

## 96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2009 and 2010 SB3369

Introduced 2/10/2010, by Sen. Mike Jacobs

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 200/18-185.10 new

Amends the Property Tax Code. Provides that the corporate authorities of a home rule municipality with less than 1,000,000 inhabitants, or the governing body of any taxing district located in whole or in part within a home rule municipality with less than 1,000,000 inhabitants, may abate all or a portion of the property taxes levied on each parcel of residential property that is owned by a person participating in a qualified low-income homeownership program. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

HOUSING AFFORDABILITY IMPACT NOTE ACT MAY APPLY 1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by adding Section 18-185.10 as follows:
- 6 (35 ILCS 200/18-185.10 new)
- Sec. 18-185.10. Abatement for residence of a person participating in a low-income homeownership program.
- 9 (a) The corporate authorities of a home rule municipality with less than 1,000,000 inhabitants, or the governing body of 10 any taxing district located in whole or in part within a home 11 12 rule municipality with less than 1,000,000 inhabitants may, upon a majority vote of the governing body, order the county 13 14 clerk to abate any percentage of the taxes levied by the municipality or taxing district on each parcel of qualified 15 16 residential property that is (i) located within the corporate 17 limits of the municipality and (ii) owned by a person participating in a qualified low-income homeownership program. 18
- 19 <u>(b) As used in this Section, "qualified low-income</u>
  20 <u>homeownership program" means a program administered by a</u>
  21 <u>municipality or housing authority to assist low-income persons</u>
  22 in purchasing their own homes.
- (c) The corporate authorities may provide, by law, for the

- 1 amount and duration of an abatement under this Section and for
- 2 any other provision necessary to carry out the provisions of
- 3 <u>this Section</u>.
- 4 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 5 becoming law.