

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative(s) Seiler offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

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5 Between line(s) 2403 and 2404, insert:

6 Section 43. Subsection (3) of section 218.245, Florida
7 Statutes, is amended to read:

8 218.245 Revenue sharing; apportionment.--

9 (3) Revenues attributed to the increase in distribution
10 to the Revenue Sharing Trust Fund for Municipalities pursuant to
11 s. 212.20(6)(d)6. from 1.0715 percent to 1.3409 percent provided
12 in chapter 2003-402, Laws of Florida, shall be distributed to
13 each eligible municipality and any unit of local government
14 which is consolidated as provided by s. 9, Art. VIII of the
15 State Constitution of 1885, as preserved by s. 6(e), Art. VIII,

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16 1968 revised constitution, as follows: each eligible local
 17 government's allocation shall be based on the amount it received
 18 from the half-cent sales tax under s. 218.61 in the prior state
 19 fiscal year divided by the total receipts under s. 218.61 in the
 20 prior state fiscal year for all eligible local governments;
 21 provided, however, for the purpose of calculating this
 22 distribution, the amount received from the half-cent sales tax
 23 under s. 218.61 in the prior state fiscal year by a unit of
 24 local government which is consolidated as provided by s. 9, Art.
 25 VIII of the State Constitution of 1885, as amended, and as
 26 preserved by s. 6(e), Art. VIII, of the Constitution as revised
 27 in 1968, shall be reduced by 50 percent for such local
 28 government and for the total receipts. For eligible
 29 municipalities that began participating in the allocation of
 30 half-cent sales tax under s. 218.61 in the previous state fiscal
 31 year, their annual receipts shall be calculated by dividing
 32 their actual receipts by the number of months they participated,
 33 and the result multiplied by 12.

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36 Between line(s) 246 and 247, insert:
 37 amending s. 218.245, F.S.; revising the requirements for
 38 revenue sharing with respect to certain local governments;
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