

## **SENATE BILL 605:** North Carolina Farm Act of 2021, Sec. 13A: **Ag Cost Share Technical Correction**

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OVERVIEW: Section 13A of S.L. 2021-78 makes a technical correction to the Agricultural Cost Share Program to clarify that it is a statewide program.

This section became effective July 2, 2021.

**BACKGROUND:** The Agricultural Cost Share Program is a voluntary, incentive-based program that addresses nonpoint source pollution in North Carolina. The Program was piloted in 1985 and initially applied to only 33 counties. It has since been expanded to apply to the entire State.

BILL ANALYSIS: Section 13A of S.L. 2021-78 makes a technical correction to the Agricultural Cost Share Program to clarify that it is a statewide program.

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