



**NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
AMENDMENT  
Senate Bill 314**

AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
(to be filled in by  
Principal Clerk)

S314-ASA-36 [v.2]

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Amends Title [YES]  
Fourth Edition

Date \_\_\_\_\_, 2021

Representative \_\_\_\_\_

1 moves to amend the bill on page 1, line 16  
2 by inserting the following at the end of the line before the period:  
3 "AND TO REGULATE THE HOURS OF THE OFFICE OF THE REGISTER OF DEEDS";

4  
5 And on page 10, lines 13-14

6 By inserting the following between those lines:

7 "SECTION 6.5.(a) G.S. 161-8 reads as rewritten:

8 "**§ 161-8. Attendance at office.**

9 ~~The board of county commissioners may fix by order, to be entered on their records, what~~  
10 ~~days of each week, and at what hours of each day, the register of deeds shall attend at his office~~  
11 ~~in person or by deputy, and he shall give his attendance accordingly. The register of deeds shall~~  
12 ~~be present in the office on a full-time schedule. Except for official State holidays, the office of~~  
13 ~~the register of deeds shall be open for business Monday through Friday, at least 40 hours per~~  
14 ~~week. The office shall not close before 5:00 PM and shall accept instruments and documents for~~  
15 ~~filing until that time."~~

16 **SECTION 6.5.(b)** This section becomes effective July 1, 2021."

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_  
Amendment Sponsor

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_  
Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_\_ FAILED \_\_\_\_\_ TABLED \_\_\_\_\_



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