



CHAPTER 14
ARTICLE 52 - MISCELLANEOUS POLICE REGULATIONS

N.C.G.S. § 14-401.21.

Practicing "rebirthing technique"; penalty.

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§ 14-401.21(a) It is unlawful for a person to practice a technique, whether known as a "rebirthing technique" or referred to by any other name, to reenact the birthing process in a manner that includes restraint and creates a situation in which a patient may suffer physical injury or death.

§ 14-401.21(b) A violation of this section is punishable as follows:

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- (1) For a first offense under this section, the person is guilty of a Class A1 misdemeanor.
- (2) For a second or subsequent offense under this section, the person is guilty of a Class I felony.

§ 14-401.21(c) No State funds shall be used to pay for the rebirthing technique made unlawful by this section and performed in another state notwithstanding that the technique, whether known as a rebirthing technique or referred to by any other name, is lawful in that other state. (2003-205, s. 1; 2004-124, s. 10.2F.)

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