



CHAPTER 20
ARTICLE 17 - MOTOR CARRIER SAFETY REGULATION UNIT

N.C.G.S. § 20-390.

Refusal to permit State Highway Patrol to inspect records made misdemeanor.

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Any motor carrier, its officers or agents in charge thereof, that fails or refuses upon the written demand of the State Highway Patrol to permit its authorized representatives or employees to examine and inspect its books, records, accounts and documents, or its plant, property, or facilities, as provided for by law, shall be guilty of a Class 3 misdemeanor. Each day of such failure or refusal shall constitute a separate offense and each such offense shall be punishable only by a fine of not less than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and not more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

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03	1994	Ex. Sess., c. 24, s. 14(c)	AMENDED
04	2002	S.L. 2002-159, s. 31.5(b)	AMENDED

05	2002	S.L. 2002-190, s. 2	AMENDED
06	2011	S.L. 2011-145, s. 19.1(g)	AMENDED
07	2024	S.L. 2024-57, s. 3E.2(u)	AMENDED

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