



CHAPTER 50

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

N.C.G.S. § 50-22.

Action on behalf of an incompetent.

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A duly appointed agent who has the power to sue and defend civil actions on behalf of an incompetent spouse and who has been appointed pursuant to a durable power of attorney executed in accordance with Chapter 32C of the General Statutes, a guardian appointed in accordance with Chapter 35A of the General Statutes, or a guardian ad litem appointed in accordance with G.S. 1A-1, Rules 17 and 25(b), may commence, defend, maintain, arbitrate, mediate, or settle any action authorized by this Chapter on behalf of an incompetent spouse. However, only a competent spouse may commence an action for absolute divorce.

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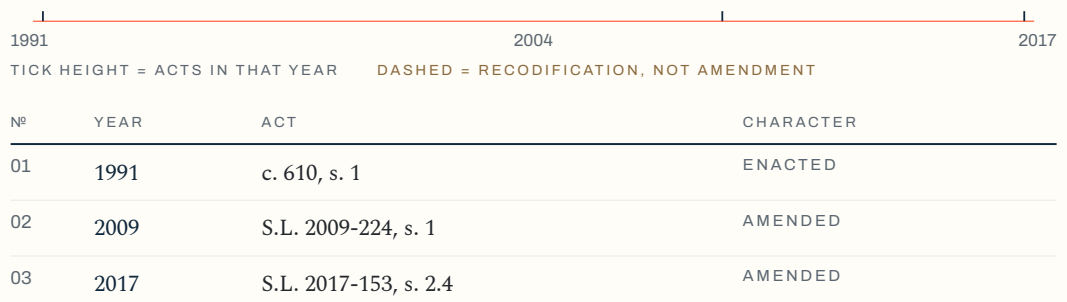
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APPARATUS I

3 ACTS

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1 AUTHORITY

Authorities referenced

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REFERENCE	APPEARS IN	OPERATIVE LANGUAGE IN THIS SECTION
G.S. 1A-1		<i>"ad litem appointed in accordance with"</i>

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FULL SECTION

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