



2025-2026 General Assembly

HOUSE BILL 74:

House Budget Technical Corrections, Sec. 2.4:

North Carolina Collaboratory May Use

Cyanobacterial Algal Bloom Treatment Pilot

Project Funds for Other Research Projects

Analysis of: S.L. 2025-4, Sec. 2.4

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Section 2.4 of S.L. 2025-4 (House Bill 74) modifies a provision enacted in 2021 that allocated funds to the North Carolina Collaboratory to evaluate the effectiveness and efficacy of an approved in situ treatment of the nutrient impaired surface waters in lakes and reservoirs on cyanobacterial harmful algal blooms. The modification allows the Collaboratory to use any unexpended portion of those funds for other research projects related to the study, analysis, and improvement of surface water quality in the State, including research projects related to nutrient impaired coastal waters.

This section of the act became effective May 14, 2025.

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