



NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AMENDMENT
House Bill 1003

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H1003-ACC-23 [v.4]

AMENDMENT NO. **A**
(to be filled in by
Principal Clerk)

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Amends Title [NO]
Third Edition

Date June 25, 2025

Senator Hise

moves to amend the bill on page 29, lines 5 through 32,
by rewriting the lines to read:

"(a2) In order to engage in the practice of funeral directing or funeral service, such a licensee must own, be employed by, or otherwise be an agent of a licensed funeral establishment; except that such a licensee may practice funeral directing or funeral service if any of the following apply:

(1) The licensee is employed by a college of mortuary science.

(2) The licensee does all of the following:

- a. Maintains all of the licensee's business records at a location made known to the Board and available for inspection by the Board under the same terms and conditions as the business records of a licensed funeral establishment.
- b. Complies with rules and regulations imposed on funeral establishments and the funeral profession that are designed to protect consumers, to include, but not be limited to, the Federal Trade Commission's laws and rules requiring General Price Lists and Statements of Goods and Services.
- c. Pays to the Board the funeral establishment license fee required by law and set by the Board.
- d. Obtains and maintains a professional liability insurance policy with liability limits of at least one million dollars (\$1,000,000). Certificates of professional liability insurance shall be (i) submitted to the Board within 30 days of the initial registration of the licensee by the Board and (ii) submitted to the Board upon request. The licensee shall notify the Board in writing within 30 days of any change in the insurer or any cancellation or suspension of policy.
- e. Submits an affidavit to the Board attesting that he or she owns, or was being employed by, a funeral establishment directly damaged or destroyed by Hurricane Helene.

Nothing in this subdivision shall preclude a licensee from arranging cremations and cremating human remains while employed by a crematory.";



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2 and on page 51, lines 11 through 12,
3 by inserting the following between those lines:
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5 "SECTION 5.1A.(a) G.S. 90-210.25(a2)(2) is repealed.
6 SECTION 5.1A.(b) This section becomes effective July 1, 2030."
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SIGNED


Amendment Sponsor

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Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

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Sarah Holland
6.25.25

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