

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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**SENATE BILL 364
State & Local Government Committee Substitute Adopted 3/28/07**

Short Title: Ashe/Trapping of Foxes.

(Local)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

February 28, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TRAPPING AND SALE OF FOXES IN ASHE
2 COUNTY.
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4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, there is an open
6 season for taking foxes by trapping from November 7 through February 12 of each year.
7 During this season, all leghold traps set on dry land with solid anchor shall have at least
8 three swivels in the trap chain, and no leghold traps larger than size one and one-half
9 may be used.

10 **SECTION 2.** A season bag limit of 10 applies in the aggregate to all foxes
11 taken during the trapping season established in this act.

12 **SECTION 3.** The Wildlife Resources Commission shall provide for the sale
13 of foxes taken lawfully pursuant to this act and pursuant to former G.S. 113-111, as
14 retained to the extent of its application to Ashe County pursuant to G.S. 113-133.1(e).

15 **SECTION 4.** This act applies only to Ashe County.

16 **SECTION 5.** This act becomes effective October 1, 2007, and expires on
17 September 30, 2010.