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SENATE BILL 285
Judiciary Committee Substitute Adopted 4/14/97

Short Title: Amend Shoplifting Law.

(Public)

Sponsors:

Referred to: Appropriations.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO MAKE IT A FELONY TO CONCEAL MERCHANDISE BY USING A
LEAD OR ALUMINUM LINING OR COVERING OR OTHER DEVICE OR
TECHNIQUE THAT WILL PREVENT THE ACTIVATION OF AN
ANTISHOPLIFTING CONTROL DEVICE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. G.S. 14-72.1 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

"(d1) Notwithstanding subsection (e) of this section, any person who violates subsection (a) of this section by using a lead or aluminum lining or covering or other device or technique to prevent the activation of any antishoplifting or inventory control device is guilty of a Class H felony."

Section 2. This act becomes effective December 1, 1997, and applies to offenses committed on or after that date.