GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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SENATE BILL 223

Short Title:	Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Jurisdiction.	(Public)
Sponsors:	Senators Goodall; Clodfelter, Dannelly, Graham, and Pittenger.	
Referred to:	Judiciary l (Civil).	

February 21, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT OFFICERS OF THE CHARLOTTE-MECKLENBURG POLICE DEPARTMENT MAY ARREST PERSONS ANYWHERE IN THE STATE FOR OFFENSES COMMITTED WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT'S TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 15A-402(e) reads as rewritten:

"(e) County Officers, Outside Territory, for Felonies. – Law-enforcement officers of counties may arrest persons at any place in the State of North Carolina when the arrest is based upon a felony committed within the territory described in subsection (b). <u>Law enforcement officers of the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department may arrest persons at any place in the State of North Carolina when the arrest is based upon a felony committed within the territorial jurisdiction of the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department.</u>"

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.