GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2021

H HOUSE BILL 184

Short Title:	Support Private Property Rights.	(Public)
Sponsors:	Representatives Hastings, Saine, Bradford, and Davis (Primary Sponsors).	
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March 2, 2021

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE INCLUSION OF REAL PROPERTY ON A COMPREHENSIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN IS NOT A REQUIRED DISCLOSURE OR A MATERIAL FACT FOR THE PURPOSES OF DISCLOSURE FOR REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. Article 9 of Chapter 39 of the General Statutes is amended by adding a new section to read:

"§ 39-51. Inclusion of real property in a comprehensive transportation plan not a material fact.

- (a) For purposes of this section, the term "financially constrained" is as defined in 23 C.F.R. § 450.104.
- (b) In offering real property for conveyance or lease, the fact that the real property, or any portion thereof, is included in a financially constrained transportation plan shall be deemed material; however, the mere fact that the real property, or any portion thereof, is included in a comprehensive transportation plan that is not financially constrained adopted pursuant to G.S. 136-66.2 or G.S. 136-212, or in accordance with 23 U.S.C. §§ 134 or 135, shall not, standing alone, be deemed material. A party to the conveyance or lease of real property, or an agent of any said party, may not knowingly make a false statement regarding the property's inclusion on any transportation plan."

SECTION 2. G.S. 47E-4 reads as rewritten:

"§ 47E-4. Required disclosures.

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(b3) The inclusion of real property in a comprehensive transportation plan that is not financially constrained adopted pursuant to G.S. 136-66.2 or G.S. 136-212, or in accordance with 23 U.S.C. §§ 134 or 135, shall not be considered a required disclosure as provided in this section, provided, however, that no person subject to this Chapter, or an agent of a person subject to this Chapter, may knowingly make a false statement regarding any such fact. For purposes of this subsection, the term "financially constrained" is as defined in 23 C.F.R. § 450.104.

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SECTION 3. This act becomes effective October 1, 2021, and applies to claims for relief filed on or after that date.

