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SUMMARIES OF BILLS FILED

Public Bills

SENATE BILLS

S 788. CONGRESSIONAL FAIR AND LEGAL. Filed 7/25/11. TO REALIGN THE UNITED STATES CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS FOLLOWING THE RETURN OF THE 2010 FEDERAL DECENNIAL CENSUS.

Amends GS 163-201 to divide North Carolina into 13 congressional districts to nominate and elect members of the U.S. House of Representatives in 2012 and every two years thereafter, as follows. District 1 includes the following counties: Bertie, Chowan, Edgecombe, Franklin, Gates, Greene, Halifax, Hertford, Martin, Northampton, Perquimans, Vance, Warren, Washington, and specified parts of Beaufort, Craven, Granville, Jones, Lenoir, Nash, Pasquotank, Pitt, Wayne, and Wilson. District 2 includes the following counties: Harnett, Johnston, Lee, and specified parts of Chatham, Moore, Nash, Sampson, and Wake. District 3 includes the following counties: Camden, Carteret, Currituck, Dare, Hyde, Onslow, Pamlico, Tyrell, and specified parts of Beaufort, Craven, Duplin, Jones, Lenoir, Pasquotank, Pitt, Wayne, and Wilson. District 4 includes the following counties: Durham, Orange, and specified parts of Chatham and Wake. District 5 includes the following counties: Alexander, Alleghany, Ashe, Avery, Caldwell, Davie, Mitchell, Surry, Watauga, Wilkes, Yadkin, and specified parts of Forsyth and Stokes. District 6 includes the following counties: Alamance, Randolph, and specified parts of Davidson, Guilford, Rockingham, Rowan, and Stokes. District 7 includes the following counties: Bladen, Brunswick, Columbus, New Hanover, Pender, Robeson, Scotland, and specified parts of Cumberland, Duplin, and Sampson. District 8 includes the following counties: Anson, Hoke, Montgomery, Richmond, Stanly, and specified parts of

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Cabarrus, Cumberland, and Moore. District 9 includes Union County, and specified parts of Gaston and Mecklenburg. District 10 includes the following counties: Burke, Catawba, Cleveland, Iredell, Lincoln, and specified parts of Gaston and Rutherford. District 11 includes the following counties: Buncombe, Cherokee, Clay, Graham, Haywood, Henderson, Jackson, Macon, Madison, McDowell, Polk, Swain, Transylvania, Yancey, and specified parts of Rutherford. District 12 includes specified parts of the following counties: Cabarrus, Davidson, Forsyth, Mecklenburg, and Rowan. District 13 includes the following counties: Caswell, Person, and specified parts of Granville, Guilford, Rockingham, and Wake. Applies to elections held on or after January 1, 2012.

A map of the congressional districts proposed in Senate Bill 788 is posted on the General Assembly's website here.

Intro. by Stein.

GS 163

Elections Law; General Assembly

S 789. POSSIBLE SENATE DISTRICTS. Filed 7/25/11. TO REALIGN THE NORTH CAROLINA SENATORIAL DISTRICTS FOLLOWING THE RETURN OF THE 2010 FEDERAL DECENNIAL CENSUS.

Amends GS 120-1 to establish boundaries for 50 single-member senatorial districts for the purpose of nominating and electing members of the Senate in 2012 and every two years thereafter. Applies to elections held on or after January 1, 2012.

A map of the Senate districts proposed in the committee substitute is posted on the General Assembly's website here.

Intro. by McKissick.

GS 120

Elections Law; General Assembly

S 790. SENATE FAIR AND LEGAL. Filed 7/25/11. TO REALIGN THE NORTH CAROLINA SENATORIAL DISTRICTS FOLLOWING THE RETURN OF THE 2010 FEDERAL DECENNIAL CENSUS.

Amends GS 120-1 to establish boundaries for 50 senatorial districts for the purpose of nominating and electing members of the Senate in 2012 and every two years thereafter. Applies to elections held on or after January 1, 2012.

A map of the Senate districts proposed in Senate Bill 790 is posted on the General Assembly's website here. Intro. by Nesbitt. GS 120 Elections Law; General Assembly

Local Bills

None

ACTION ON BILLS

July 25, 2011

NOTES

- 1. Digests appearing under "Summaries of Bills Filed" are for bills stamped with today's filing date.
- 2. Amendments and committee substitutes adopted today are summarized following the chamber action.
- 3. Subscribers can find the digest of every version of each bill online at www.dailybulletin.unc.edu.
- 4. The dates on which previous amendments or committee substitutes were adopted are listed below bill numbers.
- 5. The action "Cal Pursuant Rule 36b" indicates that the bill has been reported by committee and is awaiting calendaring.
- 6. Enacted bills are indicated by #, failed bills by *. Actions that change a bill are indicated by HA or SA.

