AN ACT TO MAKE GOLD (AURUM) THE STATE MINERAL.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. Chapter 145 of the General Statutes is amended by adding a new section to read:

  Gold (Aurum) is adopted as the official State mineral of the State of North Carolina."

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

In the General Assembly read three times and ratified this the 15th day of June, 2011.

s/ Walter H. Dalton
  President of the Senate

s/ Thom Tillis
  Speaker of the House of Representatives

s/ Beverly E. Perdue
  Governor

Approved 12:48 p.m. this 23rd day of June, 2011