

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2005**

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**SENATE BILL 682  
Finance Committee Substitute Adopted 3/30/05**

Short Title: Public Health Authority Set-Off Debt Collect.

(Public)

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Sponsors:

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Referred to:

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March 21, 2005

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT TO EXTEND TO PUBLIC HEATH AUTHORITIES THE SET-OFF DEBT  
3 COLLECTION PROCEDURES CURRENTLY AVAILABLE TO COUNTIES  
4 AND CITIES.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 105A-2(6) reads as rewritten:

7 "(6) Local agency. – Any of the following:

- 8 a. A county, to the extent it is not considered a State agency.  
9 b. A municipality.  
10 c. A water and sewer authority created under Article 1 of Chapter  
11 162A of the General Statutes.  
12 d. A regional joint agency created by interlocal agreement under  
13 Article 20 of Chapter 160A of the General Statutes between two  
14 or more counties, cities, or both.  
15 e. A public health authority created under Part 1B of Article 2 of  
16 Chapter 130A of the General Statutes."

17 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective January 1, 2006, and applies to  
18 income tax refunds determined on or after that date.