



CHAPTER 143
ARTICLE 21 - WATER AND AIR RESOURCES

N.C.G.S. § 143-215.6C.

Enforcement procedures; injunctive relief.

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Whenever the Department has reasonable cause to believe that any person has violated or is threatening to violate any of the provisions of this Part, any of the terms of any permit issued pursuant to this Part, or a rule implementing this Part, the Department may, either before or after the institution of any other action or proceeding authorized by this Part, request the Attorney General to institute a civil action in the name of the State upon the relation of the Department for injunctive relief to restrain the violation or threatened violation and for such other and further relief in the premises as the court shall deem proper. The Attorney General may institute such action in the superior court of the county in which the violation occurred or may occur or, in his discretion, in the superior court of the county in which the person responsible for the violation or threatened violation resides or has his or its principal place of business. Upon a determination by the court that the alleged violation of the provisions of this Part or the regulations of the Commission has occurred or is threatened, the court shall grant the relief necessary to prevent or abate the violation or threatened violation. Neither the institution of the action nor any of the proceedings thereon shall relieve any party to such proceedings from any penalty prescribed for violation of this Part. For purposes of this section references to "this Part" include Part 1A of this Article and G.S. 143-355(k) relating to water use information.

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APPARATUS I
17 ACTS

Amendment lineage

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Nº	YEAR	ACT	CHARACTER
01	1951	c. 606	ENACTED
02	1967	c. 892, s. 1	AMENDED
03	1973	c. 698, s. 12	AMENDED
04	1973	c. 712, s. 2	AMENDED
05	1973	c. 1262, s. 23	AMENDED
06	1973	c. 1331, s. 3	AMENDED
07	1975	c. 583, s. 7	AMENDED
08	1975	c. 842, ss. 6, 7	AMENDED
09	1977	c. 771, s. 4	AMENDED
10	1979	c. 633, ss. 9-11	AMENDED
11	1981	c. 514, s. 1	AMENDED
12	1981	c. 585, s. 13	AMENDED
13	1987	c. 217	AMENDED
14	1987	c. 827, ss. 154, 164	AMENDED
15	1989	c. 426, s. 4	AMENDED
16	1989	1989 (Reg. Sess., 1990), c. 1045, s. 3	AMENDED
17	2007	S.L. 2007-536, s. 5	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. 143-355(k)		"Part 1A of this Article and"

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 143-215.6C (2007).

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