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ELECTION 2008: North Carolina - The Importance of Latinos and Immigrants to the Economy and Electorate of the “Tar Heel State”

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In anticipation of the North Carolina primary on May 6, 2008, the Immigration Policy Center presents [ELECTION 2008: North Carolina. The Importance of Latinos and Immigrants to the Economy and Electorate of the 'Tar Heel State.'](#) This fact sheet provides useful information on the immigrant population and Latino electorate of a state with one of the fastest growing immigrant populations in the U.S. With Latinos making up nearly 7 percent of the population, and a significant share of its foreign-born population being naturalized citizens and eligible to vote this year, Latino and immigrant voters are likely to play a key role in North Carolina's elections. The fact sheet also includes information about the contributions that Latinos make to the state of North Carolina, including nearly \$300 million annually in taxes.

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