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SENATE BILL 453
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Short Title: Marriage Lic./Hlth. Cert.

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Sponsors:

Referred to:

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1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT FOR HEALTH CERTIFICATES FOR
3 MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICANTS AND TO EXEMPT HOME QUILTERS
4 FROM CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS OF CHAPTER 130A OF THE GENERAL
5 STATUTES.

6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 Section 1. G.S. 51-9 is repealed.

8 Sec. 2. G.S. 51-10 is repealed.

9 Sec. 3. G.S. 51-11 is repealed.

10 Sec. 4. G.S. 51-13 is repealed.

11 Sec. 5. G.S. 130A-261 reads as rewritten:

12 **"§ 130A-261. Definitions.**

13 The following definitions shall apply throughout this Part:

- 14 (1) 'Bedding' means any mattress, upholstered spring, sleeping bag, pad,
15 comforter, cushion, pillow, decorative pillow, and any other padded or
16 stuffed item designed to be or commonly used for reclining or
17 sleeping. This definition includes dual purpose furniture such as
18 studio couches and sofa beds. The term 'mattress' does not include
19 water bed liners, bladders or cylinders unless they contain padding or
20 stuffing. The term 'mattress' also does not include quilts and
21 comforters made principally by hand sewing or stitching in a home or
22 community workshop.

- 1 (2) 'Itinerant vendor' means a person who sells bedding from a movable
2 conveyance.
- 3 (3) 'Manufacture' means the making of bedding out of new materials.
- 4 (4) 'New material' means any material or article that has not been used for
5 any other purpose and by-products of industry that have not been in
6 human use.
- 7 (5) 'Previously used material' means any material of which previous use
8 has been made, but manufacturing processes shall not be considered
9 previous use.
- 10 (6) 'Renovate' means the reworking or remaking of used bedding or the
11 making of bedding from previously used materials, except for the
12 renovator's own personal use or the use of the renovator's immediate
13 family.
- 14 (7) 'Sanitize' means treatment of secondhand bedding or previously used
15 materials to be used in renovating for the destruction of pathogenic
16 microorganisms and arthropods and the removal of dirt and filth.
- 17 (8) 'Secondhand bedding' means any bedding of which prior use has been
18 made.
- 19 (9) 'Sell' or 'sold' means sell, have to sell, give away in connection with a
20 sale, delivery or consignment; or possess with intent to sell, deliver or
21 consign in sale."

22 Sec. 6. Sections 1 through 4 of this act become effective October 1, 1994,
23 and apply to marriage license applications filed on or after that date. Section 5 of this
24 act is effective upon ratification.