

NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
1961 SESSION

CHAPTER 988
SENATE BILL 421

1 AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER 131, ARTICLE 12 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES TO
2 PERMIT A HOSPITAL AUTHORITY TO CHANGE ITS NAME.

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4 The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

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6 **Section 1.** Article 12 of Chapter 131 of the General Statutes is hereby amended by
7 inserting the following immediately after Section 93 of Chapter 131.

8 "**131-93.1.** An authority created and existing pursuant to this Article, may at any time, by
9 resolution adopted by a majority of the Commissioners, change its name. A copy of such
10 resolution, duly verified by the Chairman and Secretary of the Board of Commissioners before
11 an officer authorized by the laws of this State to take and certify oaths, shall be delivered to the
12 Secretary of State, together with a conformed copy thereof. If the Secretary of State shall find
13 that the proposed name is not identical with that of a person or of any other corporation of this
14 State, or so nearly similar as to lead to confusion and uncertainty, he shall receive and file it,
15 and shall record it in an appropriate book of record in his office, and thereupon return to the
16 authority the conformed copy, together with a certificate stating that attached thereto is a true
17 copy of the document filed in his office and showing the date of such filing.

18 **Sec. 2.** G.S. 131-115 is amended by adding a new paragraph at the end thereof
19 reading as follows:

20 "In the event any municipality or city shall sell, convey or otherwise irrevocably transfer to
21 an authority property pursuant to this Section having a market value in excess of one hundred
22 thousand dollars (\$100,000.00) and in the event the authority accepts the conveyance, the
23 chairman or mayor of the governing body of such municipality or city shall thereafter have the
24 right to name to the authority, to serve as Commissioners, for three-year terms such number of
25 persons as, when compared with the existing membership of the authority, will, in the sole
26 opinion of the governing body of such municipality or city and the authority, fairly represent
27 the approximate relationship of the total value of the property being transferred to the total
28 value of the property already held by the authority, but in no event shall fewer than two persons
29 nor more than nine persons be added to the authority. The size of the authority shall be
30 increased by the number thus added. The times of commencement and of expiration of the
31 initial terms of those being added shall be determined by agreement between the authority and
32 the governing body, and copies of the agreement setting out the number of persons being added
33 and the terms shall be filed with the clerk of such municipality or city, and thereafter copies of
34 reports referred in to G.S. 131-111 shall be filed with the clerk of such municipality or city."

35 **Sec. 3.** All laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

36 **Sec. 4.** This Act shall become effective from and after its ratification.

37 In the General Assembly read three times and ratified, this the 17th day of June,
38 1961.