

1 19A NCAC 03C .0235 is proposed for reoption without substantive changes as follows:

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3 **19A NCAC 03C .0235 APPLICATION FOR DUPLICATE TITLE**

4 ~~(a)~~ A duplicate certificate of title can be obtained if the original is lost, as provided for in G.S. 20-68.

5 ~~(b)~~ If a title is not received from the Division of Motor Vehicles, a duplicate must be applied for. A lienholder
6 applying for a duplicate title ~~must~~ shall have the owner sign the application.

7 ~~(c)~~ When a title is lost after the release of a lien, then the lienholder's affidavit that the lien has been satisfied ~~must~~
8 shall accompany the owner's application for a ~~duplicate~~ duplicate, or for an electronic lienholder, the lienholder shall
9 request the lien be released electronically. A paper lien release shall not be accepted on an electronic lien.

10 ~~(d)~~ A duplicate certificate of title takes precedence over the original unless a false statement made in the application
11 invalidates the duplicate.

12 ~~(e)~~ If the original title is lost after being endorsed, the purchaser ~~must~~ shall submit notarized affidavits tracing the
13 chain of ownership from the registered owner to the present owner and any lien cancellations involved along with his
14 application for a duplicate. ~~The application is aged 15 days before a title is issued.~~

15 ~~(f)~~ If the original title is lost and the vehicle has been sold or traded, the owner ~~may make application~~ shall apply
16 for a duplicate title and assign to the purchaser on the application. ~~The application~~ Application is aged 15 days.

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18 *History Note: Authority G.S. 20-1; 20-39; 20-68;*

19 *Eff. March 1, 1982.*

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