

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 152

Short Title: Correct Tech. Error in Burgaw Occupancy Tax. (Local)

Sponsors: Senator Rabon (Primary Sponsor).

Referred to: Finance.

March 4, 2013

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO CORRECT A TECHNICAL ERROR IN THE AUTHORIZATION FOR THE
2 TOWN OF BURGAW TO IMPOSE AN OCCUPANCY TAX.
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4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.** Section 2(a) of S.L. 2006-167 reads as rewritten:

6 **"SECTION 2.** Tourism Development Authority. – (a) Appointment and Membership. –
7 When the Board of Commissioners adopts a resolution levying a room occupancy tax under
8 this act, it shall also adopt a resolution creating the Burgaw Tourism Development Authority,
9 which shall be a public authority under the Local Government Budget and Fiscal Control Act.
10 The resolution shall provide for the membership of the Authority, including the members' terms
11 of office, and for the filling of vacancies on the Authority. At least one-third of the members
12 shall be individuals who are affiliated with businesses that collect the tax in the town and at
13 least ~~three-fourths~~one-half of the members shall be individuals who are currently active in the
14 promotion of travel and tourism in the town. The Board of Commissioners shall designate one
15 member of the Authority as chair and shall determine the compensation, if any, to be paid to
16 members of the Authority.

17 The Authority shall meet at the call of the chair and shall adopt rules of procedure to govern
18 its meetings. The Finance Officer for the Town of Burgaw shall be the ex officio finance
19 officer of the Authority."

20 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

