## GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA 1991 SESSION

## CHAPTER 658 HOUSE BILL 673

## AN ACT TO LIMIT TO NURSE ANESTHETISTS THE EXEMPTION FROM THE DEFINITION OF THE PRACTICE OF DENTISTRY FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF ANESTHESIA.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. G.S. 90-29(b)(6) reads as rewritten:

"(6) Administers an anesthetic of any kind in the treatment of dental or oral diseases or physical conditions, or in preparation for or incident to any operation within the oral cavity; provided, however, that this subsection shall not apply to a lawfully qualified nurse or anesthetist who administers such anesthetic under the supervision and direction of a licensed dentist or physician;".

Sec. 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 1992.

In the General Assembly read three times and ratified this the 12th day of July, 1991.

James C. Gardner President of the Senate

Daniel Blue, Jr. Speaker of the House of Representatives