GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2017

HOUSE BILL 995 RATIFIED BILL

AN ACT AMENDING THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM FROM THE DEFINITION OF THIRD-PARTY ADMINISTRATOR.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 58-47-60 reads as rewritten: "§ 58-47-60. Definitions.

As used in this part:

...

....."

- (14) "Third-party administrator" or "TPA" means a person engaged by a board to execute the policies established by the board and to provide day-to-day management of the group. "Third-party administrator" or "TPA" does not mean:
 - a. An employer acting on behalf of its employees or the employees of one or more of its affiliates.affiliates or a municipal employer acting on behalf of the employees of a third-party entity managing a municipal transit system.
 - b. An insurer that is licensed under this Chapter or that is acting as an insurer with respect to a policy lawfully issued and delivered by it and under the laws of a state in which the insurer is licensed to write insurance.
 - c. An agent or broker who is licensed by the Commissioner under Article 33 of this Chapter whose activities are limited exclusively to the sale of insurance.
 - d. An adjuster licensed by the Commissioner under Article 33 of this Chapter whose activities are limited to adjustment of claims.
 - e. An individual who is an officer, a member, or an employee of a board.

SECTION 2. This act applies to the City of Winston-Salem only.

SECTION 3. This act is effective when it becomes law.

In the General Assembly read three times and ratified this the 29th day of June, 2018.

s/ Daniel J. Forest President of the Senate

s/ Tim Moore

Speaker of the House of Representative

