



General Assembly

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***Raised Bill No. 583***

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Referred to Committee on Government Administration and Elections

Introduced by:  
(GAE)

***AN ACT CONCERNING CERTAIN PROPERTY TAX STATISTICS.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 12-7 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2004*):

3 [The Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management shall, in  
4 addition to any other reports required by law to be made by him,  
5 annually collate and prepare, from the reports provided for in section  
6 12-9 and such other information as he obtains, statistics concerning the  
7 assessment and collection of taxes during the preceding year; and he  
8 shall, annually, cause to be printed so much of the report herein  
9 provided for as will show the methods and manner of the assessment  
10 and collection of taxes, and the amount of such taxes levied and  
11 collected in the several towns, cities and boroughs. He may also  
12 publish such other reports as will give information to the public  
13 regarding taxation.] The Secretary of the Office of Policy and  
14 Management shall annually compile, from the reports filed in  
15 accordance with section 12-9 and such other information as the  
16 secretary obtains or develops and deems applicable, statistics

17 concerning the amount of property taxes levied and collected during  
18 the preceding fiscal year in towns, cities and boroughs. The secretary  
19 shall make such statistics available electronically by posting the  
20 statistics on the Office of Policy and Management's web site and may  
21 cause such statistics to be printed. The statistical compilation prepared  
22 in accordance with this section shall be in addition to any other report  
23 the secretary is required to make by law. The secretary may also  
24 publish, or make available electronically by posting on said office's  
25 web site, other information to assist the public in understanding the  
26 methods and manner of the assessment and taxation of property.

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2004</i>

***Statement of Purpose:***

To allow, instead of require, property tax statistics to be printed, and require that such statistics be made available electronically on the Office of Policy and Management's web site.