## GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2007

SENATE DRS75271-LL-67B* (2/9)

Short Title: Divide Prosecutorial District 11.
(Public)
Sponsors: Senator Atwater.
Referred to:

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO DIVIDE PROSECUTORIAL DISTRICT 11 INTO DISTRICTS 11A AND 11B.
The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
SECTION 1. G.S. 7A-60(a1) reads as rewritten:
"(a1) The counties of the State are organized into prosecutorial districts, and each district has the counties and the number of full-time assistant district attorneys set forth in the following table:

## Prosecutorial

District
1

2

3A
3B
4

5
6A
6B

7
8
9

Counties
Camden, Chowan, Currituck, Dare, Gates, Pasquotank,
Perquimans
Beaufort, Hyde, Martin, ..... 7
Tyrrell, Washington
Pitt11
Carteret, Craven, Pamlico ..... 11
Duplin, Jones, Onslow, ..... 16
Sampson
New Hanover, Pender ..... 16
Halifax ..... 5
Bertie, Hertford, ..... 5
Northampton
Edgecombe, Nash, Wilson ..... 18
Greene, Lenoir, Wayne ..... 13
Franklin, Granville, ..... 12

Attorneys




No. of Full-Time
Asst. District


9A
10
11 11A
11B
12
13
14
15A
15B
16A
16B
17A
17B
18
19A
19B
19C
19D
20A

20B
21
22

23

24

25
26
27A
27B

28
29A
29B
30

> Vance, Warren

Person, Caswell5

Wake 38
Harnett, Johmston, Lee $16 \underline{8}$
Johnston
8
Cumberland 21
Bladen, Brunswick, Columbus 12
Durham 15
Alamance 10
Orange, Chatham 9
Scotland, Hoke 6
Robeson 13
Rockingham 6
Stokes, Surry 7
Guilford 30
Cabarrus 8
Montgomery, Randolph 8
Rowan 7
Moore 4
Anson, Richmond, 10
Stanly
Union 8
Forsyth 20
Alexander, Davidson, Davie, 20
Iredell
Alleghany, Ashe, Wilkes, 7
Yadkin
Avery, Madison, Mitchell, 6
Watauga, Yancey
Burke, Caldwell, Catawba 18
Mecklenburg 49
Gaston 14
Cleveland, 10
Lincoln
Buncombe 13
McDowell, Rutherford 6
Henderson, Polk, Transylvania 7
Cherokee, Clay, Graham, 11
Haywood, Jackson, Macon, Swain."
SECTION 2. The district attorney position established for District 11B by Section 1 of this act shall be filled by the district attorney currently serving District 11 who resides in Johnston County. The district attorney position established for District 11A by Section 1 of this act shall be filled by appointment of the Governor for the
remainder of the term expiring January 1, 2009. A district attorney for District 11A shall be elected in the 2008 election for a four-year term commencing January 1, 2009.

SECTION 3. G.S. 7A-69 reads as rewritten:

## "§ 7A-69. Investigatorial assistants.

The district attorney in prosecutorial districts $1,3 \mathrm{~B}, 4,5,7,8,11,11 \mathrm{~A}, 11 \mathrm{~B}, 12,13$, $14,15 \mathrm{~A}, 15 \mathrm{~B}, 16 \mathrm{~A}, 18,19 \mathrm{~B}, 20 \mathrm{~A}, 20 \mathrm{~B}, 21,22,24,25,26,27 \mathrm{~A}, 27 \mathrm{~B}, 28,29 \mathrm{~A}, 29 \mathrm{~B}$, and 30 is entitled to one investigatorial assistant, and the district attorney in prosecutorial district 10 is entitled to two investigatorial assistants, to be appointed by the district attorney and to serve at his pleasure.

It shall be the duty of the investigatorial assistant to investigate cases preparatory to trial and to perform such other Duties as may be assigned by the district attorney. The investigatorial assistant is entitled to reimbursement for his subsistence and travel expenses to the same extent as State employees generally."

SECTION 4. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Judicial Department the sum of four hundred sixty-nine thousand one hundred ninety-nine dollars $(\$ 469,199)$ for the 2007-2008 fiscal year and the sum of five hundred sixty-two thousand five hundred thirteen dollars $(\$ 562,513)$ for the 2008-2009 fiscal year to implement the provisions of this act.

SECTION 5. This act becomes effective October 1, 2007.

