

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE DRH70250-LD-68A* (3/11)

Short Title: No Preblended Gas From Importers.

(Public)

Sponsors: Representative Cole.

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE LEGISLATION ENACTED IN 2007 TO REQUIRE
3 SUPPLIERS THAT IMPORT GASOLINE FOR SALE TO OFFER TO DISTRIBUTORS
4 OR RETAILERS ONLY GASOLINE THAT IS NOT PREBLENDED WITH FUEL
5 ALCOHOL AND THAT IS SUITABLE FOR SUBSEQUENT SUCH BLENDING ALSO
6 REQUIRES THESE SUPPLIERS TO OFFER SUCH GASOLINE AT EACH TERMINAL
7 IN THE STATE.
8 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
9 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 75-90(b) reads as rewritten:
10 "(b) A supplier that imports gasoline into the State shall offer at each terminal in the
11 State gasoline for sale to a distributor or retailer that is not preblended with fuel alcohol and
12 that is suitable for subsequent blending with fuel alcohol."
13 **SECTION 2.** Notwithstanding any provision of Part 2A of Article 21A of Chapter
14 143 of the General Statutes, the Department of Environment and Natural Resources may use up
15 to fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) of funds credited to the Commercial Leaking Underground
16 Storage Tank Trust Fund in fiscal year 2009-2010 to study the effect of petroleum products
17 blended with greater than ten percent (10%) ethanol on underground storage tank components.
18 **SECTION 3.** Section 2 of this act becomes effective July 1, 2009. The remaining
19 sections of this act are effective when they become law.



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