House File 645

H-1397 1 Amend the Senate amendment, H-1387, to House File 2 645, as passed by the House, as follows: 3 1. Page 1, after line 4 by inserting: . NEW SECTION. 404.2A New development <Sec. 4 5 revitalization areas — local taxing authority approval. 1. If the revitalization area is a new development 6 7 revitalization area, a tax exemption schedule 8 authorized under this chapter for which the exemption 9 period begins on or after July 1, 2015, shall not take 10 effect until the governing body of each local taxing 11 authority authorized to certify a levy on property 12 located within the area comprising the revitalization 13 area has adopted a resolution authorizing the tax 14 exemption schedule. For the purposes of this subsection, "new 15 2. 16 development revitalization area " means a revitalization 17 area that meets all of the following conditions: 18 a. Is designated in whole or in part under section 19 404.1, subsection 5, or is comprised of property in 20 which less than fifty percent of the property meets 21 the description of conditions under section 404.1, 22 subsections 1 and 2. 23 Provides or proposes an exemption under this b. 24 chapter from taxation on value added by improvements to 25 single-family residential property. 26 C. Is either established by a city and covers 27 at least eighty percent of the area within the city 28 limits or is established by a county and covers at 29 least eighty percent of the unincorporated area of the 30 county.> 31 2. Page 5, line 37, after <credits> by inserting 32 <and urban revitalization areas> 3. By renumbering as necessary. 33

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