

NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
1969 SESSION

CHAPTER 222  
SENATE BILL 247

1 AN ACT RELATING TO FILLING VACANCIES ON BOARDS OF COUNTY  
2 COMMISSIONERS.

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4 The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

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6 **Section 1.** Section 153-6 of the General Statutes of North Carolina is rewritten to  
7 read as follows:

8 "**Sec. 15.3-6. Vacancies.** Vacancies occurring in the board of commissioners of any county  
9 shall be filled by appointment by the remaining members of the board. The person appointed to  
10 fill a vacancy shall be a member of the same political party, and, if the county is divided into  
11 districts for election of the board, a resident of the same district, as the member causing the  
12 vacancy. The board shall consult the county executive committee of the appropriate political  
13 party before filling a vacancy, but shall not be bound by its recommendations."

14 **Sec. 2.** All laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed to the  
15 extent of such conflict.

16 **Sec. 3.** This Act shall take effect upon its ratification.

17 In the General Assembly read three times and ratified, this the 15th day of April,  
18 1969.