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SENATE BILL 1014

Short Title: Revise Certain Lodging Rules.

(Public)

Sponsors: Senators Metcalf; Carter and Foxx.

Referred to: Agriculture/Environment/Natural Resources.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 **AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH OF THE**
3 **DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO**
4 **CONDUCT A STUDY INVOLVING INTERESTED PARTIES TO REVIEW AND**
5 **REVISE THE CURRENT PROCEDURES CONCERNING COFFEE POTS AND**
6 **ICE BUCKETS PROVIDED BY LODGING ESTABLISHMENTS IN GUEST**
7 **ROOMS AND TO SUSPEND CURRENT APPLICABLE RULES UNTIL REVISED**
8 **RULES HAVE BEEN ADOPTED AS TEMPORARY RULES.**

9 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

10 Section 1.(a) The Division of Environmental Health of the Department of
11 Environment and Natural Resources shall review the current rules adopted pursuant to
12 Part 6 of Article 8 of Chapter 130A of the General Statutes that apply to procedures that
13 must be followed by lodging establishments concerning coffee pots and ice buckets that
14 are placed in guest rooms for use by guests of the establishment, shall consult during this
15 review with representatives of the affected industry and the various agencies responsible
16 for implementing the applicable rules, and shall recommend rules, revised as needed, to
17 the Commission for Health Services.

18 Section 1.(b) Current rules that apply to equipment concerning coffee pots and ice
19 buckets that are placed by lodging establishments in guest rooms for use by guests of the
20 establishment are suspended until revised rules under this act have been adopted.

- 1 Section 1.(c) The Commission for Health Services shall adopt the revised rules
2 under subsection (a) of this section as temporary rules no later than January 31, 2000.
3 Section 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.