

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 743

Short Title: Remove/Replace Voting Equipment Having Modems. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Edwards, Daniel, and Hise (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to: Rules and Operations of the Senate

January 31, 2022

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE REMOVAL OR REPLACEMENT OF ALL VOTING
EQUIPMENT CONTAINING A MODEM.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. In accordance with G.S. 163-165.7(j) and notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the State Board of Elections shall require that all voting equipment used for elections in this State containing a modem be removed or replaced by September 16, 2022. The State Board of Elections shall submit a report to the Joint Legislative Elections Oversight Committee by November 1, 2022, on the removal or replacement of voting equipment required by this section. The report shall include, at a minimum, each of the following:

- (1) The county in which the voting equipment was removed or replaced.
- (2) The date the equipment was removed or replaced.
- (3) The amount of voting equipment removed or replaced, by county.

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.

