

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 715

Short Title: Fire Hydrants Every 1,000 Feet.

(Public)

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Sponsors: Representatives Anderson; Albertson, Beall, N. J. Crawford, R. Hunter, Smith, and Wainwright.

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Referred to: Public Utilities.

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April 11, 1991

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT ALL WATER SYSTEMS PROVIDE HYDRANTS AT  
2 NO MORE THAN ONE THOUSAND FOOT INTERVALS TO PROVIDE FOR  
3 ADEQUATE FIRE PROTECTION.  
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5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 Section 1. Chapter 160A of the General Statutes is amended by adding a new  
7 section to read:

8 "**§ 160A-294.1. Required hydrant spacing.**

9 All water systems approved by the municipality after October 1, 1991, shall provide  
10 for the installation of water hydrants spaced no more than one thousand feet apart to  
11 provide for adequate fire protection."

12 Sec. 2. Chapter 153A of the General Statutes is amended by adding a new  
13 section to read:

14 "**§ 153A-235.1. Required hydrant spacing.**

15 All water systems approved by the county after October 1, 1991, shall provide for  
16 the installation of water hydrants spaced no more than one thousand feet apart to  
17 provide for adequate fire protection."

18 Sec. 3. This act is effective upon ratification.