

- 1 definition shall not limit assimilation of North Carolina
2 law when applicable under the provisions of Title 18,
3 United States Code, section 13).
- 4 b. The area is a beach area used by the public for vehicular traffic.
 - 5 c. The area is a road used by vehicular traffic within or leading to
6 a subdivision, whether or not the subdivision roads have been
7 offered for dedication to the public.
 - 8 d. The area is a portion of private property used by vehicular
9 traffic and designated by the private property owner as a public
10 vehicular area in accordance with G.S. 20-219.4.
 - 11 e. The area is a road used by vehicular traffic within or leading to
12 a gated subdivision, whether or not the subdivision roads have
13 been offered for dedication to the public."

14 **SECTION 2.** Part 10 of Article 3 of Chapter 20 of the General Statutes is
15 amended by adding a new section to read:

16 "**§ 20-158.3. Emergency entry to controlled access roads.**

17 Any person, association, or other legal entity having responsibility for a controlled
18 access system on a road that is a public vehicular area shall provide a means of
19 immediate access to all emergency service vehicles, which shall include law
20 enforcement, fire, rescue, ambulance, and first responder vehicles."

21 **SECTION 3.** This act becomes effective December 1, 2007.