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SENATE BILL 978

Short Title: Firearms Qualification Sites/Retired LEOs. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Bingham; and Hartsell.

Referred to: Education/Higher Education.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA CRIMINAL JUSTICE EDUCATION AND TRAINING STANDARDS COMMISSION TO COORDINATE WITH LOCAL AND STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND WITH THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM TO PROVIDE MULTIPLE FIREARMS QUALIFICATION SITES FOR CERTIFICATION TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN PURSUANT TO FEDERAL LAW.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 14-415.26 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

"(b1) The Commission shall coordinate with local and State law enforcement officers and with the community college system to provide multiple firearms qualification sites throughout the State where a qualified law enforcement officer may satisfy the firearms qualification criteria required for certification under this section."

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

