

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

SESSION 1997

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HOUSE BILL 845

Short Title: Gaston Road Hunting.

(Local)

Sponsors: Representatives Rayfield; Berry, Black, Bonner, Brown, Buchanan, Clary, Dickson, Gamble, Gulley, Kiser, McMahan, Oldham, Sexton, Sherrill, Weatherly, and G. Wilson.

Referred to: Local and Regional Government II.

April 7, 1997

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO PROHIBIT HUNTING FROM THE RIGHT-OF-WAY OF PUBLIC
2 ROADS IN GASTON COUNTY.

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4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 Section 1. It is unlawful to hunt, take, or kill with a firearm or other deadly
6 weapon, or to attempt to hunt, take, or kill with a firearm or other deadly weapon, any
7 wild animal or wild bird from, onto, or across the right-of-way of any public road, street,
8 or highway.

9 Section 2. It is unlawful to discharge a firearm from, onto, or across the right-
10 of-way of any public road, street, or highway.

11 Section 3. Violation of Section 1 or 2 of this act is a Class 3 misdemeanor.

12 Section 4. This act is enforceable by law enforcement officers of the Wildlife
13 Resources Commission, by sheriffs and deputy sheriffs, and by other peace officers with
14 general subject matter jurisdiction.

15 Section 5. This act applies only to Gaston County.

16 Section 6. This act becomes effective October 1, 1997.