

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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SENATE BILL 23*

Short Title: Monroe Reward.

(Local)

Sponsors: Senators Plyler and Conder.

Referred to: Rules Suspended; Passed 2nd and 3rd; Sent to House.

January 28, 1993

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF MONROE TO PAY A REWARD.

Whereas, the buildings on an entire block on Main Street in Monroe were either severely damaged or completely destroyed and one life was lost as the result of an explosion and ensuing fire on July 28, 1990; and

Whereas, an investigation into the cause of said explosion was conducted by the Monroe Public Safety Department, the SBI, and the Federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms; and

Whereas, Audrey Morgan came forward with information as to the persons responsible for said explosion and further cooperated with the law enforcement agencies by obtaining tape recordings of conversations with one of the suspects at some risk to her personal safety; and

Whereas, these taped conversations were critical to the investigation and directly led to indictments and guilty pleas in the matter; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the said Audrey Morgan be rewarded for her outstanding contribution as above set out; Now, therefore,
The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. The city of Monroe may appropriate and pay to Audrey Morgan from its general fund a cash reward in the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).

Sec. 2. This act is effective upon ratification.