

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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SENATE BILL 1165
Finance Committee Substitute Adopted 5/27/96

Short Title: County Remove Registration Block.

(Public)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

May 15, 1996

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO ALLOW COUNTIES TO REMOVE VEHICLE REGISTRATION TAX
3 BLOCK UPON FULL PAYMENT OF PROPERTY TAXES.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 Section 1. G.S. 20-50.4 reads as rewritten:

6 **"§ 20-50.4. Division to refuse to register vehicles on which taxes are delinquent.**

7 Upon receiving the list of motor vehicle owners and motor vehicles sent by county tax
8 collectors pursuant to G.S. 105-330.7, the Division shall refuse to register for the owner
9 named in the list any vehicle identified in the list until either the vehicle owner presents
10 the Division with a paid tax receipt identifying the vehicle for which registration was
11 ~~refused~~ refused or the county certifies to the Division that the tax has been paid. The
12 Division shall not refuse to register a vehicle for a person, not named in the list, to whom
13 the vehicle has been transferred in good faith. Where a motor vehicle owner named in
14 the list has transferred the registration plates from the motor vehicle identified in the list
15 to another motor vehicle pursuant to G.S. 20-64 during the first vehicle's tax year, the
16 Division shall refuse registration of the second vehicle until the vehicle owner presents
17 the Division with a paid tax receipt identifying the vehicle from which the plates were
18 ~~transferred~~ transferred or the county certifies to the Division that the tax has been paid.

1 The certification must be in the form and contain the information required by the
2 Division."

3 Sec. 2. Effective December 1, 1996, G.S. 20-50.4 reads as rewritten:
4 **"§ 20-50.4. (V2) (Effective December 1, 1996) Division to refuse to register vehicles**
5 **on which taxes are delinquent and when there is a failure to meet court-**
6 **ordered child support obligations.**

7 (a) Delinquent Property Taxes. – Upon receiving the list of motor vehicle owners
8 and motor vehicles sent by county tax collectors pursuant to ~~G.S. 105-330.7 or a report~~
9 ~~from a child support enforcement agency that sanctions pursuant to G.S. 110-142.2(a)(3) have~~
10 ~~been imposed, G.S. 105-330.7,~~ the Division shall refuse to register for the owner named in
11 the list any vehicle identified in the list until either the vehicle owner presents the
12 Division with a paid tax receipt identifying the vehicle for which registration was refused
13 or, if the owner was on the report furnished by a child support enforcement agency, the Division
14 shall refuse to register a vehicle for the owner until such time as the Division receives
15 certification pursuant to G.S. 110-142.2. or the county certifies to the Division that the tax
16 has been paid. The

17 ~~The~~ Division shall not refuse to register a vehicle for a person, not named in the list,
18 to whom the vehicle has been transferred in good faith. Where a motor vehicle owner
19 named in the list has transferred the registration plates from the motor vehicle identified
20 in the list to another motor vehicle pursuant to G.S. 20-64 during the first vehicle's tax
21 year, the Division shall refuse registration of the second vehicle until the vehicle owner
22 presents the Division with a paid tax receipt identifying the vehicle from which the plates
23 were ~~transferred.~~ transferred or the county certifies to the Division that the tax has been
24 paid. The certification must be in the form and contain the information required by the
25 Division.

26 (b) Delinquent Child Support Obligations. – Upon receiving a report from a child
27 support enforcement agency that sanctions pursuant to G.S. 110-142.2(a)(3) have been
28 imposed, the Division shall refuse to register a vehicle for the owner named in the report
29 until the Division receives certification pursuant to G.S. 110-142.2 that the payments are
30 no longer considered delinquent."

31 Sec. 3. Section 2 of this act becomes effective December 1, 1996. The
32 remainder of this act is effective upon ratification.