



CHAPTER 14
ARTICLE 22 - DAMAGES AND OTHER OFFENSES TO LAND AND FIXTURES

N.C.G.S. § 14-157.

Felling trees on telephone and electric-power wires.

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If any person shall negligently and carelessly cut or fell any tree, or any limb or branch therefrom, in such a manner as to cause the same to fall upon and across any telephone, electric light or electric-power-transmission wire, from which any injury to such wire shall be occasioned, he shall be guilty of a Class 3 misdemeanor, and shall also be liable to penalty of fifty dollars (\$50.00) for each and every offense.

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03	1907	c. 827, s. 2	AMENDED	
04	C.S.	s. 4329	RECODIFIED	
05	1969	c. 1224, s. 9	AMENDED	
06	1993	c. 539, s. 95	AMENDED	

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