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Sponsors: Senators Albertson; Parnell, Cooper, Jordan, Plyler, Warren, Martin of Pitt, and Shaw.

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1			A BILL TO BE ENTITLED			
2	AN ACT TO PERMIT THE USE OF THE PRISON ENTERPRISE LAUNDRY					
3	OPERATION IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS.					
4	The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:					
5		Sectio	n 1. G.S. 66-58(b) reads as rewritten:			
6	"(b)	The provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall not apply to:				
7		(1)	Counties and municipalities.			
8		(2)	The Department of Human Resources, the Department of			
9			Environment, Health, and Natural Resources, or the Department of			
10			Agriculture for the sale of serums, vaccines, and other like products.			
11		(3)	The Department of Administration, except that said agency shall not			
12			exceed the authority granted in the act creating the agency.			
13		(4)	The State hospitals for the insane.			
14		(5)	The Department of Human Resources.			
15		(6)	The North Carolina School for the Blind at Raleigh.			
16		(7)	The North Carolina Schools for the Deaf.			
17		(8)	The Greater University of North Carolina with regard to its utilities			
18			and other services now operated by it nor to the sale of articles			
19			produced incident to the operation of instructional departments,			
20			articles incident to educational research, articles of merchandise			
21			incident to classroom work, meals, books, or to articles of merchandise			
22			not exceeding twenty-five cents (25ϕ) in value when sold to members			

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1		of the educational staff or staff auxiliary to education or to duly
2		enrolled students or occasionally to immediate members of the
3		families of members of the educational staff or of duly enrolled
4		students nor to the sale of meals or merchandise to persons attending
5		meetings or conventions as invited guests nor to the operation by the
6		University of North Carolina of an inn or hotel and dining and other
7		facilities usually connected with a hotel or inn, nor to the hospital and
8		Medical School of the University of North Carolina, nor to the
9		Coliseum of North Carolina State College, and the other schools and
10		colleges for higher education maintained or supported by the State, nor
11		to the comprehensive student health services or the comprehensive
12		student infirmaries maintained by the constituent institutions of the
13		University of North Carolina.
14	(9)	The Department of Environment, Health, and Natural Resources,
15	(-)	except that said Department shall not construct, maintain, operate or
16		lease a hotel or tourist inn in any park over which it has jurisdiction.
17		The North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission may sell wildlife
18		memorabilia as a service to members of the public interested in
19		wildlife conservation.
20	(10)	Child-caring institutions or orphanages receiving State aid.
21	(11)	Highlands School in Macon County.
22	(11) (12)	The North Carolina State Fair.
23	(12) (13)	Rural electric memberships corporations.
23	(13) (13a)	State Farm Operations Commission.
25	· /	The Department of Agriculture with regard to its lessees at farmers'
26	(156)	markets operated by the Department.
27	(13c)	The Western North Carolina Agricultural Center.
28	(122) (14)	Nothing herein contained shall be construed to prohibit the
29	(1)	engagement in any of the activities described in subsection (a) hereof
30		by a firm, corporation or person who or which is a lessee of space only
31		of the State of North Carolina or any of its departments or agencies;
32		provided such leases shall be awarded by the Department of
33		Administration to the highest bidder, as provided by law in the case of
34		State contracts and which lease shall be for a term of not less than one
35		year and not more than five years.
36	(15)	The State Department of Correction is authorized to purchase and
37	(10)	install automobile license tag plant equipment for the purpose of
38		manufacturing license tags for the State and local governments and for
39		such other purposes as the Department may direct.
40		The Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, or such other authority as
40		may exercise the authority to purchase automobile license tags is
42		hereby directed to purchase from, and to contract with, the State
43		Department of Correction for the State automobile license tag
44		requirements from year to year.
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		The price to be paid to the State Department of Correction for such
		tags shall be fixed and agreed upon by the Governor, the State
		Department of Correction, and the Motor Vehicle Commissioner, or
		such authority as may be authorized to purchase such supplies.
	(16)	Laundry services performed by the Department of Correction may be
	(-)	provided only for agencies and instrumentalities of the State which are
		supported by State funds and for county or municipally controlled and
		supported hospitals presently being served by the Department of
		Correction, or for which services have been contracted or applied for
		in writing, as of May 22, 1973. 1973, or for which services are
		provided for six months or less and no more than a total of six months
		in any 24-month period, due to the malfunction of laundry equipment
		which is being repaired or replaced or due to renovations to the
		hospital laundry facility. In addition to the prior sentence, laundry
		services performed by the Department of Correction may be provided
		for the Governor Morehead School and the North Carolina Schools for
		the Deaf. Deaf, and for hospitals or state or local governments in
		response to an emergency, whether or not such emergency occurs
		within or without the State and whether or not the services are
		performed for an entity located within or without the State. The term
		'emergency' as used herein shall mean a situation declared by the
		Governor of the State as an emergency in response to an unusual
		disruption of normal services and facilities and shall last only so long
		as the Governor shall declare.
		Such services shall be limited to wet-washing, drying and ironing
		of flatwear or flat goods such as towels, sheets and bedding, linens and
		those uniforms prescribed for wear by such institutions and further
		limited to only flat goods or apparel owned, distributed or controlled
		entirely by such institutions and shall not include processing by any
		dry-cleaning methods; provided, however, those garments and items
		presently being serviced by wet-washing, drying and ironing may in
		the future, at the election of the Department of Correction, be
		processed by a dry-cleaning method.
	(17)	The North Carolina Air Cargo Airport Authority or a lessee of the
		Authority.
	(18)	The activities and products of private enterprise carried on or
		manufactured within a State prison facility pursuant to G.S. 148-70."

- manufactured within a State prison facility pursuant to G.S. 148-70." Sec. 2. This act is effective upon ratification.

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