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**HOUSE BILL 111
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Short Title: Handgun Permit Valid in Parks & Restaurants. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Hilton, Barnhart, Steen, and Hastings (Primary Sponsors).
For a complete list of Sponsors, see Bill Information on the NCGA Web Site.

Referred to: Judiciary Subcommittee B.

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1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO ALLOW PERSONS WITH CONCEALED HANDGUN PERMITS TO
3 PROTECT THEMSELVES AND THEIR FAMILIES IN RESTAURANTS AND TO
4 ALLOW A CONCEALED HANDGUN PERMITTEE TO CARRY A HANDGUN IN A
5 PARK.

6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 14-269.3(b) is amended by adding a new subdivision to read:

8 "(5) A person on the premises of an establishment that is a restaurant under
9 G.S. 18B-1000(2) or G.S. 18B-1000(6), provided the person has a valid
10 concealed handgun permit under Article 54B of Chapter 14 of the General
11 Statutes."

12 **SECTION 2.** G.S. 14-415.23 reads as rewritten:

13 "**§ 14-415.23. Statewide uniformity.**

14 It is the intent of the General Assembly to prescribe a uniform system for the regulation of
15 legally carrying a concealed handgun. To insure uniformity, no political subdivisions, boards,
16 or agencies of the State nor any county, city, municipality, municipal corporation, town,
17 township, village, nor any department or agency thereof, may enact ordinances, rules, or
18 regulations concerning legally carrying a concealed handgun. A unit of local government may
19 adopt an ordinance to permit the posting of a prohibition against carrying a concealed handgun,
20 in accordance with G.S. 14-415.11(c), on local government ~~buildings, their appurtenant~~
21 ~~premises, and parks buildings and their appurtenant premises.~~"

22 **SECTION 3.** This act becomes effective December 1, 2011.

