

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 1344

Short Title: Increase Fines for Speeding. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Shaw.

Referred to: Finance.

March 26, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT TO SET CERTAIN FINES FOR SPEEDING VIOLATIONS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 20-141 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

"(j4) A person who operates a motor vehicle in excess of the posted speed limit shall be subject to the cost of court and the following fines:

(1) Speed over the applicable limit, including a limit imposed by permit on a commercial vehicle, and over 55 mph but not over 80 mph:

a. 1-5 miles per hour over the posted speed limit – \$50 fine.

b. 6-10 miles per hour over the posted speed limit – \$100 fine.

c. 11-15 miles per hour over the posted speed limit – \$150 fine.

(2) Speed over the applicable limit, including a limit imposed by permit on a commercial vehicle, but 55 mph or under:

a. 1-5 miles per hour over the posted speed limit – \$50 fine.

b. 6-10 miles per hour over the posted speed limit – \$100 fine.

c. 11-15 miles per hour over the posted speed limit – \$150 fine.

d. 16-20 miles per hour over the posted speed limit – \$200 fine."

SECTION 2. This act becomes effective December 1, 2007, and applies to offenses committed on or after that date.