



CHAPTER 143B
ARTICLE 7 - DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

N.C.G.S. § 143B-279.1.

Department of Environmental Quality – creation.

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§ 143B-279.1(a) There is hereby created and constituted a department to be known as the Department of Environmental Quality, with the organization, powers, and duties defined in this Article and other applicable provisions of law.

§ 143B-279.1(b) The provisions of Article 1 of this Chapter not inconsistent with this Article shall apply to the Department of Environmental Quality.

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3 ACTS

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01	1989	c. 727, s. 3	ENACTED	
02	1997	S.L. 1997-443, s. 11A.119(a)	AMENDED	
03	2015	S.L. 2015-241, s. 14.30(u)	AMENDED	

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

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