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**H 571. ANNEXATION—MORATORIUM.** Filed 3/12/09. *TO ADOPT A MORATORIUM ON INVOLUNTARY ANNEXATIONS, AS ENDORSED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION ON MUNICIPAL ANNEXATION.*

Prohibits adoption of involuntary annexation resolutions or ordinances, as provided in Parts 2 and 3 of Article 4A of Chapter 160A of the General Statutes, until May 31, 2010. Tolls the effective date of any annexation ordinance already adopted but not in effect as of the date the legislation is enacted, unless the delay in effective date is solely due to Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act of 1965. Authorizes municipalities to amend previously adopted 2009-10 budget ordinances if the effect of this legislation is to reduce the total amount of assessed valuation estimated in that ordinance. Effective August 31, 2009.

**Intro. by Goforth, Brown, Dollar, Steen.**

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