NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY 1969 SESSION

CHAPTER 1076 HOUSE BILL 497

AN ACT PLACING RETIREMENT BENEFITS UNDER THE FORSYTH COUNTY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT PLAN, AND THE WINSTON-SALEM EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT FUND, ON A PAR WITH THOSE RECEIVED UNDER THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT FUND INSOFAR AS STATE INCOME TAXABILITY THEREOF IS CONCERNED.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Section 1. That G.S. 105-141(13), as the same appears in the 1967 Cumulative Supplement to Volume 2D of the General Statutes of North Carolina, is hereby amended by changing the period at the end thereof to a semicolon and by adding the following:

"provided, however, that the amounts received in lump sum or monthly payments of benefits under and pursuant to the provisions of the Forsyth County Employees' Retirement Plan and the Winston-Salem Employees' Retirement Fund shall be exempt from income tax to the extent that they would have been exempt under the provisions of G.S. 128-31 if Forsyth County and Winston-Salem had elected to provide such retirement benefits under the provisions of the North Carolina Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System."

- **Sec. 2.** It is the intent of this Act to place the retirement benefits received under the Forsyth County Employees' Retirement Plan and the Winston-Salem Employees' Retirement Fund on the same basis for state income tax purposes as benefits received under the North Carolina Local Governmental Employees' Retirement Fund.
 - **Sec. 3.** All laws and clauses of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.
- **Sec. 4.** This Act shall be applicable to all benefits received under the Forsyth County Employees' Retirement Fund and the Winston- Salem Employees' Retirement Fund from and after January 1, 1969.

In the General Assembly read three times and ratified, this the 27th day of June, 1969.