

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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SENATE BILL 7  
Health Care Committee Substitute Adopted 3/10/15

Short Title: Allow Seating for Food Stand Customers. (Public)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

February 2, 2015

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT ALLOWING FOOD STANDS TO PROVIDE TABLES AND CHAIRS FOR  
3 CUSTOMERS TO USE WHILE CONSUMING DRINKS OR FOOD UPON THE  
4 PREMISES.  
5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:  
6 SECTION 1. G.S. 130A-248 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:  
7 "(a6) Notwithstanding any provision of this Part or any rules adopted pursuant to  
8 G.S. 130A-335(e), a food stand may elect to provide tables and chairs for customers to use  
9 while eating or drinking on the premises without obtaining a restaurant permit, unless the  
10 Department of Health and Human Services demonstrates that this type of seating arrangement  
11 poses a threat to public health and safety."  
12 SECTION 2. This act becomes effective October 1, 2015.

