



# HOUSE BILL 536: Loggerhead Turtle/State Saltwater Reptile.

2023-2024 General Assembly

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<b>Committee:</b>	House State Government. If favorable, re-refer to Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House	<b>Date:</b>	April 20, 2023
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**OVERVIEW:** *House Bill 536 would adopt the loggerhead sea turtle as the official saltwater reptile of the State of North Carolina.*

**CURRENT LAW:** Chapter 145 of the General Statutes contains a list of State symbols and other official adoptions.

**BILL ANALYSIS:** House Bill 536 would add a new section in Chapter 145 designating the loggerhead sea turtle as the official saltwater reptile of the State of North Carolina.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The act would be effective when it becomes law.

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