



CHAPTER 35A
ARTICLE 4 - PURPOSE AND SCOPE; JURISDICTION; VENUE

N.C.G.S. § 35A-1207.

Motions in the cause.

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- § 35A-1207(a)

Any interested person or the clerk, on the clerk's own motion, may file a motion in the cause with the clerk in the county where a guardianship is docketed to request modification of the order appointing a guardian or guardians or consideration of any matter pertaining to the guardianship.
- § 35A-1207(b)

The clerk shall treat all such requests, however labeled, as motions in the cause.
- § 35A-1207(c)

A movant under this section shall obtain from the clerk a time, date, and place for a hearing on the motion, and shall serve the motion and notice of hearing on all other parties and such other persons as the clerk directs as provided by G.S. 1A-1, Rule 5 of the Rules of Civil Procedure, unless the clerk orders otherwise.
- § 35A-1207(d)

If the clerk finds reasonable cause to believe that an emergency exists that threatens the physical well-being of the ward or constitutes a risk of substantial injury to the ward's estate, the clerk may enter an appropriate ex parte order to address the emergency pending disposition of the matter at the hearing.

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APPARATUS I
2 ACTS

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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. 1A-1	(c)	"the clerk directs as provided by"

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 35A-1207 (2023).

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