



CHAPTER 161
ARTICLE 3 - REGISTERS OF DEEDS' SUPPLEMENTAL PENSION FUND ACT OF 1987

N.C.G.S. § 161-50.4.

Eligibility.

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- § 161-50.4(a)

Each county register of deeds who has retired with at least 12 years eligible service as register of deeds from the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System or an equivalent locally sponsored plan before June 30, 1988, and those who retire on or after June 30, 1988, but before July 1, 1991, and who have completed at least 12 years of eligible service as register of deeds is entitled to receive a monthly pension under this Article, beginning July 1, 1988. Effective July 1, 1991, each county register of deeds who retires with at least 10 years of eligible service as register of deeds is entitled to receive a monthly pension under this Article.
- § 161-50.4(a1)

Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this section, effective January 1, 1996, any county register of deeds who separates from service as register of deeds after completing at least 10 years of eligible service as register of deeds, but who does not commence retirement with the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System, shall have the right to receive a monthly pension under this Article payable upon retirement with the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System.
- § 161-50.4(a2)

Each county register of deeds who is not eligible to retire with the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System solely because the county has not elected to participate as an employer with the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System and who has either (i) attained the age of 65, (ii) attained 30 years of creditable service regardless of age, or (iii) attained the age of 60 with not less than 25 years of creditable service, and who has completed at least 10 years of creditable service as a register of deeds is entitled to receive a monthly pension under this Article, provided that register of deeds

is not eligible to receive any retirement benefits from any State or locally sponsored plan.

§ 161-50.4(b) Each eligible retired register of deeds as defined in subsection (a), (a1), or (a2) of this section relating to service and retirement status shall be entitled to receive a monthly pension under this Article beginning with the month of retirement.

§ 161-50.4(c) A county register of deeds who is otherwise eligible to receive a monthly pension under this Article shall cease to be eligible upon forfeiture of any retirement benefits under G.S. 128-38.4 or G.S. 128-38.4A.

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APPARATUS I
6 ACTS

Amendment lineage

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Nº	YEAR	ACT	CHARACTER	
01	1987	c. 792, s. 1	ENACTED	
02	1991	c. 443, s. 1	AMENDED	
03	1995	c. 259, s. 1	AMENDED	
04	1998	S.L. 1998-147, s. 1	AMENDED	
05	2007	S.L. 2007-245, s. 2	AMENDED	
06	2018	S.L. 2018-84, s. 2(c)	AMENDED	

APPARATUS II
2 AUTHORITIES

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. 128-38.4	(c)	"forfeiture of any retirement benefits under"
G.S. 128-38.4A	(c)	"retirement benefits under G.S. 128-38.4 or"

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 161-50.4 (2018).

PINPOINT

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HISTORY PARENTHETICAL, AS PRINTED BY THE STATE

(1987, c. 792, s. 1; 1991, c. 443, s. 1; 1995, c. 259, s. 1; 1998-147, s. 1; 2007-245, s. 2; 2018-84, s. 2(c).)

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