GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

SESSION 1995

HOUSE BILL 1101*

Short Title: Amend Local Sales Taxes.

Sponsors: Representatives Daughtry, Arnold, Shubert; Sexton, Rayfield, and Hill.

Referred to: Education, if favorable, Finance.

May 14, 1996

1	A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2	AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE SCHOOL CAPITAL
3	CONSTRUCTION STUDY COMMISSION TO MAKE PERMANENT THE
4	REQUIREMENT THAT COUNTIES USE PART OF THE TWO HALF-CENT
5	LOCAL SALES TAX PROCEEDS ONLY FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDINGS.
6	The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
7	Section 1. G.S. 105-487(a) reads as rewritten:
8	"(a) Except as provided in subsection (c), forty percent (40%) of the revenue
9	received by a county from additional one-half percent (1/2%) sales and use taxes levied
10	under this Article during the first five fiscal years in which the additional taxes are in
11	effect in the county and (c) of this section, thirty percent (30%) of the revenue received
12	by a county from these taxes in the next 10 fiscal years in which the taxes are in effect in
13	the county additional one-half percent (1/2%) sales and use taxes levied under this Article
14	may be used by the county only for public school capital outlay purposes as defined in
15	G.S. 115C-426(f) or to retire any indebtedness incurred by the county for these
16	purposes."
17	Sec. 2. G.S. 105-502(a) reads as rewritten:
18	"(a) Sixty percent (60%) of the revenue received by a county under this Article
19	during the first 16 fiscal years in which the tax is in effect-may be used by the county only for

public school capital outlay purposes <u>as defined in G.S. 115C-426(f)</u> or to retire any

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- 1 indebtedness incurred by the county for these purposes during the period beginning five
- 2 years prior to the date the taxes took effect."
- 3 Sec. 3. This act becomes effective July 1, 1996.