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SENATE BILL 561
House Committee Substitute Favorable 6/4/97

Short Title: Company Police/Concealed Handguns.

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Sponsors:

Referred to:

April 1, 1997

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO REMEDY THE INADVERTENT EXCLUSION OF DULY SWORN AND
3 COMMISSIONED COMPANY POLICE OFFICERS FROM THE CONCEALED
4 HANDGUN STATUTES.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 Section 1. G.S. 74E-6(c) reads as rewritten:

7 "(c) All Company Police. – Company police officers, while in the performance of
8 their duties of employment, have the same powers as municipal and county police
9 officers to make arrests for both felonies and misdemeanors and to charge for infractions
10 on any of the following:

- 11 (1) Real property owned by or in the possession and control of their
12 employer.
- 13 (2) Real property owned by or in the possession and control of a person
14 who has contracted with the employer to provide on-site company
15 police security personnel services for the property.
- 16 (3) Any other real property while in continuous and immediate pursuit of a
17 person for an offense committed upon property described in
18 subdivisions (1) or (2) of this subsection.

1 Company police officers shall have, if duly authorized by the superior officer in charge,
2 the authority to carry concealed weapons pursuant to and in conformity with G.S. 14-
3 269(b)(5)."

4 Section 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.