

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 823

Short Title: Wake Gun Safety.

(Local)

Sponsors: Representative Hensley (by request).

Referred to: Judiciary III.

April 8, 1993

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT REGULATING THE POSSESSION OF FIREARMS IN WAKE COUNTY
WHILE UNDER THE INFLUENCE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful to have in one's possession or immediately accessible to one's person a loaded firearm when such person is under the influence of an impairing substance as defined by G.S. 20-4.01(14a).

Sec. 2. The fact that a person charged with violating this section is or has been legally entitled to use alcohol or a drug is not a defense to a charge under this act.

Sec. 3. Violation of this act is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or imprisonment not more than 60 days or both.

Sec. 4. This act shall apply to Wake County only.

Sec. 5. This act shall become effective October 1, 1993.