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H 1663. CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENTS VOID. Filed 4/18/07. *TO DECLARE CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENTS INVOLVING ELECTED OFFICIALS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INAPPLICABLE TO ELECTED OFFICIALS AS A MATTER OF PUBLIC POLICY.*

Enacts new GS 143B-437.11, to provide that confidentiality agreements involving economic development proposals that restrict an elected official from communicating with the public while acting in the official's capacity, do not apply to the elected official or any person who was an elected official at the time of signing the agreement, but may apply to persons who are not elected officials.

Intro. by Luebke.

GS 143B

May 24, 2007

H 1663. CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENTS VOID. Filed 4/18/07. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Modifies proposed GS 143B-437.11 to provide that elected officials' confidentiality agreements involving economic development proposals are contrary to public policy and do not apply to any person who was an elected official at the time of making (was, signing) the agreement. Amends catch line to make confidentiality agreements *inapplicable to elected officials* (was, void) as a matter of public policy. Deletes provision stating that confidentiality agreements may apply to people who are not elected officials. Deletes findings by the General Assembly. Applies to agreements entered into on or after the act becomes law.