



CHAPTER 153A
ARTICLE 4 - FORM OF GOVERNMENT

N.C.G.S. § 153A-26.

Oath of office.

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Each person elected by the people or appointed to a county office shall, before entering upon the duties of the office, take and subscribe the oath of office prescribed in Article VI, Sec. 7 of the Constitution. The oath of office shall be administered by some person authorized by law to administer oaths and shall be filed with the clerk to the board of commissioners.

On the first Monday in December following each general election at which county officers are elected, the persons who have been elected to county office in that election shall assemble at the regular meeting place of the board of commissioners. At that time each such officer shall take and subscribe the oath of office. An officer not present at this time may take and subscribe the oath at a later time.

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9 ACTS

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01	1868	c. 20, s. 8	ENACTED							
02	1874	S.L. 1874-5, c. 237, s. 3	AMENDED							
03	1874	Code, ss. 707, 708	AMENDED							
04	1895	c. 135, ss. 3, 4	AMENDED							

05	Rev.	ss. 1316, 1318	RECODIFIED
06	C.S.	ss. 1295, 1297	RECODIFIED
07	1965	c. 26	AMENDED
08	1973	c. 822, s. 1	AMENDED
09	2015	S.L. 2015-24, s. 1	AMENDED

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

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