



CHAPTER 50
ARTICLE 1 - DIVORCE, ALIMONY, AND CHILD SUPPORT, GENERALLY

N.C.G.S. § 50-19.

Maintenance of certain actions as independent actions permissible.

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§ 50-19(a) Notwithstanding the provisions of G.S. 1A-1, Rule 13(a), any action for divorce under the provisions of G.S. 50-5.1 or G.S. 50-6 that is filed as an independent, separate action may be prosecuted during the pendency of an action for:

- (1) Alimony;
- (2) Postseparation support;
- (3) Custody and support of minor children;
- (4) Custody and support of a person incapable of self-support upon reaching majority; or
- (5) Divorce pursuant to G.S. 50-5.1 or G.S. 50-6.

§ 50-19(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of G.S. 1A-1, Rule 13(a), any action described in subdivision (a)(1) through (a)(5) of this section that is filed as an independent, separate action may be prosecuted during the pendency of an action for divorce under G.S. 50-5.1 or G.S. 50-6.

§ 50-19(c) Repealed by Session Laws 1991, c. 569, s. 1.

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APPARATUS I
4 ACTS

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03	1991	c. 569, s. 1	AMENDED	
04	1995	c. 319, s. 10	AMENDED	

APPARATUS II
3 AUTHORITIES

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	(a)	"Notwithstanding the provisions of"
G.S. 50-5.1	(a)	"for divorce under the provisions of"
G.S. 50-6	(a)	"the provisions of G.S. 50-5.1 or"

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 50-19 (1995).

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