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AMENDMENTS TO LB123

Introduced by Sanders, 45.

- 1 1. Insert the following new section:
- 2 Sec. 2. Section 13-3407, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
- 3 2024, is amended to read:
- 4 13-3407 (1) The auditor shall prepare forms to be used by political
- 5 subdivisions for the purpose of calculating property tax request
- 6 authority and unused property tax request authority. Each political
- 7 subdivision shall calculate such amounts and submit the forms to the
- 8 auditor on or before September 30, 2025, and on or before September 30 of
- 9 each year thereafter. If a political subdivision fails to submit such
- 10 forms to the auditor or if the auditor determines from such forms that a
- 11 political subdivision is not complying with the limits provided in the
- 12 Property Tax Growth Limitation Act, the auditor shall notify the
- 13 political subdivision and the State Treasurer of the noncompliance.
- 14 (2)(a) Upon receiving notice from the auditor, the The State
- 15 Treasurer shall then suspend distribution of state aid allocated to the
- 16 political subdivision until the political subdivision complies. The funds
- 17 shall be held for six months. If the political subdivision complies
- 18 within the six-month period, it shall receive the suspended funds. If the
- 19 political subdivision fails to comply within the six-month period, the
- 20 suspended funds shall be forfeited and shall be (i) redistributed to
- 21 other recipients of the state aid in the county where such noncompliant
- 22 political subdivision is located or returned to the Highway Allocation
- 23 Fund if there is no eligible recipient or (ii) τ in the case of a
- 24 homestead exemption reimbursement, returned to the General Fund.
- 25 (b) The political subdivision shall continue to forfeit state aid
- 26 until the political subdivision reaches compliance and the State
- 27 Treasurer has received notification of such compliance from the auditor.

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1 All state aid that was forfeited shall remain forfeited and redistributed

- 2 <u>according to subdivision (a)(i) of this subsection.</u>
- 3 (3) If any political subdivision fails to reach compliance within
- 4 <u>twelve months after the time of the order and notice of delinquency given</u>
- 5 by the auditor to the State Treasurer, such political subdivision shall
- 6 be ineligible for future distributions of state aid. Upon reaching
- 7 compliance, the political subdivision shall be eligible for future
- 8 <u>distributions of state aid.</u>
- 9 2. Renumber the remaining sections and correct the repealer
- 10 accordingly.