

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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SENATE BILL 697

Short Title: Beach Towns ABC Possession.

(Local)

Sponsors: Senator Ballantine.

Referred to: Judiciary I/Constitution

April 13, 1995

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE CITY OF WILMINGTON, THE TOWN OF KURE BEACH, THE TOWN OF CAROLINA BEACH, AND THE TOWN OF ATLANTIC BEACH MAY REGULATE THE POSSESSION OF OPEN CONTAINERS OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON PUBLIC PROPERTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. G.S. 18B-300(c) reads as rewritten:

"(c) Local Ordinance. - A city or county may by ordinance regulate the consumption of malt beverages and unfortified wine on property owned or occupied by that city or county. ordinance:

(1) Regulate or prohibit the consumption of malt beverages and unfortified wine on the public streets of that city or county and on property owned, occupied, or controlled by that city or county;

(2) Regulate or prohibit the possession of open containers of malt beverages and unfortified wine on public streets of that city or county and on property owned, occupied, or controlled by that city or county;

(3) Regulate or prohibit the possession of malt beverages and unfortified wine on public streets, alleys, or parking lots which are temporarily closed to regular traffic for special events."

1                   Sec. 2. This act applies to the City of Wilmington, the Town of Kure Beach,  
2 the Town of Carolina Beach, and the Town of Atlantic Beach only.

3                   Sec. 3. This act is effective upon ratification.