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HOUSE BILL 635  
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Short Title: Invisible Fence Systems-Signs Required.

(Local)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

March 24, 2003

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE POSTING OF SIGNS WHEN AN INVISIBLE FENCE  
3 PET CONTAINMENT SYSTEM IS INSTALLED ON PROPERTY IN GASTON  
4 COUNTY.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 SECTION 1. Chapter 14 of the General Statutes is amended by adding a  
7 new section to read:

8 "**§ 14-362.4. Invisible fence pet containment system signage required.**

9 (a) A person who owns or rents property and restrains a dog on that property by  
10 means of an invisible fence pet containment system shall post signage visible at the  
11 main entrance to the property of a size that may readily be seen by a person entering the  
12 property indicating that the system has been installed there.

13 (b) Any person who fails to post and maintain the signage required by subsection  
14 (a) of this section shall be responsible for an infraction and shall be subject to a penalty  
15 of not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00)."

16 SECTION 2. This act shall apply only to Gaston County.

17 SECTION 3. This act becomes effective December 1, 2003, and applies to  
18 offenses committed on or after that date.