

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 824

Short Title: Installation of Sewer Cleanout Required.

(Public)

Sponsors: Representative Cox.

Referred to: Public Utilities.

March 27, 2001

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE INSTALLATION OF AN ACCESSIBLE CLEANOUT
3 AT THE JUNCTION OF THE PUBLIC SEWER LINE AND THE HOUSE OR
4 BUILDING SEWER LINE.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 87-10(b1) reads as rewritten:

7 "(b1) Public utilities contractors constructing house and building sewer lines as
8 provided in sub-subdivision a. of subdivision (3) of subsection (b) of this section shall,
9 at the junction of the public sewer line and the house or building sewer line, install as an
10 extension of the public sewer line a cleanout at or near the property line that terminates
11 at or above the finished grade. Public utilities contractors constructing water service
12 lines ~~and house and building sewer lines~~ as provided in sub-subdivision a. of
13 subdivision (3) of subsection (b) of this section shall terminate ~~said the water service~~
14 lines at a valve, box, ~~meter, or manhole or cleanout or meter~~ at which the facilities from
15 the building may be connected. Public utilities contractors constructing fire service
16 mains for connection to fire sprinkler systems shall terminate those lines at a flange,
17 cap, plug, or valve inside the building one foot above the finished floor. All fire service
18 mains shall comply with the NFPA standards for fire service mains as incorporated into
19 and made applicable by Volume V of the North Carolina Building Code."

20 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective October 1, 2001, and applies to the
21 installation or major repair of house and building sewer lines that occur on or after that
22 date.