

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 482

Short Title: Handicapped Persons Signature.

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Sponsors: Representatives Culp; Barbee, Clary, Decker, Dickson, Jeffus, Kiser, McComas, Preston, Reynolds, Rogers, Russell, Sexton, Sherrill, Shubert, Sutton, Watson, Weatherly, Wood, and Yongue.

Referred to: Judiciary I.

March 10, 1997

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO ALLOW ALL HANDICAPPED PERSONS TO USE A REGISTERED
2 SIGNATURE FACSIMILE AS A MARK OF THEIR LEGAL SIGNATURE.

3 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

4 Section 1. G.S. 22A-1 reads as rewritten:

5 **"§ 22A-1. Use of a signature facsimile by a ~~visually~~ handicapped person.**

6 A ~~visually~~ handicapped person, as defined in ~~G.S. 111-11~~ G.S. 168A-3(4), may use a
7 registered signature facsimile as a proper mark of ~~his~~ the person's legal signature. An
8 example of the signature facsimile shall be registered by the ~~visually~~ handicapped person
9 with the clerk of the superior court in the county ~~of his domicile~~ where the person lives.
10 The registered signature facsimile may be revoked at any time in writing by the ~~visually~~
11 handicapped person."
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13 Section 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.