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Amendment

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To: Subst. House Bill No. 5583

File No. 229

Cal. No. 144

"AN ACT CONCERNING INCENTIVES FOR MUNICIPAL REVENUE SHARING."

1 In line 13, after "section", insert "or the municipal portion of the tax
2 imposed under section 12-651, as amended by this act"

3 After the last section, insert the following:

4 "Sec. 2. Section 12-651 of the general statutes is repealed and the
5 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2002*):

6 (a) A tax is imposed on any marijuana or controlled substances
7 purchased, acquired, transported or imported into the state. Payment
8 thereof shall be evidenced by the permanent affixing of stamps on the
9 marijuana or controlled substance immediately after receipt. Each
10 stamp or other official indicia may be used only once.

11 (b) The tax imposed pursuant to this section shall be at the following

12 rates: (1) On each gram of marijuana or portion of a gram, three dollars
13 and fifty cents, and (2) on each gram of a controlled substance, or
14 portion of a gram, two hundred dollars or on each fifty dosage units of
15 a controlled substance that is not sold by weight, or portion thereof,
16 two thousand dollars. For the purpose of calculating the tax due under
17 this section, an ounce of marijuana or other controlled substance is
18 measured by the weight of the substance in the dealer's possession.

19 (c) Any tax imposed pursuant to this section is due and payable
20 immediately upon acquisition or possession in this state by a dealer.

21 (d) If an arrest is made by a municipal law enforcement agency and
22 such arrest leads to the imposition of such tax, sixty per cent of the
23 revenue to the state from the tax imposed under this section shall be
24 allocated to the General Fund and forty per cent of such revenue shall
25 be allocated to the municipality. If such an arrest is made by a regional
26 or state law enforcement agency, the arresting agency shall share
27 equally in the municipal portion of the revenue from the assessment of
28 the tax."