



CHAPTER 15A
ARTICLE 5 - EXPUNCTION OF RECORDS

N.C.G.S. § 15A-160.

Reporting requirement.

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The number and types of expunctions granted during the fiscal year in which the report is made.

The number and type of expunctions granted each fiscal year for the five fiscal years preceding the date of the report.

A full accounting of how the agencies have spent the receipts generated by the expunction fees received during the fiscal year in which the report is made and for the five preceding fiscal years. (2013-360, s. 18B.16(h); 2015-241, s. 16B.5(a); 2023-134, s. 19F.4(oo).)

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