

Revenue Finance Committee

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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 1750

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 1750 by replacing

3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Community Mental Health Act is amended by

5 changing Sections 4 and 5 as follows:

6 (405 ILCS 20/4) (from Ch. 91 1/2, par. 304)

Sec. 4. In order to provide the necessary funds or to supplement existing funds for such community mental health facilities and services, including facilities and services for the person with a developmental disability or a substance use disorder, the governing body of any governmental unit, subject to the provisions of Section 5, may levy an annual tax of not to exceed .15% upon all of the taxable property in such governmental unit at the value thereof, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue. If a governmental unit

levies a tax under this Section at a rate of less than 0.15%,

authorized by this Act.

- 1 that levy may be increased to not more than 0.15% as provided
- 2 <u>in Section 5 of this Act.</u> Such tax shall be levied and
- 3 collected in the same manner as other governmental unit taxes,
- 4 but shall not be included in any limitation otherwise
- 5 prescribed as to the rate or amount of governmental unit taxes,
- 6 but shall be in addition thereto and in excess thereof.

When collected, such tax shall be paid into a special fund to be designated as the "Community Mental Health Fund" which shall, upon authorization by the appropriate governmental unit, be administered by the community mental health board and used only for the purposes specified in this Act. Nothing contained herein shall in any way preclude the use of other funds available for such purposes under any existing Federal, State or local statute. Interest earned from moneys deposited in this Fund shall only be used for purposes which are

In any city, village, incorporated town, or township which levies a tax for the purpose of providing community mental health facilities and services and part or all of such city, village, incorporated town, or township is in a county or township, as the case may be, which levies a tax to provide community mental health facilities and services under the provisions of this Act, such county or township, as the case may be, shall pay to such city, village, incorporated town, or township, as the case may be, the entire amount collected from taxes under this Section on property subject to a tax which any

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city, village, incorporated town, or township thereof levies to provide community mental health facilities and services.

Whenever any city, village, incorporated town, or township receives any payments from a county or township as provided above, such city, village, incorporated town, or township shall reduce and abate from the tax levied by the authority of this Section a rate which would produce an amount equal to the amount received from such county or township.

9 (Source: P.A. 95-336, eff. 8-21-07.)

10 (405 ILCS 20/5) (from Ch. 91 1/2, par. 305)

Sec. 5. (a) When the governing body of a governmental unit passes a resolution as provided in Section 4 asking that an annual tax may be levied for the purpose of providing such mental health facilities and services, including facilities and services for the person with a developmental disability or a substance use disorder, in the community and so instructs the clerk of the governmental unit such clerk shall certify the proposition to the proper election officials for submission at a regular election in accordance with the general election law. The proposition shall be in the following form:

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22 Shall..... (governmental

23 unit) levy an annual tax of not to YES

24 exceed .15% for the purpose of providing

25 community mental health facilities and -----

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1	services including facilities and services
2	for the person with a developmental NO
3	disability or a substance use disorder?
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5	(b) If the governing body of a governmental unit passes a
6	resolution as provided in Section 4 asking that the annual tax
7	be increased, it shall so instruct the clerk of the
8	governmental unit, and the clerk shall certify the proposition
9	to the proper election officials for submission at a regular
10	election in accordance with the general election law. The
11	proposition shall be in the following form:
12	"Shall the tax imposed by (governmental unit) for the
13	purpose of providing community mental health facilities
14	and services, including facilities and services for
15	persons with a developmental disability or substance use
16	disorder be increased to (not more than 0.15%)?"
17	(c) If a majority of all the votes cast upon the
18	proposition are for the levy or increase of such tax, the
19	governing body of such governmental unit shall thereafter
20	annually levy a tax not to exceed the rate set forth in Section
21	4. Thereafter, the governing body shall in the annual
22	appropriation bill appropriate from such funds such sum or sums
23	of money as may be deemed necessary, based upon the community
24	mental health board's budget, the board's annual mental health

report, and the local mental health plan to defray necessary

expenses and liabilities in providing for such community mental

- 1 health facilities and services.
- 2 (Source: P.A. 95-336, eff. 8-21-07.)
- Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon 3
- becoming law.". 4