

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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**HOUSE RESOLUTION 1815**

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Sponsors: Representative Ellis.

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Referred to: Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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October 3, 2002

1 A HOUSE RESOLUTION CALLING ON THE SPEAKER TO ALLOW FLOOR  
2 DEBATE AND ACTION ON SENATE BILL 1008, BAN VIDEO POKER.

3       Whereas, the Senate has passed Senate Bill 1008, AN ACT TO PROHIBIT  
4 THE POSSESSION OR OPERATION OF VIDEO GAMING MACHINES EXCEPT  
5 BY A FEDERALLY RECOGNIZED INDIAN TRIBE AS AUTHORIZED BY THE  
6 INDIAN GAMING REGULATORY ACT AND A VALID TRIBAL-STATE  
7 COMPACT; and

8       Whereas, the bill has been endorsed by all 100 Sheriffs; and

9       Whereas, the bill passed the Senate by an overwhelming margin after several  
10 years of study; and

11       Whereas, the bill currently resides in the House Rules Committee; and

12       Whereas, time is available to debate this issue of high public importance;

13 Now, therefore,

14 Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

15       **SECTION 1.** The Speaker is requested to allow floor debate and action on  
16 Senate Bill 1008.

17       **SECTION 2.** This resolution is effective upon adoption.