

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
1995 SESSION

CHAPTER 87
HOUSE BILL 627

AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYMENT PREFERENCE GIVEN BY
CATAWBA COUNTY TO VETERANS WHO APPLY FOR COUNTY
EMPLOYMENT.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. Section 1 of Chapter 631 of the 1945 Session Laws reads as rewritten:

"Section 1. The Board of County Commissioners of Catawba County is hereby authorized and empowered to employ a county veterans service officer and pay ~~him~~the service officer such salary as the board may consider just and fair and to furnish ~~him~~the service officer the necessary office space, assistants, supplies, and equipment to enable ~~him~~the service officer to perform efficiently the duties of ~~his~~the service officer's employment. In selecting ~~said~~the service officer and other personnel, preference shall be given to applicants who are eligible veterans of World Wars I and II, as defined by G.S. 128-15(b)(3), in furtherance of the policy of the State that, in appreciation for their service to this State and this country during a period of war, and in recognition of the time and advantage lost toward the pursuit of a civilian career, veterans shall be granted preference in public employment."

Sec. 2. This act is effective upon ratification.

In the General Assembly read three times and ratified this the 17th day of May, 1995.

Dennis A. Wicker
President of the Senate

Harold J. Brubaker
Speaker of the House of Representatives