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H 4. GOOD FAITH EXCEPTION/EXCLUSIONARY RULE. Filed 1/28/09. *TO PROVIDE FOR THE ADOPTION OF THE GOOD FAITH EXCEPTION TO THE EXCLUSIONARY RULE INTO STATE LAW.*

Amends GS 15A-974 by removing the requirement that evidence be suppressed at criminal trial if it is obtained as a result of a substantial violation of the provisions of GS Chapter 15A (Criminal Procedure Act). Requests the North Carolina Supreme Court to reconsider and overrule its holding in *State v. Carter* that the good faith exception to the exclusionary rule, which exists under federal law, does not apply under state law.

Intro. by Stam.

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