GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2011

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HOUSE BILL 629 Committee Substitute Favorable 4/27/11

Short Title: Substance Abuse Treatment.	(Public)
Sponsors:	
Referred to:	
April 6, 2011	
A BILL TO BE ENTITLED	
AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE SCREENING AND ASSESSI	
DEPENDENCY FOR DEFENDANTS ORDERED TO SUBI	
TREATMENT AT THE BLACK MOUNTAIN SUBSTANCE	
CENTER FOR WOMEN AND TO PROVIDE THAT A I	
REQUIRED TO PARTICIPATE IN TREATMENT ORDEREI	
ITS DURATION REGARDLESS OF THE LENGTH OF THE S	SUSPENDED SENTENCE
IMPOSED.	
The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:	
SECTION 1. G.S. 15A-1343(b3) reads as rewritten:	A defendant andered to
"(b3) Screening and Assessing for Chemical Dependency. – submit to a period of residential treatment in the Drug Alcohol Rec	
(DART) or the Black Mountain Substance Abuse Treatment Center f	
Department of Correction must undergo a screening to determine ch	
screening indicates the defendant is chemically dependent, the court	¥ ,
to determine the appropriate level of treatment. The assessment may	
or after the court imposes the condition, but participation in the program	
results of the assessment."	3
SECTION 2. G.S. 15A-1343(b1) reads as rewritten:	
"(b1) Special Conditions. – In addition to the regular condition	s of probation specified in
subsection (b), the court may, as a condition of probation, require that	at during the probation the
defendant comply with one or more of the following special condition	ns:

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SECTION 3. Section 2 of this act becomes effective December 1, 2011, and applies to persons sentenced on or after that date. The remainder of this act is effective when it becomes law.

length of the suspended sentence imposed.

Undergo available medical or psychiatric treatment and remain in a specified

institution if required for that purpose. Notwithstanding the provisions of

G.S. 15A-1344(e) or any other provision of law, the defendant may be

required to participate in such treatment for its duration regardless of the

