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Short Title: Durham Fireworks.

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1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DURHAM CITY COUNCIL TO DELEGATE TO  
3 THE CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT THE AUTHORITY TO APPROVE FIREWORKS  
4 DISPLAYS.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 Section 1. Section 60 of the Charter of the City of Durham, being Chapter 671  
7 of the 1975 Session Laws, reads as rewritten:

8 "Sec. 60. **Fireworks and Firearms.** – The City Council ~~shall have power to~~ may  
9 regulate or prevent the firing of firearms, fireworks, and all explosives or combustible or  
10 dangerous material in the streets, public grounds or elsewhere, within or near the City.

11 Fireworks may be exhibited, used or discharged at public exhibitions, such as fairs,  
12 carnivals, shows of all descriptions and public celebrations, only after written permission  
13 has been obtained from the ~~City Council.~~ City. The City Council may delegate authority  
14 to grant such permission to the city fire department."

15 Section 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.