

1991, but has not made one inspection. The bill was requested on behalf of a potential deer farmer in Buncombe County. Upon enactment of this bill, this farmer plans to acquire 20 to 25 red deer for breeding. It will take three to four years before enough deer are available for market. The number of other potential deer farmers in the state is unknown.

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