February 3, 2009

S 38. MUNICIPAL DISTRICT ELECTIONS 2011/CENSUS. Filed 2/3/09. *TO CONTINUE TO APPLY SPECIAL RULES TO MUNICIPAL REDISTRICTING AFTER THE 2010 CENSUS THAT APPLY TO ELECTIONS SCHEDULED FOR 2011.*

Amends GS 160A-23.1 as title indicates. Specifies that any referendum on the change under GS 160A-103 (Referendum on charter amendments by ordinance) does not apply to the municipal election in 2011 or 2012. Makes conforming changes. Provides that this section does not apply to any municipality that, under its charter, is not scheduled to hold an election in 2011.

Intro. by Clodfelter.   GS 160A

February 25, 2009

S 38. MUNICIPAL DISTRICT ELECTIONS/CENSUS. Filed 2/3/09. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Amends GS 160A-23.1 to make the federal decennial census the triggering event (was, set out specific years based on the occurrence of the federal census as the triggering event) that requires municipalities using a district method of election to review the districts to determine whether it would be lawful to hold the next election without revising the districts to correct population imbalances. Makes additional conforming changes setting the federal decennial census or a specified amount of time following the census as the triggering event for specified partisan and nonpartisan primary and election methods and runoff methods.

Also amends GS 163-291(2) (regarding partisan primaries and elections) and GS 163-294.2(c) (regarding notice of candidacy and filing fee in nonpartisan municipal elections) to make a specified amount of time following the federal decennial census the triggering event (was, set out specific years based on the occurrence of the federal census as the triggering event) for certain specifications regarding filing a notice of candidacy.

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