

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 473

Short Title: Modify Low-Speed Vehicle Definition. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Davis, Shepard, Tyson, and B. Jones (Primary Sponsors).
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Referred to: Transportation, if favorable, Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

March 27, 2023

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO MODIFY THE DEFINITION OF LOW-SPEED VEHICLE.
3 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

4 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 20-4.01 reads as rewritten:

5 "**§ 20-4.01. Definitions.**

6 Unless the context requires otherwise, the following definitions apply throughout this
7 Chapter to the defined words and phrases and their cognates:

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9 (27) Passenger Vehicles. –

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11 g. Low-speed vehicle. – A four-wheeled ~~electric vehicle~~ vehicle that is
12 either electrically powered or propelled by a gasoline engine whose
13 top speed is greater than 20 miles per hour but less than 25 miles per
14 hour.

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16 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective October 1, 2023.

