

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
SESSION 2007**

**SESSION LAW 2007-83
SENATE BILL 777**

**AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PUNISHMENT FOR VIOLATING CERTAIN LAWS
REGULATING CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS.**

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 93-13 reads as rewritten:

"§ 93-13. Violation of Chapter; penalty.

~~Any violation of the provisions of this Chapter shall be deemed a Class 3 misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof the guilty party shall only be fined not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) and not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for each offense.~~ A violation of G.S. 93-3, 93-4, 93-5, 93-6, or 93-8 shall be a Class 1 misdemeanor."

SECTION 2. This act becomes effective December 1, 2007, and applies to violations occurring on or after that date.

In the General Assembly read three times and ratified this the 11th day of June, 2007.

s/ Beverly E. Perdue
President of the Senate

s/ Joe Hackney
Speaker of the House of Representatives

s/ Michael F. Easley
Governor

Approved 5:01 p.m. this 14th day of June, 2007