

**NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL NOTE**

**BILL NUMBER:** SB 501 Wilmington Red Light Cameras Wilmington Red Light Cameras

**SHORT TITLE:** Wilmington Red Light Cameras

**SPONSOR(S):** Sen. Jordan

**FISCAL IMPACT**

**Yes ( )      No (X)      No Estimate Available ( )**

**FY 1999-00   FY 2000-01   FY 2001-02   FY 2002-03   FY 2003-04**

**REVENUES**

**EXPENDITURES**

**POSITIONS:**

**PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENT(S) &  
PROGRAM(S) AFFECTED:** Wilmington

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** effective when it becomes law.

**BILL SUMMARY:**

TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF WILMINGTON TO USE PHOTOGRAPHIC IMAGES AS PRIMA FACIE EVIDENCE OF A TRAFFIC VIOLATION. Adds the City of Wilmington to a local act for the City of Charlotte (S.L. 1997-216) to provide authorization as title indicates. Source: Institute of Government, Daily Bulletin, March 25, 1999.

**ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODOLOGY:**

City of Wilmington

Wilmington would be authorized to use the same red light technology as Charlotte to provide prima facie evidence of a traffic violation. The bill does not provide funds or require

anything from the state except approval. Further, bill does not mandate but **authorizes** City of Wilmington to use photographic images, etc., as evidence of a violation.

**TECHNICAL CONSIDERATIONS:** none

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