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Short Title: Utter/Possess Counterfeit U.S. Currency.

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Sponsors: Representative Eddins.

Referred to: Judiciary II.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT IT IS A FELONY TO POSSESS, PASS, OR UTTER
3 COUNTERFEIT UNITED STATES CURRENCY WITH THE INTENT TO
4 DEFRAUD ANOTHER.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** Article 5 of Chapter 14 of the General Statutes is amended by
7 adding a new section to read:

8 "**§ 14-13.1. Possess, utter, or pass counterfeit United States currency with an intent**
9 **to defraud another.**

10 (a) Any person who, knowingly and with the intent to defraud, utters, or passes
11 counterfeit United States currency is guilty of a Class I felony.

12 (b) Any person who knowingly possesses, with intent to defraud, counterfeit
13 United States currency is guilty of a Class I felony.

14 (c) Any person who attempts to commit a violation of subsection (a) or (b) of this
15 section or who aids or abets another person in violating subsection (a) or (b) of this
16 section is guilty of a Class I felony."

17 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective December 1, 2001, and applies to
18 offenses committed on or after that date.