GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2007

S SENATE BILL 603

Short Title: Nutrient Runoff/Extend Rule Sunset Date. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Malone, Stevens, Kerr; Albertson, Apodaca, Atwater, Bingham, Brunstetter, Clodfelter, Dalton, Dannelly, Foriest, Garrou, Goss, Hoyle, Jenkins, Jones, Nesbitt, Preston, Purcell, Rand, Snow, Swindell, Tillman, and Weinstein.

Referred to: Agriculture/Environment/Natural Resources.

March 12, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET FOR THE LAW THAT SETS THE PER POUND FACTOR USED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION TO CALCULATE NUTRIENT OFFSET PAYMENTS AND REQUIRES THAT THE NUTRIENT OFFSET PAYMENT FOR NITROGEN BE CALCULATED AS IT WAS PRIOR TO CERTAIN RULE AMENDMENTS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

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SECTION 1. Section 5 of S.L. 2006-215, as amended by S.L. 2006-218 and S.L. 2006-255, reads as rewritten:

"**SECTION 5.** This act becomes effective 1 August 2006, and applies to all nutrient offset payments, including those set out in 15A NCAC 2B.0240, as adopted by the Environmental Management Commission on 12 January 2006. This act expires 1 September 2007. This act expires September 1, 2008."

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.