

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 525

Short Title: Feasibility of Textile Historic Site. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Tillman (Primary Sponsor).

Referred to: Rules and Operations of the Senate

April 3, 2019

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL AND CULTURAL
3 RESOURCES TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A STATE
4 HISTORIC SITE TO INTERPRET THE STATE'S TEXTILE PRODUCTION AND
5 INDUSTRIAL HISTORY.

6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 **SECTION 1.** The Department of Natural and Cultural Resources, Office of Archives
8 and History, shall evaluate the real property and textile collection held by the Randolph Heritage
9 Conservancy, Inc., located in the Town of Franklinville, to determine the feasibility of its use in
10 establishing a State historic site or State museum to interpret the State's textile production and
11 industrial history. By May 1, 2020, the Commission shall report its findings and
12 recommendations to the Randolph County Board of County Commissioners, the Randolph
13 Heritage Conservancy, Inc., and the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Agriculture and
14 Natural and Economic Resources.

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

