

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2005**

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**HOUSE DRH50507-LY-310 (4/19)**

Short Title: Tax Certification - Register of Deeds. (Local)

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Sponsors: Representative Owens.

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Referred to:

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO ADD TYRRELL COUNTY TO THE LIST OF COUNTIES WHERE  
THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MAY REQUIRE THE REGISTER OF  
DEEDS TO HAVE A CERTIFICATION THAT NO TAXES ARE DUE ON REAL  
PROPERTY BEFORE ACCEPTING FOR REGISTRATION A DEED  
TRANSFERRING OWNERSHIP OF THAT PROPERTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

**SECTION 1.** G.S. 161-31(b) reads as rewritten:

"(b) Applicability. – This section applies only to Anson, Beaufort, Bertie, Cabarrus, Camden, Carteret, Cherokee, Chowan, Clay, Cleveland, Currituck, Davidson, Duplin, Durham, Edgecombe, Forsyth, Gaston, Gates, Graham, Granville, Halifax, Harnett, Haywood, Henderson, Hertford, Hyde, Iredell, Jackson, Johnston, Lee, Lenoir, Macon, Madison, Martin, Montgomery, Nash, Northampton, Onslow, Pasquotank, Pender, Perquimans, Person, Pitt, Polk, Robeson, Rockingham, Rowan, Rutherford, Stanly, Surry, Swain, Transylvania, Tyrrell, Vance, Warren, Washington, Wilson, and Yadkin Counties."

**SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2006.