

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 236

Short Title: Sanitary District Satellite Annexation.

(Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Allen, Crawford, and Hall.

Referred to: Public Health, if favorable, Finance.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO ALLOW CERTAIN SANITARY DISTRICTS TO MAKE SATELLITE
2 ANNEXATIONS IN CONJUNCTION WITH SIMILAR ANNEXATIONS MADE
3 BY MUNICIPALITIES LOCATED WHOLLY WITHIN THE SANITARY
4 DISTRICT.
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6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 **SECTION 1.** Article 2 of Chapter 130A of the General Statutes is amended
8 by adding a new section to read:

9 **"§ 130A-70.1. Satellite annexation in conjunction with municipal annexation in**
10 **certain sanitary districts.**

11 (a) This section only applies to a sanitary district where one or more
12 municipalities lie wholly within its boundaries.

13 (b) Whenever a municipality which lies wholly within a sanitary district receives
14 a petition for annexation under Part 4 of Article 4A of Chapter 160A of the General
15 Statutes, the municipality may petition the sanitary district for that sanitary district to
16 also annex the same area. In such case, the sanitary district may, by resolution, annex
17 the same area, but the annexation shall only become effective if the territory is annexed
18 by the requesting municipality.

19 (c) If G.S. 160A-58.5 allows the municipality to fix and enforce schedules of
20 rents, rates, fees, charges, and penalties in excess of those fixed and enforced within the
21 primary corporate limits, the sanitary district may do likewise as if G.S. 160A-58.5
22 applied to it.

23 (d) If the annexed area contains utility lines constructed or operated by the
24 county and the sanitary district is to assume control, operation, or management of those
25 lines, the sanitary district and county may by contract agree for the sanitary district to
26 assume the pro rata or otherwise mutually agreeable portion of indebtedness incurred by
27 the county for such purpose, or to contractually agree with the county to reimburse the
28 county for any debt service."

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SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.