



# **NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY**

SEC. III—Safety 1.0  
SEC. IV—Safety 1.0

## **FIREARMS ON CAMPUS**

### **ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY**

This policy applies to all employees, students, and visitors.

North Carolina law generally prohibits any person from possessing or carrying, whether openly or concealed, any gun, rifle, pistol or any other firearm, not used solely for instructional or school-sanctioned ceremonial purposes, on any property owned, used or operated by any public educational institution. This weapons ban does not apply to University law enforcement personnel carrying weapons for work-related purposes.

However, N.C.G.S.14-269.2(k) now allows Concealed Handgun Permit (CHP) holders to transport their personal handguns in their locked motor vehicle in a closed compartment/container while on A&T property, as well as allows them to store those handguns in their locked vehicle in a closed compartment/container while parked on A&T property. (The vehicle may only be unlocked to enter or exit the vehicle, and must be immediately locked thereafter.)

However, it still remains a Class I felony if the handgun is removed from the vehicle for any reason by someone not in possession of a CHP.

### **REPEAL OF OTHER POLICIES**

This policy repeals Sec. 6.22, "Weapons," of Chapter VI of the Faculty Handbook.