



CHAPTER 153A
ARTICLE 10 - LAW ENFORCEMENT AND CONFINEMENT FACILITIES

N.C.G.S. § 153A-226.

Sanitation and food.

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§ 153A-226(a) The Commission for Public Health shall adopt rules governing the sanitation of local confinement facilities, including the kitchens and other places where food is prepared for prisoners. The rules shall address, but not be limited to, the cleanliness of floors, walls, ceilings, storage spaces, utensils, ventilation equipment, and other facilities; adequacy of lighting, water, lavatory facilities, bedding, food protection facilities, treatment of eating and drinking utensils, and waste disposal; methods of food preparation, handling, storage, and serving; and any other item necessary to the health of the prisoners or the public.

§ 153A-226(b) The Commission for Public Health shall prepare a score sheet to be used by local health departments in inspecting local confinement facilities. The local health departments shall inspect local confinement facilities as often as may be required by the Commission for Public Health. If an inspector of the Department finds conditions that reflect hazards or deficiencies in the sanitation or food service of a local confinement facility, he shall immediately notify the local health department. The health department shall promptly inspect the facility. After making its inspection, the local health department shall forward a copy of its report to the Department of Health and Human Services and to the unit operating the facility, on forms prepared by the Department of Environmental Quality. The report shall indicate whether the facility and its kitchen or other place for preparing food is approved or disapproved for public health purposes. If the facility is disapproved, the situation shall be rectified according to the procedures of G.S. 153A-223.

APPARATUS I
8 ACTS

Amendment lineage

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Nº	YEAR	ACT	CHARACTER	
01	1967	c. 581, s. 2	ENACTED	
02	1973	c. 476, s. 128	AMENDED	
03	1973	c. 822, s. 1	AMENDED	
04	1989	c. 727, s. 205	AMENDED	
05	1993	c. 262, s. 5	AMENDED	
06	1997	S.L. 1997-443, ss. 11A.113, 11A.118(a)	AMENDED	
07	2007	S.L. 2007-182, s. 2	AMENDED	
08	2015	S.L. 2015-241, s. 14.30(u)	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. 153A-223	(b)	"rectified according to the procedures of"

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 153A-226 (2015).

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