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HOUSE BILL 467 PROPOSED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE H467-PCS20323-SU-15

Short Title: Cleveland County Coroner/ME Recommendations.

(Local)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

April 2, 2015

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- 2 AN ACT EXPANDING THE CATEGORY OF INDIVIDUALS WHO MAY BE 3 APPOINTED AS COUNTY MEDICAL EXAMINERS IN CLEVELAND COUNTY.
- 4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.** Notwithstanding G.S. 130A-382, the duly elected Coroner of 6 Cleveland County shall appoint the medical examiners in Cleveland County. The Coroner of 7 Cleveland County shall give preference to physicians licensed to practice medicine in this State 8 when appointing medical examiners, but may also appoint licensed physician assistants, nurse 9 practitioners, nurses, coroners, emergency medical technician-paramedics, and individuals he

10 or she otherwise deems qualified.

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.



