

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 163

Sponsors: Representative Cole.

Referred to: Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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1 A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A STUDY BY THE LEGISLATIVE
2 RESEARCH COMMISSION OF THE PROCESS AND REQUIREMENTS FOR
3 INCORPORATION OF NEW MUNICIPALITIES.

4 Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

5 Section 1. The Legislative Research Commission may study the process and
6 requirements for incorporation on new municipalities, including:

7 (1) Whether newly incorporated municipalities should be required to
8 provide a specified minimum level of services within a stated time;

9 (2) Whether receipt of various State-shared local revenues should be
10 contingent on a minimum level of taxation and the provision of a
11 specified level of services; and

12 (3) The powers and duties granted under existing laws to new
13 municipalities.

14 The Commission shall make a report to the 1997 General Assembly (Regular
15 Session 1998) on the subject authorized by this resolution.

16 Section 2. This resolution is effective upon ratification.