



CHAPTER 7A
ARTICLE 6 - RETIREMENT OF JUSTICES AND JUDGES OF THE APPELLATE DIVISION; RETIREMENT COMPENSATION;
RECALL TO EMERGENCY SERVICE; DISABILITY RETIREMENT

N.C.G.S. § 7A-39.6.

Application to the Governor; commission as emergency justice or emergency judge.

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No retired justice of the Supreme Court or retired judge of the Court of Appeals may become an emergency justice or emergency judge except upon his written application to the Governor certifying his desire and ability to serve as an emergency justice or emergency judge. If the Governor is satisfied that the applicant qualifies under G.S. 7A-39.3(a) to become an emergency justice or emergency judge and that he is physically and mentally able to perform the official duties of an emergency justice or emergency judge, he shall issue to such applicant a commission as an emergency justice or emergency judge of the court from which he retired. The commission shall be effective upon the date of its issue and shall terminate when the judge to whom it is issued reaches the maximum age for judicial service under G.S. 7A-5(b).

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APPARATUS I
4 ACTS

Amendment lineage

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02	1977	c. 736, s. 2	AMENDED		

03	1979	c. 884, s. 2	AMENDED
04	2023	S.L. 2023-134, s. 16.14(d)	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. 7A-39.3(a)		"satisfied that the applicant qualifies under"
G.S. 7A-5(b)		"maximum age for judicial service under"

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION
N.C. Gen. Stat. § 7A-39.6 (2023).

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