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HOUSE BILL DRH40373-LU-123

Short Title: Req. Intent to Commit Fraud/Felon Voting. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Dahle and Russell (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A PERSON WHO HAS BEEN CONVICTED OF A CRIME
3 THAT EXCLUDED THE PERSON FROM THE RIGHT TO VOTE MUST HAVE THE
4 INTENT TO COMMIT FRAUD TO BE GUILTY OF FELONY VOTING.
5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
6 SECTION 1. G.S. 163A-1389(5) reads as rewritten:
7 "§ 163A-1389. **Certain acts declared felonies.**
8 Any person who shall, in connection with any primary, general or special election held in this
9 State, do any of the acts or things declared in this section to be unlawful, shall be guilty of a Class
10 I felony. It shall be unlawful:
11 ...
12 (5) For any person convicted of a crime which excludes the person from the right
13 of suffrage, to vote with intent to commit a fraud at any primary or election
14 without having been restored to the right of citizenship in due course and by
15 the method provided by law.
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17 SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.



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