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SENATE BILL DRS15092-LM-74

Short Title: Durham/Nonmunicipal Utility Relocation Costs. (Local)

Sponsors: Senators Woodard and McKissick (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF DURHAM TO AUTHORIZE THE  
3 CITY TO REIMBURSE NONMUNICIPAL UTILITY OWNERS FOR UTILITY  
4 RELOCATION COSTS WITHOUT COMPLYING WITH THE STATE'S  
5 CONTRACTING LAWS.  
6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:  
7 **SECTION 1.** Chapter VII of the Charter of the City of Durham, being Chapter 671  
8 of the Session Laws of 1975, as amended, is amended by adding a new section to read as follows:  
9 "Sec. 128. Reimbursement to nonmunicipal utility owners for relocation costs.  
10 The City is authorized to reimburse a nonmunicipal utility owner for utility relocation costs  
11 that exceed the dollar threshold in G.S. 143-129 and G.S. 141-131(a) without complying with  
12 the requirements of Article 8 of Chapter 143 of the General Statutes."  
13 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

