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SENATE BILL DRS45380-LR-91J (03/17)

Short Title:	Enhanced Penalty for Second Degree Trespass.	(Public)
Sponsors:	Senators Britt, Daniel, and Ballard (Primary Sponsors).	
Referred to:		
A BILL TO BE ENTITLED		
AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR SECOND DEGREE TRESPASS ONTO		
CERTAIN PREMISES.		
The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:		
SECTION 1. G.S. 14-159.13 reads as rewritten:		
"§ 14-159.13. Second degree trespass.		
(a) Offense. – A person commits the offense of second degree trespass if, without		
authorization, he enters or remains on premises of another:		
(1	After he has been notified not to enter or remain there by the own person in charge of the premises, by a lawful occupant, or by	•
	authorized person; or	
(2	2) That are posted, in a manner reasonably likely to come to the atte	ention of
`	intruders, with notice not to enter the premises.	
(b) C	Classification. – Second-Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section	, second
degree trespass is a Class 3 misdemeanor.		
(c) A violation of subsection (a) of this section is a Class 1 misdemeanor if the offense		
occurs in a multi-occupancy bathroom, shower, or changing facility."		
SECTION 2. This act becomes effective December 1, 2017, and applies to		

offenses committed on or after that date.

