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NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AMENDMENT
Senate Bill 697

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Senator Sawyer

1 moves to amend the bill on page 2, lines 23 through 24,
2 by rewriting those lines to read:

3 "This term also includes all islands within Lake Norman and all peninsulas
4 extending into the waters of Lake Norman.";

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6 and on page 4, lines 1 through 5,
7 by rewriting those lines to read:

8 "(f) No commissioner serving at any time may own a controlling interest in a business
9 that is dependent on income generated from Lake Norman. No more than thirty-five percent
10 (35%) of the commissioners serving at any given time may do any of the following:

11 (1) Have an ownership interest in any property adjoining the shoreline area of
12 Lake Norman.

13 (2) Have an ownership interest in or be employed by any business that generates
14 income from Lake Norman.

15 (3) Have an ownership interest in or be employed by a business that has an
16 ownership interest in property adjoining the shoreline area of Lake Norman.

17 (g) Each commissioner shall complete a written disclosure statement by January 31 of
18 each year that identifies any conflicts of interest he or she has, including any conflicts identified
19 in subsection (f) of this section. These annual disclosures shall be posted on a public website
20 maintained by the Commission by January 31 each year.

21 (h) The primary residence for all nine commissioners must be located in one of the four
22 counties and reside in such primary residence a minimum of nine months of every calendar year.

23 (i) In the event of death of a commissioner, resignation, incapacity or inability to serve,";
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25 and on page 4, line 31,
26 by rewriting the line to read:

27 "the Commission are public records as";
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29 and on page 6, line 30,
30 by rewriting the line to read:



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1 ~~"agencies promulgated under the authority of general law. State or federal law, or the exercise of~~
2 ~~any authority granted under any permit or license issued by any State or federal agency. In lieu~~
3 ~~of or in";~~
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5 and on page 8, line 22,
6 by rewriting the line to read:

7 "(f) Each chief district magistrate of a district court district that includes one or more of
8 the four counties shall assign a magistrate with primary responsibility for";
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10 and on page 8, line 38,
11 by rewriting the line to read:
12 "may assess fees related only to the following:";
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14 and on page 8, line 50,
15 by rewriting the line to read:

16 "(3) Charge fees for general access to or use of Lake Norman or its shoreline area.";
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18 and on page 9, line 6,
19 by rewriting the line to read:

20 "the chair of the Commission. If there is a surplus of fee collections or funding in a given calendar
21 year, it shall be applied to program-specific expenses for the next calendar year."".
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