



**NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AMENDMENT
House Bill 528**

AMENDMENT NO. 8A
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Senator Bishop

1 moves to amend the bill on page 10, lines 48 and 49, by inserting the following between those
2 lines:

3 **"SECTION 5.5.** Section 18B.9.(d) of S.L. 2017-57 reads as rewritten:

4 **"SECTION 18B.9.(d)** In order to implement the changes in subsection (c) of this section,
5 the following shall apply:

6 (1) The district court ~~judgeships~~judgeship with a term expiring December 31,
7 2020 currently serving District 9A shall be allocated to Judicial ~~Districts~~
8 District 9 and the judgeship with a term expiring December 31, 2018
9 currently serving District 9A shall be allocated to Judicial District 17A of the
10 General Court of Justice effective January 1, 2019.

11 (2) ~~Any~~A vacancy occurring in ~~the~~ district court judgeship with a term expiring
12 December 31, 2018 currently serving District 9A before January 1, 2019,
13 shall be filled by appointment for a term to end December 31, 2018. A
14 vacancy occurring in the district court judgeship with a term expiring
15 December 31, 2020 currently serving District 9A before January 1, 2019
16 shall be filled by appointment for a term to end December 31, 2020."

17 **SECTION 5.6.(a)** G.S. 7A-60(a1), as amended by Section 18B.9(e) of S.L.
18 2017-57, reads as rewritten:

19 "(a1) The counties of the State are organized into prosecutorial districts, and each district
20 has the counties and the number of full-time assistant district attorneys set forth in the
21 following table:

Prosecutorial District	Counties	No. of Full-Time Asst. District Attorneys
1	Camden, Chowan, Currituck, Dare, Gates, Pasquotank, Perquimans	11
2	Beaufort, Hyde, Martin, Tyrrell, Washington	8
3	Pitt	12
4	Carteret, Craven, Pamlico	13
5	Duplin, Jones, Onslow,	19



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1		Sampson	
2	6	New Hanover, Pender	19
3	7	Bertie, Halifax, Hertford,	11
4		Northampton	
5	8	Edgecombe, Nash, Wilson	19
6	9	Greene, Lenoir, Wayne	14
7	10	Franklin, Granville, <u>Person</u>	10 13
8		Vance, Warren	
9	9A	<u>Person</u> , Caswell	6
10	11	Wake	42
11	12	Harnett, Lee	11
12	13	Johnston	10
13	14	Cumberland	25
14	15	Bladen, Brunswick, Columbus	14
15	16	Durham	18
16	17	Alamance	12
17	18	Orange, Chatham	10
18	19	Scotland, Hoke	7
19	20	Robeson	12
20	21	Anson, Richmond	6
21	22	<u>Caswell</u> , Rockingham	710
22	23	Stokes, Surry	8
23	24	Guilford	34
24	25	Cabarrus	9
25	26	Montgomery, Randolph	10
26	27	Rowan	9
27	28	Moore	5
28	29	Stanly	5
29	30	Union	11
30	31	Forsyth	27
31	32	Alexander, Iredell	12
32	33	Davidson, Davie	12
33	34	Alleghany, Ashe, Wilkes,	9
34		Yadkin	
35	35	Avery, Madison, Mitchell,	8
36		Watauga, Yancey	
37	36	Burke, Caldwell, Catawba	19
38	37	Mecklenburg	58
39	38	Gaston	15
40	39	Cleveland, Lincoln	12
41	40	Buncombe	14
42	41	McDowell, Rutherford	8
43	42	Henderson, Polk, Transylvania	9

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43 Cherokee, Clay, Graham,
Haywood, Jackson, Macon,
Swain."

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SECTION 5.6.(b) The office and term of the district attorney for Prosecutorial District 9A formerly consisting of Person and Caswell Counties is terminated upon the expiration of the current term, December 31, 2018. Effective January 1, 2019, District 9A is eliminated. All open investigations and pending cases for Prosecutorial District 9A formerly consisting of Person and Caswell Counties shall be transferred to either District 10 or District 22. Person County is added to District 10 and the number of ADAs in that district is increased by three. Caswell County is added to District 22 and the number of ADAs in that district is increased by three.

SECTION 5.6.(c) Section 18B.9(h) of S.L. 2017-57 is repealed.

SECTION 5.6.(d) This section is effective January 1, 2019, and elections conducted in 2018 shall be conducted in accordance with the districts as modified by this section."

SIGNED *Wm. Brubaker*
Amendment Sponsor

SIGNED _____
Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

ADOPTED 420 FAILED _____ TABLED _____
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