

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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SENATE BILL 732

Short Title: Conform Pipeline Standards.

(Public)

Sponsors: Senator Seymour.

Referred to: Public Utilities.

April 8, 1993

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO CONFORM STATE GAS PIPELINE PENALTY STANDARDS TO
THE NEWLY ENACTED AMENDMENTS TO THE FEDERAL NATURAL GAS
PIPELINE SAFETY ACT OF 1968.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. G.S. 62-50(d) reads as rewritten:

"(d) Any person who violates any provision of this section, or any regulation of the Utilities Commission issued thereunder, shall be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed ~~ten thousand dollars (\$10,000)~~ twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) for each violation for each day that the violation persists, the maximum civil penalty not to exceed five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) for any continuing violation."

Sec. 2. This act is effective upon ratification.