10A NCAC 14J .0702 is proposed for readoption with substantive changes as follows:

**10A NCAC 14J .0702 MATTRESSES AND BEDDING**

(a) Mattresses, sheets, and blankets that are clean and in good repair are capable of being used for their intended purpose shall be supplied to all inmates except those not who are housed overnight. Clean sheets shall be issued at least once a week. Mattresses shall meet the following requirements:

(b) Mattresses shall:

(1) Mattresses shall comply with Commission for Public Health rules on sanitation, Title 15A Chapter 18B .0201—.0215 and G.S. Chapter 130A 273 which are adopted by reference pursuant to G.S. 150B 14(c), G.S. 106.65.95 through 106.107 and the requirements of 15A NCAC 18A .1517;

(2) Mattresses shall not be less than four inches thick and shall be the same length and width as the jail bunks;

(3) Mattresses shall have ticking that is durable and water repellent.

History Note: Authority G.S. 153A-221;
