

Senate Study Bill 1075

Bill Text

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1 1 Section 1. Section 347.7, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code
1 2 2001, is amended to read as follows:
1 3 If a county hospital is established, the board of
1 4 supervisors, at the time of levying ordinary taxes, shall levy
1 5 a tax at the rate voted not to exceed fifty-four cents per
1 6 thousand dollars of assessed value in any one year for the
1 7 erection and equipment of the hospital, and also a tax not to
1 8 exceed twenty-seven cents per thousand dollars of value for
1 9 the improvement, maintenance, and replacements of the
1 10 hospital, as certified by the board of hospital trustees.
1 11 However, in counties having a population of two hundred
1 12 twenty-five thousand or over, the levy for taxes payable in
1 13 the fiscal year beginning July 1,

~~1996~~

- 2001, and for

1 14 subsequent fiscal years, for improvements and maintenance of
1 15 the hospital shall not exceed

~~one dollar~~

- two dollars and

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~~seventy five~~

- five cents per thousand dollars of assessed value

1 17 in any one year. The proceeds of the taxes constitute the
1 18 county public hospital fund and the fund is subject to review
1 19 by the board of supervisors in counties

~~over~~

- having a

1 20 population of two hundred twenty-five thousand or over.

1 21 However, the board of trustees of a county hospital, where
1 22 funds are available in the county public hospital fund of the
1 23 county which are unappropriated, may use the unappropriated
1 24 funds for erecting and equipping hospital buildings and
1 25 additions

~~thereto~~

- to the hospital buildings without authority

1 26 from the voters of the county.

1 27 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of
1 28 immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

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EXPLANATION

1 30 This bill increases the maximum property tax levy for the
1 31 county hospital fund in counties having a population of
1 32 225,000 or more from \$1.75 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation of
1 33 taxable property to \$2.05 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation of
1 34 taxable property. The revenue may be used for the improvement
1 35 and maintenance of the county hospital. The tax levy increase
2 1 applies to taxes payable in the fiscal year beginning July 1,
2 2 2001, and subsequent fiscal years.

2 3 The bill takes effect upon enactment.

2 4 LSB 1982SC 79

