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H 56. ANNEXATION SERVICE. Filed 1/31/07. TO PROHIBIT INVOLUNTARY ANNEXATION OF PROPERTY THAT HAS SUBSTANTIALLY ALL URBAN SERVICES ALREADY IN PLACE. Adds a new subdivision to GS 160A-36(b) and to GS 160A-48(b), respectively, stating that no part of a proposed annexation area may already receive substantially all urban services. Amends GS 160A-41 and GS 160A-53 to define "substantially all urban services" to mean (1) water and sewage provided by a municipality, county, sanitary district, water and sewer authority, or another unit of government established by Chapter 162A of the General Statutes, and (2) fire protection, police protection, and road maintenance provided directly or under contract by an association that has a governing board elected by its membership. Applies to annexation ordinances adopted on or after July 1, 2007.

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GS 160A