

- 1 (5) Wire sparklers consisting of wire or stick coated with nonexplosive
2 pyrotechnic mixture that produces a shower of sparks upon ignition. These
3 items must not exceed 100 grams of mixture per item.
- 4 (6) Other sparkling devices which emit showers of sparks and sometimes a
5 whistling or crackling effect when burning, do not detonate or explode, do
6 not spin, are hand-held or ground-based, cannot propel themselves through
7 the air, and contain not more than 75 grams of chemical compound per tube,
8 or not more than a total of 200 grams if multiple tubes are used.
- 9 (7) Class 1.4G pyrotechnics not otherwise included in subdivisions (1) through
10 (6) of this section."

11 **SECTION 2.** G.S. 14-410(b) reads as rewritten:

- 12 "(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of G.S. 14-414, it shall be unlawful for any
13 individual, firm, partnership, or corporation to sell pyrotechnics as defined in G.S. 14-414(2),
14 (3), (4)c., (5), ~~or (6) (6), or (7)~~ to persons under the age of 16."

15 **SECTION 3.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2010.