

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 1373*
Committee Substitute Favorable 5/25/04

Short Title: Increase Penalty-Transit Operator Assault.

(Public)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

May 11, 2004

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CLASSIFICATION OF ASSAULTING A PRIVATE
3 CONTRACTOR EMPLOYED AS A PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION OPERATOR
4 FROM A CLASS 2 MISDEMEANOR TO A CLASS A1 MISDEMEANOR.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 14-33(c) is amended by adding a new subdivision to read:

7 "(7) Assaults a public transit operator, including a public employee or a
8 private contractor employed as a public transit operator, when the
9 operator is discharging or attempting to discharge his or her duties."

10 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective December 1, 2004, and applies to
11 offenses committed on or after that date.