



CHAPTER 14
ARTICLE 5A - ENDANGERING EXECUTIVE, LEGISLATIVE, COURT, AND LOCAL ELECTED OFFICERS

N.C.G.S. § 14-16.10.

Definitions.

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The following definitions apply in this Article:

Court officer. - Magistrate, clerk of superior court, acting clerk, assistant or deputy clerk, judge, or justice of the General Court of Justice; district attorney, assistant district attorney, or any other attorney designated by the district attorney to act for the State or on behalf of the district attorney; public defender or assistant defender; court reporter; juvenile court counselor as defined in G.S. 7B-1501(18a); any attorney or other individual employed by, contracted by, or acting on behalf of a county department of social services, as defined in G.S. 108A-24; any attorney or other individual appointed pursuant to G.S. 7B-601 or G.S. 7B-1108 or employed by the Guardian ad Litem Services Division of the Administrative Office of the Courts.

Executive officer. - A person named in G.S. 147-3(c).

Legislative officer. - A person named in G.S. 147-2(1), (2), or (3).

Local elected officer. - An elected officer of a political subdivision of this State. (1999-398, s. 1; 2001-490, s. 2.35; 2003-140, s. 10; 2023-129, s. 8.2(c); 2025-81, s. 4.)

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6 AUTHORITIES

Authorities referenced

Every G.S. cross-reference appearing in the text of this section, in order of first appearance. Nothing is characterized; the operative language is quoted from the section itself.

REFERENCE	APPEARS IN	OPERATIVE LANGUAGE IN THIS SECTION
G.S. 7B-1501(18a)	(null)(1)	"juvenile court counselor as defined in"

G.S. 108A-24	(null)(1)	"of social services, as defined in"
G.S. 7B-601	(null)(1)	"or other individual appointed pursuant to"
G.S. 7B-1108	(null)(1)	"appointed pursuant to G.S. 7B-601 or"
G.S. 147-3(c)	(null)(2)	"officer. - A person named in"
G.S. 147-2(1), (2), or (3)	(null)(3)	"officer. - A person named in"

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

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