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HOUSE BILL 821

Short Title: Allow DOT to Use Recycled Asphalt. (Public)

Sponsors: Representative Holloway (Primary Sponsor).
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Referred to: Transportation.

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1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO USE RECYCLED
3 ASPHALT FOR HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE IF IT MEETS
4 THE REQUIRED MINIMUM CONTENT STANDARDS AND THE MATERIAL
5 MEETS THE MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE PROJECT.
6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
7 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 136-28.8(b) reads as rewritten:
8 "(b) The General Assembly declares it to be in the public interest to find alternative ways
9 to use certain recycled materials that currently are part of the solid waste stream and that
10 contribute to problems of declining space in landfills. The Department shall, consistent with
11 economic feasibility and applicable engineering and environmental quality standards, use:
12 (1) Rubber from tires in road pavements, subbase materials, or other appropriate
13 applications.
14 (2) Recycled materials for guard rail posts, right-of-way fence posts, and sign
15 supports.
16 (3) Recycling technology, including, but not limited to, hot in-place recycling,
17 in road and highway maintenance.
18 (4) Recycled asphalt, provided that minimum content standards are met and the
19 material meets minimum specifications for the project."
20 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

