

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE DRH11046-MA-141A* (02/16)

Short Title: State Shrimp Festival-Sneads Ferry. (Public)

Sponsors: Representative Shepard.

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO MAKE THE SNEADS FERRY SHRIMP FESTIVAL THE OFFICIAL STATE
3 SHRIMP FESTIVAL.
4 Whereas, since 1970, the Town of Sneads Ferry has held an annual shrimp festival
5 to bring the community and surrounding areas together in celebration of the Town's coastal and
6 aquacultural heritage; and
7 Whereas, the Sneads Ferry Shrimp Festival has grown into a great marketing and
8 promotional tool for the Sneads Ferry community, Onslow County, and eastern North Carolina;
9 and
10 Whereas, the Sneads Ferry Shrimp Festival should be adopted as the official shrimp
11 festival of the State of North Carolina; Now, therefore,
12 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
13 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 145 of the General Statutes is amended by adding a new
14 section to read:
15 "**§ 145-33. State Shrimp Festival.**
16 The Sneads Ferry Shrimp Festival is adopted as the official shrimp festival of the State of
17 North Carolina."
18 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.



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