

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 643

Short Title: Amend Drug Exam Regulation. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Swindell; Apodaca, Bingham, Tillman, and Vaughan.

Referred to: Judiciary II.

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1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A PERSON REQUIRED TO SUBMIT TO A CONTROLLED
3 SUBSTANCE EXAMINATION WHOSE FIRST SCREENING TEST PRODUCES A
4 POSITIVE RESULT MAY WAIVE A SECOND EXAMINATION THAT IS INTENDED
5 TO CONFIRM THE RESULTS.

6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 95-232(c1) reads as rewritten:

8 "(c1) Confirmation test of samples: if a preliminary screening procedure or other
9 screening test produces a positive result, an approved laboratory shall confirm that result by a
10 second examination of the sample utilizing gas chromatography with mass spectrometry or an
11 equivalent scientifically accepted ~~method~~method, unless a second examination is waived by
12 the examinee."

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

