

North Carolina Department of Public Safety

Legislative Update

Week of June 13, 2022

Roy Cooper, Governor

Eddie M. Buffaloe, Jr., Secretary

Overall, this week was fairly quiet at the General Assembly. An overwhelming majority of the bills acted upon were local bills impacting a handful of counties. However, the most notable action taken was on the Senate side, as Senate Resolution 760 passed the Senate Select Committee on Nominations unanimously on Wednesday. The resolution would officially confirm Secretary Buffaloe to lead the Department of Public Safety. It is anticipated that the resolution will be considered and voted on by the entire Senate within the coming weeks.

Looking ahead to the upcoming week, the Senate will hold its next voting session Tuesday while the House will not vote again until Wednesday. However, it is anticipated that details of a much-awaited budget bill will emerge by the end of next week. Votes on the budget are likely to be held the week of June 27^{th} .

DPS Bills with Action this Week

(Note: Click on the bill title to view the most current version of the bill)

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Division(s) Impacted	Sponsor(s)	Bill#	Short Title	Action
Law Enforcement	McNeill, Boles, Saine, and Carter	Н 315	Arson Law Revisions.	Ch. SL 2022-8
Department-Wide	Boles	Н 560	Public Safety Reform.	6/16/2022 Senate Re-ref to Judiciary. If fav, re-ref to Rules and Operations of the Senate
AC	Boles, Davis, McNeill, and C. Smith	H 1008	Clarify Sex Offender Registration.	6/13/2022 Senate Re-ref to Judiciary. If fav, re-ref to Rules and Operations of the Senate

				6/15/2022
				Passed
			Confirm Eddie	Senate Select
Department-Wide	Rabon	S 760	Buffaloe/Secretary of	Committee
			DPS.	on
				Nominations
				Unanimously

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