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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 3888

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 3888 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by adding
5 Section 18-184.15 as follows:

6 (35 ILCS 200/18-184.15 new)

7 Sec. 18-184.15. Grocery store abatement. Any taxing
8 district may, by ordinance, order the county clerk to abate all
9 or a portion of its taxes on property that (i) contains a
10 grocery store or supermarket that offers fresh produce for sale
11 at retail and (ii) is located in an area that qualified as a
12 food desert in the taxable year immediately preceding the
13 taxable year in which the grocery store or supermarket first
14 conducted business at that location.

15 For the purposes of this Section, a "food desert" means a
16 census tract in the State in which (i) the poverty rate is 20%

1 or greater, or the median family income is at or below 80% of
2 the area median family income, and (ii) at least 33% of the
3 census tract's population lives more than one mile from a
4 supermarket or grocery store in the case of a census tract
5 located in a Metropolitan Statistical Area, or more than 10
6 miles from a supermarket or grocery store in the case of a
7 census tract located outside of a Metropolitan Statistical
8 Area."