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SENATE BILL 354

Short Title: Revise State Library Commn. Duties.

(Public)

Sponsors: Senators Cochrane, Block, Conder; and Seymour.

Referred to: Travel, Tourism, and Cultural Resources.

March 28, 1991

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO REVISE THE DUTIES OF THE MEMBERS OF THE STATE LIBRARY COMMISSION.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. G.S. 143B-90 reads as rewritten:

"§ 143B-90. State Library Commission – creation, powers and duties.

There is hereby created the State Library Commission of the Department of Cultural Resources. The State Library Commission has the following functions and duties:

- (1) To advise the Secretary of Cultural Resources on matters relating to the operation and services of the State Library;
- ~~(2) To suggest programs to the Secretary to aid in the development of libraries statewide;~~
- (2a) To work for the financial support of statewide and local public library services;
- (3) To advise the Secretary upon any matter the Secretary might refer to it;
- ~~(4) To evaluate and approve the State Plan for Public Library Development;~~
- (4a) To work for the financial support of statewide interlibrary services;
- ~~(5) To evaluate and approve the State Plan for Multitype Library Cooperation;~~
- (5a) To aid and advise the Secretary of Cultural Resources in the development of information services for the promotion of cultural, educational, and economic well-being of the State.
- ~~(6) To evaluate and approve plans for federally funded library programs;~~

- 1 ~~(7) To evaluate and approve State Library policies for the acquisition of~~
2 ~~library materials; and~~
- 3 ~~(8) To serve as a search committee to seek out, interview, and recommend~~
4 ~~to the Secretary one of more experienced and professionally trained~~
5 ~~librarians for the position of Director of the Division of State Library~~
6 ~~when a vacancy occurs, and to assist and cooperate with the Secretary~~
7 ~~in periodic reviews of the performance of the Director and the~~
8 ~~Division.~~
- 9 (8a) To aid and advise the Secretary of Cultural Resources on the
10 recruitment and appointment of the State Librarian."
- 11 Sec. 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 1991.