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SENATE BILL 847 Finance Committee Substitute Adopted 5/19/97 House Committee Substitute Favorable 6/26/97

Short Title: No Sales Tax on Reusable Containers.

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Sponsors:

Referred to:

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1	A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2	AN ACT TO EXEMPT FROM SALES AND USE TAX REUSABLE INDUSTRIAL
3	CONTAINERS USED AS PACKAGING FOR TANGIBLE PERSONAL
4	PROPERTY.
5	The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
6	Section 1. G.S. 105-164.13(23) reads as rewritten:
7	"(23) Sales of <u>the following packaging items:</u>
8	<u>a.</u> <u>wrapping Wrapping paper</u> , labels, wrapping twine, paper, cloth,
9	plastic bags, cartons, packages and containers, cores, cones or
10	spools, wooden boxes, baskets, coops and barrels, including
11	paper cups, napkins and drinking straws and like articles sold to
12	manufacturers, producers and retailers, when such materials are
13	used for packaging, shipment or delivery of tangible personal
14	property which is sold either at wholesale or retail and when such
15	articles constitute a part of the sale of such tangible personal
16	property and are delivered with it to the customer.
17	b. A container that is used as packaging by the owner of the
18	container or another person to enclose tangible personal property

3 Section 2. This act becomes effective October 1, 1997, and applies to sales 4 made on or after that date.