

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 112
Committee Substitute Favorable 4/23/97

Short Title: Camden Safety Zone.

(Local)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

February 12, 1997

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO CREATE A SAFETY ZONE AROUND PUBLIC AND PRIVATE
2 SCHOOLS IN CAMDEN COUNTY BY PROHIBITING HUNTING OR THE
3 DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS FROM THE RIGHT-OF-WAY OF PUBLIC ROADS
4 WITHIN ONE-HALF MILE OF A SCHOOL.
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6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 Section 1. It is unlawful to hunt or otherwise discharge a firearm from the
8 right-of-way of public roads within one-half mile of any public or private school located
9 in Camden County.

10 Section 2. It is unlawful for any person to discharge or cause to be discharged
11 any firearm within one-half mile of any public or private school, toward any public or
12 private school, or to cause any projectile discharged from a firearm to enter any public or
13 private school grounds for any reason.

14 Section 3. This act does not apply to a person transporting a firearm on a
15 State-maintained road or highway within or on any motor vehicle or to any person who is
16 actively engaged in retrieving dogs on a State-maintained road or highway.

17 Section 4. Violation of this act is a Class 3 misdemeanor.

1 Section 5. This act is enforceable by law enforcement officers of the Wildlife
2 Resources Commission, by sheriffs and deputy sheriffs, and by other peace officers with
3 general subject matter jurisdiction.

4 Section 6. This act becomes effective October 1, 1997.