Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 243 of the 1987 Session
11	Laws, the General Assembly creates and establishes Lake James State Park as a State
12	recreation area in the State Park System.
13	(b) The Department of Administration and the Department of Natural Resources
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1	(1) G.S. 143-128 and 143-132, and rules implementing those statutes;
2	(2) G.S. 143-31.1 and 143-341(3) and rules implementing that statute;
3	provided, however, the Department of Administration shall, if the
4	Department of Natural Resources and Community Development,
5	Division of Parks and Recreation so requests, assist the Division in the
6	prefinal and final inspections of Lake James State Park;
7	(3) State Statutes, rules, and executive orders referred to in Chapter 2,
8	Section 203.1 b. 16 a), b), d), and f) of the North Carolina
9	Construction Manual (6th Edition) prepared by the Division of State
10	Construction, North Carolina Department of Administration.
11	The provisions of G.S. 143-135.3 shall apply to contracts entered into pursuant to
12	this section.
13	If State employees are not available to adapt a State-owned design for Lake James
14	State Park, the Department of Natural Resources and Community Development,
15	Division of Parks and Recreation, may use funds appropriated to hire a consultant to
16	adapt the State-owned design.
17	(d) The Department of Natural Resources and Community Development,
18	Division of Parks and Recreation, shall report to the Joint Legislative Commission on
19	Governmental Operations prior to entering into any contracts for or performing any
20	work on a project subject to the provisions of this act. The report shall include a
21	description of any contracts the Division intends to enter into for the project, a
22	description of any work the Division intends to perform on the project, the projected
23	cost of the project and the schedule for completion of the project."
24	Sec. 2. Chapter 875 of the 1987 Session Laws reads as rewritten:
25	"Section 1. (a) If the State owns an appropriate design for a ranger's residence or if
26	the Department of Natural Resources and Community Development, Division of Parks
27	and Recreation, intends to use a modular unit for a ranger's residence, the Department of
28	Natural Resources and Community Development, Division of Parks and Recreation
29	may contract for and supervise all aspects of architecture, engineering, and construction
30	of that ranger's residence, including examination and approval of all changes in plans
31	and specifications made after the contract for work has been awarded, without being
32	subject to the requirements of the following:
33	(1) G.S. 143-128 and 143-132, and rules implementing those statutes;
34	(2) G.S. 143-31.1 and 143-341(3) and rules implementing that statute;
35	provided, however, the Department of Administration shall, if the
36	Department of Natural Resources and Community Development,
37	Division of Parks and Recreation so requests, assist the Division in the
38	prefinal and final inspections of the ranger's residence;
39	(3) State Statutes, rules, and executive orders referred to in Chapter 2,
40	Section 203.1 b. 16 a), b), d), and f) of the North Carolina
41	Construction Manual (6th Edition) prepared by the Division of State
42	Construction, North Carolina Department of Administration.
43	Funds appropriated for a ranger's residence for which the State owns an appropriate
44	design or for which the Department of Natural Resources, Division of Parks and

Recreation, intends to use a modular unit shall be allotted by the Director of the Budget
 within 60 days of the effective date of the appropriation.

The provisions of G.S. 143-135.3 shall apply to contracts entered into pursuant to this section.

5 If State employees are not available to adapt a State-owned design for a ranger's 6 residence for a particular use or to fit a modular unit for a particular use for a ranger's 7 residence, the Department of Natural Resources and Community Development, 8 Division of Parks and Recreation may use funds appropriated to design ranger's 9 residences to hire a consultant to adapt the State-owned design or to fit the modular unit 10 to the use.

(b) The Department of Natural Resources and Community Development,
 Division of Parks and Recreation, shall report to the Joint Legislative Commission on
 Governmental Operations prior to entering into any contracts for or performing any
 work on a project subject to the provisions of this act. The report shall include a

15 description of any contracts the Division intends to enter into for the project, a

16 description of any work the Division intends to perform on the project, the projected

17 cost of the project and the schedule for completion of the project.

18 Sec. 2. This act shall become effective October 1, 1987, and shall remain in 19 effect until June 30, 1989."

20 Sec. 3. This act is effective upon ratification.