#### GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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#### **HOUSE BILL 1054**

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AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT REFUSAL TO DELIVER PROPERTY TO A PERSON HOLDING A LIEN OR SECURITY INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY OR TO A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER PURSUANT TO A JUDICIAL ORDER IS A CRIMINAL OFFENSE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

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Section 1. G.S. 14-115 reads as rewritten:

## "§ 14-115. Secreting property to hinder enforcement of lien or security interest.

Any person removing, exchanging or secreting exchanging, secreting, or refusing to deliver to the holder of the lien or security interest or to a law enforcement officer any personal property on which a lien or security interest exists, after a judgment or order for possession for that property has been issued, with intent to prevent or hinder the enforcement of the lien or security interest, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed five hundred dollars (\$500.00), imprisonment for not more than six months, or both."

Sec. 2. This act shall become effective October 1, 1989, and shall apply to offenses occurring on or after that date.