

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
SESSION 2003**

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SENATE BILL 1263*

Short Title: Notice of Add'l Building Code Requirements.

(Public)

Sponsors: Senator Clodfelter.

Referred to: Commerce.

May 24, 2004

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE BUILDING CODE COUNCIL TO TAKE NECESSARY
2 STEPS TO AMEND THE STATE BUILDING CODE TO CROSS-REFERENCE
3 ALL ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS IMPOSED BY OCCUPATIONAL
4 LICENSING BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, OR OTHER AGENCIES OF THE
5 STATE AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS.
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7 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

8 **SECTION 1.** The Building Code Council shall review the facility design,
9 construction, and building requirements of every licensing board or commission and
10 every State agency and shall adopt amendments or develop administrative rules or
11 legislative proposals, as necessary, to cross-reference any requirements that are in
12 addition to the North Carolina State Building Code in the Code and in all applicable
13 subcodes for the purpose of giving the public adequate notice of those additional
14 requirements. The Building Code Council shall report any legislative proposals
15 required to implement this act to the General Assembly by February 1, 2005.

16 **SECTION 2.** Every State agency and licensing board or commission shall
17 report to the Building Code Council all facility design, construction, and building
18 requirements that vary from the North Carolina State Building Code and with which the
19 public must comply. The report required by this section shall be submitted to the
20 Building Code Council by December 31, each year and the Building Code Council shall
21 adopt any necessary amendments or develop any rules or legislative proposals required
22 to cross-reference new building requirements that vary from the Code by April 1 each
23 year.

24 **SECTION 3.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the
25 Department of Insurance, Building Code Council, the sum of ten thousand dollars
26 (\$10,000) for the 2004-2005 fiscal year to conduct the necessary review of agency and
27 board facility design, construction, and building requirements and to adopt the
28 amendments or develop the administrative rules or legislative proposals required to
29 implement this act.

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SECTION 4. This act becomes effective July 1, 2004.