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Short Title: Crossing Solid Line to Pass Certain Vehicles. (Public)

Sponsors: Representative D. Hall.

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DRIVER OF A VEHICLE TO OVERTAKE AND PASS
3 SLOWER MOVING VEHICLES ON PORTIONS OF THE HIGHWAY WHICH ARE
4 MARKED BY SIGNS, MARKERS, OR MARKINGS PLACED BY THE DEPARTMENT
5 OF TRANSPORTATION STATING OR CLEARLY INDICATING THAT PASSING
6 SHOULD NOT BE ATTEMPTED.
7 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
8 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 20-150(e) reads as rewritten:
9 "(e) The driver of a vehicle shall not overtake and pass another on any portion of the
10 highway which is marked by signs, ~~markers~~ ~~markers~~, or markings placed by the Department of
11 Transportation stating or clearly indicating that passing should not be ~~attempted~~ ~~attempted~~,
12 except that the driver of a vehicle may, subject to the requirements of subsections (a) through
13 (d) of this section, overtake and pass a stopped vehicle or a slower moving vehicle. For
14 purposes of this subsection, the term "slower moving vehicle" includes tractors and other farm
15 vehicles, trash collection vehicles, mail delivery vehicles, mopeds, bicycles, and other vehicles
16 operating at speeds that are at least 10 miles per hour below the posted speed limit due to the
17 type and nature of such vehicles."
18 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective December 1, 2013. Prosecutions for
19 offenses committed before the effective date of this act are not abated or affected by this act,
20 and the statutes that would be applicable but for this act remain applicable to those
21 prosecutions.



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