

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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HOUSE DRH60388-LH-175 (03/31)

Short Title: Reckless Endangerment. (Public)

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Sponsors: Representative Ray.

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Referred to:

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1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

2 AN ACT TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF RECKLESS ENDANGERMENT.

3 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

4 **SECTION 1.** Article 52 of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes is amended by  
5 adding a new section to read:

6 "**§ 14-401.22. Reckless endangerment.**

7 Any person who recklessly engages in conduct that creates a substantial risk of  
8 serious physical injury or death to another person is guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor."

9 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective December 1, 2005, and applies to  
10 offenses committed on or after that date.