

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 283

Short Title: Modify Jacksonville Occupancy Tax. (Local)

Sponsors: Senator Brown (Primary Sponsor).

Referred to: Rules and Operations of the Senate

March 16, 2017

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO MODIFY THE USE OF OCCUPANCY TAX PROCEEDS FOR THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE FOR A PERIOD OF TEN YEARS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. Section 1.1(d) of S.L. 2009-429 reads as rewritten:

"**SECTION 1.1.(d)** Distribution and Use of Tax Revenue. – The City of Jacksonville shall, on a quarterly basis, remit the net proceeds of the occupancy tax to the Jacksonville Tourism Development Authority. The Authority shall use at least two-thirds of the funds remitted to it under this subsection for tourism-related expenditures and shall use the remainder to promote travel and tourism in Jacksonville and shall use the remainder for tourism-related expenditures.~~Jacksonville.~~"

SECTION 2. Section 1.1(d) of S.L. 2009-429, as amended by subsection (a) of this section, reads as rewritten:

"**SECTION 1.1.(d)** Distribution and Use of Tax Revenue. – The City of Jacksonville shall, on a quarterly basis, remit the net proceeds of the occupancy tax to the Jacksonville Tourism Development Authority. The Authority shall use at least two-thirds of the funds remitted to it under this subsection for tourism-related expenditures and shall use the remainder to promote travel and tourism and shall use the remainder for tourism-related expenditures in Jacksonville."

SECTION 3. Section 1 of this act becomes effective on July 1, 2017, and expires on July 1, 2027. Section 2 of this act becomes effective on July 1, 2027. The remainder of this act is effective when it becomes law.



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