



General Assembly

Amendment

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Offered by:
REP. HOWARD, 43rd Dist.

To: House Bill No. 7287

File No.

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**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE BUDGET FOR THE BIENNIUM
ENDING JUNE 30, 2027, AND MAKING APPROPRIATIONS
THEREFOR, AND PROVISIONS RELATED TO REVENUE AND
OTHER ITEMS IMPLEMENTING THE STATE BUDGET."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (*Effective from passage*) The Secretary of the Office of Policy
4 and Management shall conduct a study to review existing mandates on
5 municipalities and property tax exemptions. Such study shall include a
6 comprehensive examination of (1) all such mandates and tax
7 exemptions, (2) the challenges, considerations and practicality of
8 enacting a moratorium on new mandates and tax exemptions, (3) ways
9 for the fiscal note for bills before the General Assembly to reflect more
10 comprehensively the municipal impact of such bills, and (4) the
11 challenges, considerations and practicality of adopting a requirement
12 for the legislative Office of Fiscal Analysis to use real-time data for more
13 accurate fiscal notes. The secretary shall solicit input from an
14 organization in the state that represents small towns, an organization in

15 the state that represents municipalities, an organization in the state that
16 represents municipal assessors and a regional council of governments.
17 Not later than June 30, 2026, the secretary shall submit a report to the
18 General Assembly, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of
19 the general statutes, of the results of such study."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>from passage</i>	New section