

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6493



Referred to Committee on HOUSING

Introduced by: REP. ROCHELLE, 104th Dist. REP. BUMGARDNER, 41st Dist.

AN ACT REQUIRING OWNERS OF SHORT-TERM RENTALS TO REGISTER IN A STATE-WIDE REGISTRY AND PAY A TAX ON UNITS THAT ARE NOT OWNER-OCCUPIED.

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

1 That the general statutes be amended to require (1) the Department 2 of Revenue Services to establish a state-wide registry of short-term 3 rentals in the state, and (2) the owner of a short-term rental unit to 4 register with such registry and pay a tax on any such unit that is not 5 owner-occupied, provided the revenue from such tax be distributed as 6 follows: Fifty per cent to municipalities, twenty-five per cent to the state 7 to be provided to community action agencies for housing support 8 initiatives and twenty-five per cent to the Time to Own program.

Statement of Purpose:

To require the owner of a short-term rental unit to register in a statewide registry and pay a tax on such units that are not owner-occupied.