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SENATE BILL 1340

Short Title: Divide Prosecutorial District 13. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Soles.

Referred to: Appropriations/Base Budget.

May 24, 2010

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO DIVIDE PROSECUTORIAL DISTRICT 13 INTO
DISTRICTS 13A AND 13B.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

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

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

Prosecutorial District	Counties	No. of Full-Time Asst. District Attorneys
1	Camden, Chowan, Currituck, Dare, Gates, Pasquotank, Perquimans	11
2	Beaufort, Hyde, Martin, Tyrrell, Washington	8
3A	Pitt	11
3B	Carteret, Craven, Pamlico	12
4	Duplin, Jones, Onslow, Sampson	18
5	New Hanover, Pender	18
6A	Halifax	5
6B	Bertie, Hertford, Northampton	6
7	Edgecombe, Nash, Wilson	19
8	Greene, Lenoir, Wayne	14
9	Franklin, Granville, Vance, Warren	12
9A	Person, Caswell	6
10	Wake	42
11A	Harnett, Lee	9
11B	Johnston	10
12	Cumberland	23
13	Bladen, Brunswick, Columbus	13
<u>13A</u>	<u>Bladen, Columbus</u>	<u>8</u>
<u>13B</u>	<u>Brunswick</u>	<u>6</u>
14	Durham	18



1	15A	Alamance	11
2	15B	Orange, Chatham	10
3	16A	Scotland, Hoke	7
4	16B	Robeson	13
5	17A	Rockingham	7
6	17B	Stokes, Surry	8
7	18	Guilford	32
8	19A	Cabarrus	9
9	19B	Montgomery, Randolph	10
10	19C	Rowan	8
11	19D	Moore	5
12	20A	Anson, Richmond,	12
13		Stanly	
14	20B	Union	10
15	21	Forsyth	25
16	22A	Alexander, Iredell	11
17	22B	Davidson, Davie	11
18	23	Alleghany, Ashe, Wilkes,	8
19		Yadkin	
20	24	Avery, Madison, Mitchell,	7
21		Watauga, Yancey	
22	25	Burke, Caldwell, Catawba	19
23	26	Mecklenburg	58
24	27A	Gaston	15
25	27B	Cleveland,	11
26		Lincoln	
27	28	Buncombe	14
28	29A	McDowell, Rutherford	7
29	29B	Henderson, Polk, Transylvania	8
30	30	Cherokee, Clay, Graham,	11
31		Haywood, Jackson, Macon,	
32		Swain."	

SECTION 2. The district attorney position established for District 13A by Section 1 of this act shall be filled by the district attorney elected to serve District 13 in the November 2010 election, if that district attorney resides in Bladen or Columbus County. If the district attorney elected to serve District 13 in the November 2010 election does not reside in Bladen or Columbus County, the district attorney position established for District 13A shall be filled by appointment of the Governor for the remainder of the term expiring January 1, 2012. The Governor is encouraged to appoint a person who is not a member of the same political party as that of the district attorney elected to serve District 13 in the November 2010 election.

SECTION 3. The district attorney position established for District 13B by Section 1 of this act shall be filled by the district attorney elected to serve District 13 in the November 2010 election, if that district attorney resides in Brunswick County. If the district attorney elected to serve District 13 in the November 2010 election does not reside in Brunswick County, the district attorney position established for District 13B shall be filled by appointment of the Governor for the remainder of the term expiring January 1, 2012. The Governor is encouraged to appoint a person who is not a member of the same political party as that of the district attorney elected to serve District 13 in the November 2010 election.

SECTION 4. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Judicial Department the sum of two hundred forty-eight thousand one hundred sixty-four dollars (\$248,164) for the 2010-2011 fiscal year to implement the provisions of this act.

1 **SECTION 5.** This act becomes effective January 15, 2011, or the date of
2 preclearance under section 5 of the Voting Rights Act of 1965, whichever is later.