



# SENATE BILL 323: UNC Public Records/Athletic Conferences.

2017-2018 General Assembly

<b>Committee:</b>	Senate Judiciary. If favorable, re-refer to Rules and Operations of the Senate	<b>Date:</b>	April 24, 2017
<b>Introduced by:</b>	Sens. Lee, Hise, Daniel	<b>Prepared by:</b>	Amy Darden
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**OVERVIEW:** *Senate Bill 323 would designate communication and documentation regarding membership in any collegiate sports association or organization by the University of North Carolina or any constituent institutions as public records.*

[As introduced, this bill was identical to H412, as introduced by Reps. Bert Jones, Blust, Collins, Jordan, which is currently in House Judiciary I.]

**BILL ANALYSIS:** Senate Bill 323 would enact a new section under Chapter 132 – Public Records. Any of the following items in possession of UNC or any of its constituent institutions, related to membership in or communication with the NCAA, the ACC, or any other athletic conference or organization would be a public record:

- Documents, papers, letters, photographs;
- Films, sound recordings, magnetic or other tapes, electronic data-processing records;
- Artifacts or other documentary material.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** This act is effective when it becomes law.

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