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SENATE BILL 617

Short Title: ATV Safety Course Warning Label Exception. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Jarvis and Johnson (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to: Rules and Operations of the Senate

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO AMEND THE MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS OF THE STATE TO AUTHORIZE
AN EXCEPTION TO THE AGE RESTRICTION WARNING LABEL FOR
ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE SAFETY COURSE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 20-171.15(c) reads as rewritten:

"(c) It is unlawful for any parent or legal guardian of a person less than 16 years of age to knowingly permit that person to operate an all-terrain vehicle in violation of the Age Restriction Warning Label affixed by the manufacturer as required by the applicable American National Standards Institute/Specialty Vehicle Institute of America (ANSI/SVIA) design standard. This subsection shall not apply to a safety training course under G.S. 20-171.20 if the instructor determines the weight or height of the person under the age of 16 requires the use of an all-terrain vehicle that does not comply with the Age Restriction Warning."

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.

