

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA**

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**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 112**

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Sponsors: Senators Speed; Barker, Block, Carpenter, Cobb, Daniel, Guy, Hardin, Hunt of Moore, Martin of Guilford, Odom, Smith, Swain, Taft, Tally, and Ward.

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Referred to: Rules.

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February 6, 1989

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION TO CONTINUE THE WORK OF THE LEGISLATIVE  
2 RESEARCH COMMISSION'S COMMITTEE ON SOLID WASTE  
3 MANAGEMENT.

4       Whereas, the 1987 Session of the General Assembly authorized the  
5 Legislative Research Commission Section 2.1(37) of Chapter 873 of the 1987 Session  
6 Laws, to study the management of solid waste in North Carolina; and

7       Whereas, the Solid Waste Management Study Committee has determined that  
8 North Carolina faces a crisis in solid waste management in the immediate future; and

9       Whereas, much remains to be done to plan, develop, and implement a  
10 comprehensive solid waste management program in North Carolina; and

11       Whereas, the Legislative Research Commission's Committee on Solid Waste  
12 Management as begun under Section 2.1(37) of Chapter 873 of the 1987 Session Laws  
13 should be an ongoing study and should continue to examine the entire range of solid  
14 waste management issues;

15 Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring:

16       Section 1. The Legislative Research Commission, as structured by Article 6B  
17 of Chapter 120 of the General Statutes, may continue the study of solid waste  
18 management issues in North Carolina and the means to finance and implement a  
19 comprehensive solid waste management program in North Carolina that will address the  
20 need to wisely manage solid waste so as not to jeopardize the quality of North  
21 Carolina's air and water or the health of its citizens. This Committee shall ascertain  
22 whether the State is meeting its solid waste management goals, receive reports from

1 counties, and determine whether the counties are achieving any solid waste management  
2 goals set for them by the General Assembly.

3           Sec. 2. The Commission shall report its findings and recommendations,  
4 including recommendations for needed legislation, to the 1991 General Assembly and  
5 may submit an interim report to the 1989 General Assembly (1990 Regular Session).

6           Sec. 3. This resolution is effective upon ratification.