

February 14, 2007

**S 175. INTERSTATE WILDLIFE VIOLATOR COMPACT.** Filed 2/14/07. *TO ENACT THE INTERSTATE WILDLIFE VIOLATOR COMPACT IN NORTH CAROLINA.* Enacts a new Article 22B (Wildlife Violator Compact) of GS Chapter 113 directing the Governor to enter into a compact with other states concerning wildlife violators, to become effective when it has been adopted by two states. Directs wildlife offices writing citations to violators whose primary residence is in a state that is party to the compact to treat the violator as they would a resident and provides for personal recognizance. Currently, violators from out of state are required to post collateral or bond, or are taken into custody until collateral or bond is posted, or are taken to court for an immediate appearance. Provides for reporting of violations to the issuing and home states. Directs the home state to suspend a violator's license until there is evidence of compliance and to treat the conviction as if it occurred in the home state. Directs party states to recognize the suspension of license privileges as if the underlying violation had occurred in their states. Establishes a board of compact administrators composed of one representative from each party state. Provides procedures states must follow to enter into the compact, for making amendments to the compact, and for the construction of the compact. New GS 113-300.7 gives the Wildlife Resources Commission (WRC) the ability to suspend or revoke a license to the extent that it has been suspended or revoked by another compact member and directs the WRC to adopt rules to carry out the Article. New GS 113-300.8 makes it a Class 1 misdemeanor for a person to hunt, fish, trap, possess, or transport wildlife, or to purchase or possess a license to do so in violation of a suspension or revocation. Effective October 1, 2007.

**Intro. by Snow.**

GS 113

May 2, 2007

**S 175. INTERSTATE WILDLIFE VIOLATOR COMPACT.** Filed 2/14/07. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Modifies GS 113-300.6 to delete *Provinces of Canada or other countries* from the definition of "state" for the purposes of the act. Provides that a compact administrator may not appoint an alternate to serve in the compact administrator's stead unless written notification of the alternate's identity has been given to the Board of Compact Administrators. Directs that the chair of the Wildlife Resources Commission is to appoint the compact administrator for NC and provides that proposed amendments to the compact must be submitted to the General Assembly and enacted into law in order to be endorsed by NC. Makes technical changes.

June 30, 2008

**S 175. INTERSTATE WILDLIFE VIOLATOR COMPACT.** Filed 2/14/07. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. The effective date is changed from October 1, 2007, to October 1, 2008.

July 29, 2008

**SL 2008-120 (S 175). INTERSTATE WILDLIFE VIOLATOR COMPACT. AN ACT TO ENACT THE INTERSTATE WILDLIFE VIOLATOR COMPACT IN NORTH CAROLINA.** Summarized in *Daily Bulletin* 2/14/07, 5/2/07, and 6/30/08. Enacted July 28, 2008. Effective October 1, 2008.