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NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
AMENDMENT  
House Bill 1766

AMENDMENT NO. 4  
(to be filled in by  
Principal Clerk)

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Comm. Sub. [YES]  
Amends Title [YES]  
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Senator McKissick

1 moves to amend the bill on page 2, line 22 by deleting the word "AND"; and  
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3 on page 2, line 26 by rewriting that line to read:

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5 "ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY; AND ( 23 ) TO AMEND THE NC  
6 SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES TASK FORCE."; and

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8 on page 17, line 20, by adding the following between lines 20 and 21:

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10 "SECTION 21.2.(a) G.S. 143B-344.35, as enacted by Section 13.5.(a) of S.L.  
11 2010-31, reads as rewritten:

12 '§ 143B-344.35. North Carolina Sustainable Communities Task Force – creation;  
13 purpose; duties.

14 There is created within the Department of Environment and Natural Resources the North  
15 Carolina Sustainable Communities Task Force to lead and support the State's sustainable  
16 communities initiatives. The duties of the Task Force shall be as follows:

17 ...  
18 (7) To develop a common local government sustainable practices scoring  
19 system incorporating the principles set forth in G.S. 143B-344.34(b). In  
20 developing the scoring system, the Task Force shall take into account the  
21 resources and infrastructure in smaller communities and rural areas, as  
22 compared to urban areas, in order to ensure that all communities and areas  
23 may compete for grants on an equal basis.

24 ...  
25 SECTION 21.2.(b) G.S. 143B-344.38, as enacted by Section 13.5.(a) of S.L.  
26 2010-31, reads as rewritten:

27 '§ 143B-344.38. North Carolina Sustainable Communities Task Force – reports.

28 ...  
29 (b) Prior to awarding any funding under G.S. 143B-344.37 and no later than February  
30 1, 2011, the Task Force shall report to the House Commerce, Small Business, and  
31 Entrepreneurship Committee and the Senate Commerce Committee regarding the sustainable  
32 practices scoring system developed in accordance with G.S. 143B-344.35(7).



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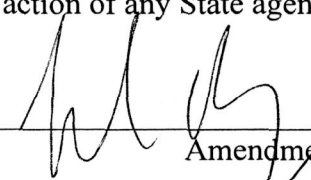
1 (b)(c) For purposes of this section, "metro region of the State" includes the following  
2 Statistical Areas defined by the United States Census Bureau:

- 3 (1) The Research Triangle region (made up of the Durham-Chapel Hill and the  
4 Raleigh-Cary Metropolitan Statistical Areas).  
5 (2) The North Carolina portion of the Charlotte-Gastonia-Concord Metropolitan  
6 Statistical Area.  
7 (3) The Greensboro-Winston-Salem-High Point Combined Statistical Area.  
8 (4) The Asheville Metropolitan Statistical Area.  
9 (5) The Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton Metropolitan Statistical Area.  
10 (6) The Fayetteville Metropolitan Statistical Area.  
11 (7) The Wilmington Metropolitan Statistical Area.  
12 (8) The Greenville Metropolitan Statistical Area.  
13 (9) The Jacksonville Metropolitan Statistical Area.  
14 (10) The Rocky Mount Metropolitan Statistical Area.  
15 (11) The Goldsboro Metropolitan Statistical Area.  
16 (12) Any other Metropolitan Statistical Area that includes counties of the State  
17 and that has a population of 100,000 or more within the State.'

18 **SECTION 23.(c)** Section 13.5 of S.L. 2010-31 is amended by adding a new  
19 subsection to read:

20 **'SECTION 13.5.(d1)** Limitation. – This section shall in no way be construed to grant the  
21 Sustainable Communities Task Force created by Part 31 of Article 7 of Chapter 143B of the  
22 General Statutes, as enacted by subsection (a) of this section, any authority to regulate or  
23 supersede any action of any State agency or local government.'

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Amendment Sponsor

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Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

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