

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 903*

Short Title: Divide Prosecutorial District 11. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Love and Lewis (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to: Appropriations.

March 20, 2007

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO DIVIDE PROSECUTORIAL DISTRICT 11 INTO DISTRICTS 11A
3 AND 11B.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 7A-60(a1) reads as rewritten:

6 "(a1) The counties of the State are organized into prosecutorial districts, and each
7 district has the counties and the number of full-time assistant district attorneys set forth
8 in the following table:

9			No. of Full-Time
10	Prosecutorial		Asst. District
11	District	Counties	Attorneys
12	1	Camden, Chowan, Currituck,	11
13		Dare, Gates, Pasquotank,	
14		Perquimans	
15	2	Beaufort, Hyde, Martin,	7
16		Tyrrell, Washington	
17	3A	Pitt	11
18	3B	Carteret, Craven, Pamlico	11
19	4	Duplin, Jones, Onslow,	16
20		Sampson	
21	5	New Hanover, Pender	16
22	6A	Halifax	5
23	6B	Bertie, Hertford,	5
24		Northampton	
25	7	Edgecombe, Nash, Wilson	18
26	8	Greene, Lenoir, Wayne	13
27	9	Franklin, Granville,	12
28		Vance, Warren	
29	9A	Person, Caswell	5

1	10	Wake	38
2	11 <u>11A</u>	Harnett, Johnston , Lee	16 <u>8</u>
3	<u>11B</u>	<u>Johnston</u>	<u>8</u>
4	12	Cumberland	21
5	13	Bladen, Brunswick, Columbus	12
6	14	Durham	15
7	15A	Alamance	10
8	15B	Orange, Chatham	9
9	16A	Scotland, Hoke	6
10	16B	Robeson	13
11	17A	Rockingham	6
12	17B	Stokes, Surry	7
13	18	Guilford	30
14	19A	Cabarrus	8
15	19B	Montgomery, Randolph	8
16	19C	Rowan	7
17	19D	Moore	4
18	20A	Anson, Richmond,	10
19		Stanly	
20	20B	Union	8
21	21	Forsyth	20
22	22	Alexander, Davidson, Davie,	20
23		Iredell	
24	23	Alleghany, Ashe, Wilkes,	7
25		Yadkin	
26	24	Avery, Madison, Mitchell,	6
27		Watauga, Yancey	
28	25	Burke, Caldwell, Catawba	18
29	26	Mecklenburg	49
30	27A	Gaston	14
31	27B	Cleveland,	10
32		Lincoln	
33	28	Buncombe	13
34	29A	McDowell, Rutherford	6
35	29B	Henderson, Polk, Transylvania	7
36	30	Cherokee, Clay, Graham,	11
37		Haywood, Jackson, Macon,	
38		Swain."	

39 **SECTION 2.** The district attorney position established for District 11B by
40 Section 1 of this act shall be filled by the district attorney currently serving District 11
41 who resides in Johnston County. The district attorney position established for District
42 11A by Section 1 of this act shall be filled by appointment of the Governor for the
43 remainder of the term expiring January 1, 2009. A district attorney for District 11A shall
44 be elected in the 2008 election for a four-year term commencing January 1, 2009.

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

2 "**§ 7A-69. Investigatorial assistants.**

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

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

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

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