

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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SENATE BILL 1331\*

Short Title: White Goods Sunset Repeal.

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Sponsors: Senators Odom; Albertson, Clodfelter, Dannelly, Horton, Kinnaird, Martin of Guilford, Martin of Pitt, and Weinstein.

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Referred to: Finance.

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May 18, 2000

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SUNSET OF THE WHITE GOODS TAX AND TO  
3 DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL  
4 RESOURCES TO STUDY ISSUES RELATED TO THE SCRAP TIRE DISPOSAL  
5 TAX AND THE WHITE GOODS DISPOSAL TAX, AS RECOMMENDED BY  
6 THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

7 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

8 Section 1. Section 11 of Chapter 471 of the 1993 Session Laws, as amended  
9 by Section 15.1(b) of Chapter 769 of the 1993 Session Laws and Section 7 of S.L. 1998-  
10 24, reads as rewritten:

11 "Sec. 11. Sections 1 through 5 of this act and this section become effective January 1,  
12 1994. ~~Section 3 of this act expires July 1, 2001. Section 6 of this act becomes effective~~  
13 ~~July 1, 2001. Sections 7, 8, and 9 of this act become effective July 1, 2002.~~

14 ~~The repeal of the tax imposed by Section 3 of this act does not affect the rights or~~  
15 ~~liabilities of the State, a taxpayer, or another person that arose during the time the tax was~~  
16 ~~in effect.~~—The first report submitted by the Department to the Environmental Review  
17 Commission under G.S. 130A-309.85, as enacted by this act, shall cover the period from  
18 January 1, 1994, to June 30, 1994."

1           Section 2. The Department of Environment and Natural Resources shall study  
2 issues related to the scrap tire disposal tax and the white goods disposal tax. This study  
3 shall include an evaluation of whether the amount of the scrap tire disposal tax and the  
4 amount of the white goods disposal tax should be altered and whether the distribution of  
5 the proceeds of these taxes should be reapportioned. The Department shall report its  
6 findings and recommendations, including any legislative proposals, to the Environmental  
7 Review Commission no later than October 1, 2000.

8           Section 3. This act is effective when it becomes law.