



This Bill Analysis reflects the contents of the bill as it was presented in committee.

# SENATE BILL 474: Obsolete Bds/Judicial and Admin. Changes.

2019-2020 General Assembly

<b>Committee:</b>	House Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House	<b>Date:</b>	July 7, 2020
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### OVERVIEW: *The PCS to Senate Bill 474 would do the following:*

- *Abolish obsolete boards and commissions that are no longer functional.*
- *Allow retired superior court judges to serve as emergency judges in district court.*
- *Transfer the Boxing Commission from the Department of Commerce to the Department of Public Safety.*
- *Extend the sunset on the waiver of witnesses for health care powers of attorney and advanced directives for a natural death.*

### BILL ANALYSIS:

Sections 1 through 19.4 of the PCS would abolish all of the following:

- The Board of Directors of the Certification Entity for the Phase II Settlement Funds.
- The North Carolina Agency for Telecommunications.
- The Charlotte Douglas International Airport Commission.
- The Board of Directors of the Charlotte Regional Partnership.
- The Commission on School Technology.
- The Data Integration Steering Committee.
- The Eastern Carolina Regional Housing Authority Board of Commissioners.
- The Grants Management Oversight Committees.
- The Legislative Commission on Methamphetamine Abuse.
- The Motor Vehicle Dealers' Advisory Board.
- The North Carolina Community Development Council.
- The North Carolina Farmworkers Council.
- The Southern Growth Policies Board.
- The Southern Technology Council.
- The State Advisory Council on Employment Security.
- The State Suggestion Review Committee.

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- The Statewide Portal Committee.
- The Oversight Board for Teach for America, Inc.
- The Wholesale Distributor Advisory Committee.
- Motor Vehicle Dealers' Advisory Board (effective June 30, 2022).
- The North Carolina Advisory Council on the Eastern Band of the Cherokee.
- The Blount Street Historic District Oversight Committee.
- The State Advisory Council on Indian Education.

**Section 20.1** would permit retired superior court judges who had once served as district court judges to apply to serve as emergency judges in district court.

**Sections 21.1 through 21.5** would transfer the Boxing Commission from the Department of Commerce to the Department of Public Safety. The Commission shall exercise its powers independently of the Secretary of Public Safety and shall be located in the Department of Public Safety for administrative purposes only.

**Section 22.1** would extend the sunset on the waiver of witnesses for health care powers of attorney and advanced directives for a natural death from August 1, 2020 to March 1, 2021.

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

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