



CHAPTER 14
ARTICLE 37 - LOTTERIES, GAMING, BINGO AND RAFFLES

N.C.G.S. § 14-289.

Advertising lotteries.

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Except as provided in Chapter 18C of the General Statutes or in connection with a lawful raffle as provided in Part 2 of this Article, if anyone by writing or printing or by circular or letter or in any other way, advertises or publishes an account of a lottery, whether within or without this State, stating how, when or where the same is to be or has been drawn, or what are the prizes therein or any of them, or the price of a ticket or any share or interest therein, or where or how it may be obtained, he shall be guilty of a Class 2 misdemeanor. News medium as defined in G.S. 8-53.11 shall be exempt from this section provided the publishing is in connection with a lawful activity of the news medium.

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APPARATUS I
9 ACTS

Amendment lineage

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01	1887	c. 211	ENACTED				
02	Rev.	s. 3725	RECODIFIED				
03	C.S.	s. 4427	RECODIFIED				
04	1979	c. 893, s. 3	AMENDED				
05	1983	c. 896, s. 1	AMENDED				

06	1993	c. 539, s. 199	AMENDED
07	1994	Ex. Sess., c. 24, s. 14(c)	AMENDED
08	2005	S.L. 2005-276, s. 31.1(v2)	AMENDED
09	2005	S.L. 2005-344, s. 3(a)	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. 8-53.11		"misdemeanor. News medium as defined in"

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-289 (2005).

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