



CHAPTER 160A
ARTICLE 5 - FORM OF GOVERNMENT

N.C.G.S. § 160A-64.

Compensation of mayor and council.

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§ 160A-64(a) The council may fix its own compensation and the compensation of the mayor and any other elected officers of the city by adoption of the annual budget ordinance, but the salary of an elected officer other than a member of the council may not be reduced during the then-current term of office unless he agrees thereto. The mayor, councilmen, and other elected officers are entitled to reimbursement for actual expenses incurred in the course of performing their official duties at rates not in excess of those allowed to other city officers and employees, or to a fixed allowance, the amount of which shall be established by the council, for travel and other personal expenses of office; provided, any fixed allowance so established during a term of office shall not be increased during such term of office.

§ 160A-64(b) All charter provisions in effect as of January 1, 1972, fixing the compensation or allowances of any city officer or employee are repealed, but persons holding office or employment on January 1, 1972, shall continue to receive the compensation and allowances then prescribed by law until the council provides otherwise in accordance with this section or G.S. 160A-162.

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APPARATUS I
5 ACTS

Amendment lineage

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01	1969	c. 181, s. 1	ENACTED	
02	1971	c. 698, s. 1	AMENDED	
03	1973	c. 426, s. 12	AMENDED	
04	1973	c. 1145	AMENDED	
05	1979	2nd Sess., c. 1247, s. 1	AMENDED	

APPARATUS II
1 AUTHORITY

Authorities referenced

Every G.S. cross-reference appearing in the text of this section, in order of first appearance. Nothing is characterized; the operative language is quoted from the section itself.

REFERENCE	APPEARS IN	OPERATIVE LANGUAGE IN THIS SECTION
G.S. 160A-162	(b)	"in accordance with this section or"

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 160A-64 (1979).

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