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HOUSE BILL 1492  
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Short Title: Regulate Portable Toilets.

(Public)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

May 17, 1993

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE BUILDING CODE COUNCIL TO ESTABLISH STANDARDS FOR TEMPORARY TOILET FACILITIES AT CONSTRUCTION SITES TO ENSURE SANITARY CONDITIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION WORKERS AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. Article 9 of Chapter 143 of the General Statutes is amended by adding a new section to read:

**"§ 143-143.3. Temporary toilet facilities at construction sites.**

(a) Suitable toilet facilities shall be provided and maintained in a sanitary condition during construction. An adequate number of facilities must be provided for the number of employees at the construction site. Such facilities may be portable, enclosed, chemically treated, tank-tight units. Portable toilets shall be enclosed, screened, and weather-proofed with internal latches. Temporary toilet facilities need not be provided on site for crews on a job site for no more than one working day and having transportation readily available to nearby toilet facilities.

(b) It shall be the duty of the Building Code Council to establish standards to carry out the provisions of subsection (a) of this section not inconsistent with the requirements for toilet facilities at construction sites established pursuant to federal occupational safety and health rules."

1                   Sec. 2. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of  
2 Insurance for the Building Code Council the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for  
3 the 1993-94 fiscal year for the cost of implementing this act.

4                   Sec. 3. This act is effective upon ratification.