

HOUSE BILL 103: 2022 Appropriations Act, Sec. 19E.1: 211 System Collaboration

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OVERVIEW: Section 19E.1 of S.L. 2022-74 requires the Division of Emergency Management and other responding State agencies to consult with the operating entity of NC 2-1-1 when planning initiatives or programs involving telephonic or text communications to individuals affected by disaster declarations or state of emergency declarations.

This section becomes effective October 1, 2022.

CURRENT LAW/ANALYSIS: Current law requires the Department of Health and Human Services and the North Carolina Division of Emergency Management to first consider State-based companies in providing mobile response units to rural areas of the State in public health emergencies.

Section 19E.1 of this act requires the Division of Emergency Management and other responding State agencies to consult with the operating entity of the NC 2-1-1 system and consider using the NC 2-1-1 system when planning initiatives or programs involving telephonic or text communications to individuals affected by disaster declarations or state of emergency declarations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This section becomes effective October 1, 2022.

