

HOUSE BILL 214: Add Members to NC Training Standards Commiss.

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Committee: House Judiciary 3. If favorable, re-refer to Date: April 5, 2023

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Analysis of: First Edition

OVERVIEW: House Bill 214 would add two members to the North Carolina Justice Education and Training Standards Commission (Commission) – one selected by the North Carolina Police Benevolent Association and one selected by the North Carolina Fraternal Order of Police.

CURRENT LAW: The Commission promulgates rules to establish educational and training standards for State criminal justice officers. It is composed of 35 members, that include various law enforcement officers, State officials, education officials, and General Assembly appointees. Additionally, individuals are appointed by the following at-large groups for staggered three-year terms:

- The League of Municipalities.
- The North Carolina Law-Enforcement Training Officers' Association.
- The North Carolina Criminal Justice Association.
- The North State Law-Enforcement Officers' Association.
- The North Carolina Law-Enforcement Women's Association.
- The North Carolina Association of District Attorneys.

BILL ANALYSIS: House Bill 214 would add two at-large group members to the Commission:

- One full-time sworn law-enforcement officer selected by the North Carolina Police Benevolent Association.
- One member selected by the North Carolina Fraternal Order of Police.

The members would serve three-year terms, with the initial term of office for both members beginning on July 1, 2023. The members would serve at the will of the appointing authority.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This bill would become effective when it becomes law.

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