

Resolution 2013-14. On Firearms on North Carolina College Campuses.

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HB937 and SB190, currently being considered in the North Carolina legislature, contain provisions that would allow private citizens who have concealed carry permits to bring handguns onto any UNC system or NC Community College campus, as well as to other college campuses in North Carolina.

UNC System President Tom Ross has expressed serious concerns about these provisions of the proposed legislation, believing that the increased number of handguns on campus is likely to increase the probability of gun-related incidents on campus.

Therefore, the UNC-Chapel Hill Faculty Executive Committee, acting on behalf of the UNC-Chapel Hill Faculty Council, supports President Ross' statements and expresses its opposition to any proposed legislation that would result in private citizens bringing firearms to college campuses in North Carolina.