



General Assembly

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LCO No. 3983



Referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS

Introduced by:
(APP)

AN ACT CONCERNING FULLY FUNDING PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES TO MUNICIPALITIES.

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) (a) There is established a task force
2 to study the state's practice of making payments in lieu of taxes to
3 municipalities. The task force shall examine (1) the payments in lieu of
4 taxes made by the state to municipalities during the biennium ending
5 June 30, 2023, (2) the current methodology for making such payments,
6 and (3) the potential costs for the state to fully fund the program for
7 payments in lieu of taxes.

8 (b) The task force shall consist of the following members:

9 (1) Two appointed by the speaker of the House of Representatives;

10 (2) Two appointed by the president pro tempore of the Senate;

11 (3) One appointed by the majority leader of the House of
12 Representatives;

13 (4) One appointed by the majority leader of the Senate;

14 (5) One appointed by the minority leader of the House of
15 Representatives;

16 (6) One appointed by the minority leader of the Senate; and

17 (7) The Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management.

18 (c) Any member of the task force appointed under subdivision (1),
19 (2), (3), (4), (5) or (6) of subsection (b) of this section may be a member
20 of the General Assembly.

21 (d) All initial appointments to the task force shall be made not later
22 than thirty days after the effective date of this section. Any vacancy shall
23 be filled by the appointing authority.

24 (e) The speaker of the House of Representatives and the president pro
25 tempore of the Senate shall select the chairpersons of the task force from
26 among the members of the task force. Such chairpersons shall schedule
27 the first meeting of the task force, which shall be held not later than sixty
28 days after the effective date of this section.

29 (f) The administrative staff of the joint standing committee of the
30 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
31 appropriations and the budgets of state agencies shall serve as
32 administrative staff of the task force.

33 (g) Not later than January 1, 2024, the task force shall submit a report
34 on its findings and recommendations to the joint standing committee of
35 the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
36 appropriations and the budgets of state agencies, in accordance with the
37 provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes. The task force shall
38 terminate on the date that it submits such report or January 1, 2024,
39 whichever is later.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
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Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To study the potential for the state to fully fund the PILOT program.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]