GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2005

S SENATE DRS75145-LK-103 (3/4)

Short Title:	Contract Agent Fees.	(Public)

Sponsors: Senator Jenkins.

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN STATUTES OF CHAPTER 20 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES RELATING TO CONTRACT AGENT FEES.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 20-63(h1) reads as rewritten:

"(h1) Commission contracts entered into by the Division under this subsection shall also provide for the payment of an additional one dollar (\$1.00) of compensation to commission contract agents <u>collected from users of the agents' services</u> for any transaction assessed a fee under subdivision (a)(1), (a)(2), (a)(3), (a)(7), (a)(8), or (a)(9) of G.S. 20-85."

SECTION 2. G.S. 20-63(i) reads as rewritten:

"(i) Electronic Applications and Collections. – The Division is authorized to shall accept electronic applications for the issuance of registration plates, registration certificates, and certificates of title, and to shall electronically collect fees and penalties."

SECTION 3. G.S. 20-85(a1) reads as rewritten:

"(a1) An additional one dollar (\$1.00) fee shall be imposed for any transaction assessed a fee under subdivision (a)(1), (a)(2), (a)(3), (a)(7), (a)(8), or (a)(9) of this section. The fees collected pursuant to this section shall be credited to the North Carolina Highway Fund. The Division shall use the fees derived from transactions with the Division for technology improvements. The Division shall use the fees derived from transactions with commission contract agents and paid by the users of the agents' services for the payment of compensation to commission contract agents."

SECTION 4. This act becomes effective October 1, 2005.