PUBLIC BILLS

H0032 Electoral Freedom Act of 2011. S Withdrawn From Com

S Re-ref Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate

06-03-11

H0937 Lewis Dollar Dockham 2.

H Amend Failed 1

H Amend Failed 2

H Amend Failed 3

H Amend Failed 4

H Passed 2nd & 3rd Reading

Rec From House

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Passed 1st Reading
                                        Ref To Com On Redistricting
  07-24-11
#S0033 Medical Liability Reforms.
                                      H Veto Overridden
                                      SR Ch. SL 2011-400
  03-01-11, 03-02-11, 04-19-11, 04-20-11, 06-09-11
 S0453 Congressional Districts.
                                      S Amend Failed 1
                                      S Amend Failed 2
                                      S Amend Failed 3
                                      S Passed 2nd & 3rd Reading
                                      H Passed 1st Reading
                                      H Ref To Com On Redistricting
  07-23-11
 S0455 NC Senate Districts.
                                      S Amend Failed 1
                                      S
                                        Amend Failed 2
                                      S Amend Tabled 3
                                      S Passed 2nd & 3rd Reading
                                      H Passed 1st Reading
                                      H Ref To Com On Redistricting
  07-23-11
#S0496 Medicaid and Health Choice
                                      H Veto Overridden
                                      SR Ch. SL 2011-399
      Provider Req.
  06-06-11, 06-14-11
#S0781 Regulatory Reform Act of 2011. H Veto Overridden
                                      SR Ch. SL 2011-398
  06-08-11, 06-14-11, 06-15-11, 06-16-11
 S0788 Congressional Fair and Legal.
                                      S Filed
 S0789 Possible Senate Districts.
                                      S Filed
                                      S Filed
 S0790 Senate Fair and Legal.
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SUMMARIES OF AMENDMENTS AND COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES

None

Legislation Enacted

SL 2011-398 (S 781). REGULATORY REFORM ACT OF 2011. AN ACT TO INCREASE REGULATORY EFFICIENCY IN ORDER TO BALANCE JOB CREATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION. Summarized in Daily Bulletin 6/6/11, 6/9/11, 6/14/11, 6/15/11, and 6/17/11. Enacted July 25, 2011. Sections 2–14 are effective October 1, 2011. Sections 15–55 are effective January 1, 2012. With regard to contested cases affected by Section 55.2 of this act, the provisions of Sections 15–27 become effective when the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency approvals referenced in Section 55.2 have been issued or June 15, 2012, whichever occurs first. The remainder is effective July 25, 2011, unless otherwise provided.

Agriculture, Environment, and Natural Resources; APA/Rule Making

SL 2011-399 (S 496). MEDICAID AND HEALTH CHOICE PROVIDER REQ. AN ACT RELATING TO REQUIREMENTS OF MEDICAID AND HEALTH CHOICE PROVIDERS. Summarized in Daily Bulletin 3/31/11, 6/6/11, and 6/14/11. Enacted July 25, 2011. GS 108C-5, as enacted by Section 1, is effective July 25, 2011. GS 108C-6, as enacted by Section 1, and Section 4 are effective January 1, 2012. The remainder is effective July 25, 2011.

Health, Social Services, and Aging

SL 2011-400 (\$ 33). MEDICAL LIABILITY REFORMS. AN ACT TO REFORM THE LAWS RELATING TO MONEY JUDGMENT APPEAL BONDS, BIFURCATION OF TRIALS IN CIVIL CASES, AND MEDICAL LIABILITY. Summarized in Daily Bulletin 2/2/11, 3/1/11, 3/2/11, 4/19/11, 4/20/11, and 6/9/11. Enacted July 25, 2011. Effective October 1, 2011.

Civil Law and Procedure; Courts; Employment and Retirement; Health, Social Services, and Aging

Index by Keyword

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Notes

None

NEXT SESSIONS

July 26, 2011

HOUSE convenes at 11:00 a.m.

SENATE convenes at 1:00 p.m.