

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 1983

Short Title: Rural Water Highway Util. Costs.

(Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Wilkins, Moore (Co-Sponsors); J. Brown, Bowman, and Beall.

Referred to: Appropriations.

June 2, 1994

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO PAY
2 THE NONBETTERMENT COSTS OF MOVING UTILITIES OWNED BY
3 RURAL WATER SYSTEMS OPERATED BY COUNTIES AS ENTERPRISE
4 SYSTEMS IN CONNECTION WITH HIGHWAY PROJECTS.
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6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 Section 1. G.S. 136-27.1 reads as rewritten:

8 "**§ 136-27.1. Relocation of water and sewer lines of municipalities and nonprofit**
9 **water or sewer corporations or associations.**

10 The Department of Transportation shall pay the nonbetterment cost for the
11 relocation of water and sewer lines, located within the existing State highway right-of-
12 way, that are necessary to be relocated for a State highway improvement project and
13 that are owned by: (i) a municipality with a population of 5,500 or less according
14 to the latest decennial census; (ii) a nonprofit water or sewer association or corporation;
15 ~~or~~ (iii) any water or sewer system organized pursuant to Chapter 162A of the General
16 ~~Statutes.~~ Statutes; or (iv) a rural water system operated by county as an enterprise
17 system."

18 Sec. 2. This act is effective upon ratification.