



CHAPTER 153A
ARTICLE 10 - LAW ENFORCEMENT AND CONFINEMENT FACILITIES

N.C.G.S. § 153A-219.

District confinement facilities.

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- § 153A-219(a)

Two or more units of local government may enter into and carry out an agreement to establish, finance, and operate a district confinement facility. The units may construct such a facility or may designate an existing facility as a district confinement facility. In addition, two or more units of local government may enter into and carry out agreements under which one unit may use the local confinement facility owned and operated by another. In exercising the powers granted by this section, the units shall proceed according to the procedures and provisions of Chapter 160A, Article 20, Part 1.
- § 153A-219(b)

If a district confinement facility is established, the units involved shall provide for a jail administrator for the facility. The administrator need not be the sheriff or any other official of a participating unit. The administrator and the other custodial personnel of a district confinement facility have the authority of law-enforcement officers for the purposes of receiving, maintaining custody of, and transporting prisoners.
- § 153A-219(c)

If a district confinement facility is established, or if one unit contracts to use the local confinement facility of another, the law-enforcement officers of the contracting units and the custodial personnel of the facility may transport prisoners to and from the facility.
- § 153A-219(d)

The Department shall provide technical and other assistance to units wishing to exercise any of the powers granted by this section.

APPARATUS I
5 ACTS

Amendment lineage

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Nº	YEAR	ACT	CHARACTER
01	1933	c. 201	ENACTED
02	1967	c. 581, s. 2	AMENDED
03	1969	c. 743	AMENDED
04	1971	c. 341, s. 1	AMENDED
05	1973	c. 822, s. 1	AMENDED

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

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