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HOUSE BILL 348
Committee Substitute Favorable 5/14/13

Short Title: Public Safety Technology/State ROW.

(Public)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

March 20, 2013

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ENTER INTO
3 AGREEMENTS WITH LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO ALLOW PUBLIC SAFETY
4 TECHNOLOGY IN THE RIGHTS-OF-WAY OF THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 SECTION 1. G.S. 136-18 is amended by adding two new subdivisions to read:

7 "§ 136-18. Powers of Department of Transportation.

8 ...

9 (44) To enter into agreements with municipalities, counties, and other
10 governmental entities for the use of and encroachment upon the right-of-way
11 of any road designated as part of the State highway system, for the
12 installation and use of law enforcement, fire suppression service, emergency
13 medical response service, and related public safety technology.

14 (45) To approve agreements between utilities and municipalities, counties, and
15 other public entities for the use and encroachment upon utility easements
16 previously granted by the Department of Transportation to the utility, for the
17 purposes of installing public safety technology."

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

