## **GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA**

## **SESSION 1991**

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## HOUSE BILL 185 Second Edition Engrossed 3/26/91

Short Title: Modify Gaston Occupancy Tax.

(Local)

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Sponsors: Representatives Abernethy; Dickson, Gamble, and Rhyne.

Referred to: Local and Regional Government II.

February 28, 1991

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

2 AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCOPE OF THE GASTON COUNTY OCCUPANCY
3 TAX.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 Section 1. Section 1(a) of Chapter 618 of the 1987 Session Laws reads as 6 rewritten:

Authorization and scope. The Gaston County Board of Commissioners may 7 "(a) by resolution, after not less than 10 days' public notice and after a public hearing held 8 pursuant thereto, levy a room occupancy tax of no more than three percent (3%) of the 9 gross receipts derived from the rental of any room, lodging, or similar accommodation 10 furnished by a hotel, motel, inn, or similar place within the county that is subject to 11 sales tax imposed by the State under G.S. 105-164.4(3). 105-164.4(a)(3). This tax is in 12 addition to any State or local sales tax. This tax does not apply to accommodations 13 14 furnished by nonprofit charitable, educational, or religious organizations. organizations or to accommodations furnished by any hotel, motel, inn, or similar place that offers to 15 rent fewer than twenty-seven rooms or units." 16

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Sec. 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 1991.