GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA **SESSION 2015**

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HOUSE BILL 294

Short Title:	Prohibit Cell Phone/Delinquent JuvenileAB	(Public)
Sponsors:	Representative Boles (Primary Sponsor). For a complete list of Sponsors, refer to the North Carolina General Assembly Web Site.	
Referred to:	Judiciary II.	

March 19, 2015

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2	AN ACT TO MAKE IT A CRIMINAL OFFENSE TO PROVIDE A CELL PHONE TO A
3	DELINQUENT JUVENILE IN CUSTODY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC
4	SAFETY.
5	The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
6	SECTION 1. G.S. 14-258.1 reads as rewritten:
7	"§ 14-258.1. Furnishing poison, controlled substances, deadly weapons, cartridges,
8	ammunition or alcoholic beverages to inmates of charitable, mental or penal
9	institutions or local confinement facilities; furnishing tobacco products
10	including vapor products; or furnishing mobile phones to inmates.inmates or
11	<u>delinquent juveniles.</u>
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13	(d) Any person who knowingly gives or sells a mobile telephone or other wireless
14	communications device, or a component of one of those devices, to an inmate in the custody of
15	the Division of Adult Correction of the Department of Public Safety-Safety, to a delinquent
16	juvenile in the custody of the Division of Juvenile Justice of the Department of Public Safety,
17	or to an inmate in the custody of a local confinement facility, or any person who knowingly
18	gives or sells any such device or component to a person who is not an inmate for delivery to an
19	inmate, inmate or delinquent juvenile is guilty of a Class H felony.
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21	SECTION 2. This act becomes effective December 1, 2015, and applies to

22 offenses committed on or after that date.

