



ARTICLE 47 - CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

Instigating or promoting cruelty to animals.

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If any person shall willfully set on foot, or instigate, or move to, carry on, or promote, or engage in, or do any act towards the furtherance of any act of cruelty to any animal, he shall be guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor.

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Amendment lineage

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Nº	YEAR	ACT	CHARACTER
01	1881	c. 368, s. 6	ENACTED
02	1881	Code, s. 2487	AMENDED
03	1891	c. 65	AMENDED
04	Rev.	s. 3300	RECODIFIED
05	C.S.	s. 4484	RECODIFIED
06	1953	c. 857, s. 1	AMENDED
07	1969	c. 1224, s. 3	AMENDED
08	1969	1985 (Reg. Sess., 1986), c. 967, s. 1	AMENDED

09	1989	c. 670, s. 2	AMENDED
10	1993	c. 539, s. 240	AMENDED
11	1994	Ex. Sess., c. 24, s. 14(c)	AMENDED

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Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-361 (1994).

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(1881, c. 368, s. 6; Code, s. 2487; 1891, c. 65; Rev., s. 3300; C.S., s. 4484; 1953, c. 857, s. 1; 1969, c. 1224, s. 3; 1985 (Reg. Sess., 1986), c. 967, s. 1; 1989, c. 670, s. 2; 1993, c. 539, s. 240; 1994, Ex. Sess., c. 24, s. 14(c).)

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