

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 392

Short Title: Plumbers Allowed To Install Well Pumps. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Allred, Owens (Primary Sponsors); Blackwood, Brown, Crawford, Faison, Frye, Hughes, Lucas, McGee, Spear, Starnes, and Wray.

Referred to: Environment and Natural Resources, if favorable, Water Resources and Infrastructure.

March 4, 2009

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO PERMIT PLUMBING CONTRACTORS TO ENGAGE IN INSTALLATION OF WELL PUMPS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 87-98.4(b)(4) reads as rewritten:

"(b) Exempt persons and activities. – This Article does not apply to any of the following persons or activities:

...

(4) A person who is licensed as a plumbing contractor under Article 2 of Chapter 87 of the General Statutes, a professional engineer under Chapter 89C of the General Statutes, a geologist under Chapter 89E of the General Statutes, or a soil scientist under Chapter 89F of the General Statutes who uses a hand auger to collect soil or water samples or to measure water levels. This exemption does not include the construction of a monitoring well."

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.

