



CHAPTER 14

ARTICLE 28 - PERJURY

N.C.G.S. § 14-209.

Punishment for perjury.

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If any person knowingly and intentionally makes a false statement under oath or affirmation in any suit, controversy, matter or cause, or in any unsworn declaration deemed sufficient pursuant to G.S. 7A-98 depending in any of the courts of the State; in any deposition or affidavit taken pursuant to law; in any oath or affirmation duly administered of or concerning any matter or thing where such person is lawfully required to be sworn or affirmed, that person is guilty of perjury, and punished as a Class F felon.

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APPARATUS I
13 ACTS

Amendment lineage

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Nº	YEAR	ACT	CHARACTER
01	1791	c. 338, s. 1, P.R.	ENACTED
02	1791	R.C., c. 34, s. 49	AMENDED
03	1791	Code, s. 1092	AMENDED
04	Rev.	s. 3615	RECODIFIED
05	C.S.	s. 4364	RECODIFIED
06	1979	c. 760, s. 5	AMENDED
07	1979	2nd Sess., c. 1316, s. 47	AMENDED

08	1981	c. 63, s. 1	AMENDED
09	1981	c. 179, s. 14	AMENDED
10	1993	c. 539, s. 1202	AMENDED
11	1994	Ex. Sess., c. 24, s. 14(c)	AMENDED
12	2019	S.L. 2019-243, s. 3(c)	AMENDED
13	2021	S.L. 2021-47, s. 17(b)	AMENDED

APPARATUS II
1 AUTHORITY

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. 7A-98		<i>"unsworn declaration deemed sufficient pursuant to"</i>

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-209 (2021).

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