



CHAPTER 162  
ARTICLE 2 - SHERIFF'S BOND

N.C.G.S. § 162-10.

Duty of commissioners when bond insuff -  
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Whenever the board of county commissioners finds that the sheriff has been unable to provide the bond prescribed by the board, the board shall give written notice to the sheriff to appear before the board within 10 days and provide a sufficient bond. If the sheriff fails to appear or provide a sufficient bond, the sheriff shall forfeit his office, and the commissioners shall elect a suitable person in the county as sheriff for the unexpired term, pursuant to G.S. 162-5 or G.S. 162-5.1, as appropriate.

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APPARATUS I  
5 ACTS

Amendment lineage

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| 1879 <span style="float:right">1931<span style="float:right">1983</span></span> |      |               |            |
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| Nº                                                                              | YEAR | ACT           | CHARACTER  |
| 01                                                                              | 1879 | c. 109, s. 2  | ENACTED    |
| 02                                                                              | 1879 | Code, s. 2074 | AMENDED    |
| 03                                                                              | Rev. | s. 2813       | RECODIFIED |
| 04                                                                              | C.S. | s. 3932       | RECODIFIED |
| 05                                                                              | 1983 | c. 670, s. 6  | 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. 162-5   |            | <i>"for the unexpired term, pursuant to"</i> |
| G.S. 162-5.1 |            | <i>"term, pursuant to G.S. 162-5 or"</i>     |

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 162-10 (1983).

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