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S 547. DURHAM CITY ANTIDISCRIMINATION. *TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF DURHAM TO PROHIBIT DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT, PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS, AND HOUSING BASED ON CRITERIA IN ADDITION TO RACE, COLOR, NATIONAL ORIGIN, RELIGION, SEX, DISABILITY, AND AGE, AND TO PRESCRIBE THE PROCEDURE FOR THE ADOPTION OF ANY SUCH ORDINANCE*. Expands current local acts authorizing city to prohibit acts of discrimination in employment, public accommodations, and real estate transactions as title indicates. Ordinance may prohibit discrimination based on any criteria. Requires public hearing before adoption of ordinance and requires agency charged with implementing ordinance to compile a report, which is open to the public, that indicates need for additional criteria

Intro. by Lucas.

Ref. to St. & Loc. Gov.	DURHAM