

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
SESSION 2005

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION DRHJR80257-LR-133 (04/12)

Sponsors: Representative Alexander.

Referred to:

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH
2 COMMISSION TO STUDY THE TRAFFICKING OF PERSONS.

3 Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

4 **SECTION 1.(a)** The Legislative Research Commission may study the topic
5 of trafficking of persons. In its study the Commission may do all of the following:

6 (1) Measure and evaluate the progress of the State in trafficking
7 prevention activities.

8 (2) Identify available federal, State, and local programs that provide
9 services to victims of trafficking that include health care, human
10 services, housing, education, legal assistance, job training or
11 preparation, interpreting services, English as a second language
12 classes, and victim's compensation.

13 (3) Make recommendations on methods to provide a coordinated system
14 of support and assistance to persons who are victims of trafficking.

15 (4) Consider any other issue relevant to this topic.

16 **SECTION 1.(b)** The Commission shall submit an interim report of its
17 findings and recommendations to the 2005 General Assembly prior to its reconvening in
18 2006 and shall submit a final report of its findings and recommendations to the General
19 Assembly on or before the first day of the 2007 Regular Session by filing the report
20 with the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of
21 Representatives. Upon filing its final report, the Commission shall terminate.

22 **SECTION 2.** This resolution is effective upon ratification.