



January 27, 2015

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## HOUSE BILL No. 1263

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DIGEST OF HB 1263 (Updated January 22, 2015 10:13 am - DI 75)

**Citations Affected:** IC 23-14.

**Synopsis:** Township trustee sale of cemetery plots. Provides that if a township trustee is maintaining a cemetery that dates back at least to 1939, has no maintenance funds of its own, and is operated by a nonprofit organization or not managed by any viable organization, the township trustee may sell plots in the cemetery that are not known to be owned by any plot owner. Requires that the proceeds from the sale be deposited in the township's fund for maintenance of cemeteries, if the township has such a fund, or in the township fund of the township.

**Effective:** July 1, 2015.

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January 13, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on Local Government.  
January 26, 2015, amended, reported — Do Pass.

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First Regular Session of the 119th General Assembly (2015)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2014 Regular Session and 2014 Second Regular Technical Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning business and other associations.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1 SECTION 1. IC 23-14-68-6 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE  
2 AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY  
3 1, 2015]: **Sec. 6. (a) A township trustee who is maintaining a**  
4 **cemetery under section 2 of this chapter may sell plots (as defined**  
5 **in IC 23-14-33-25) within the cemetery that are not known to be**  
6 **owned by any plot owner (as defined in IC 23-14-33-26) for use in**  
7 **the interment, entombment, or inurnment of human remains.**  
8 **(b) Proceeds from the sale of a plot under subsection (a) shall**  
9 **be:**  
10 **(1) deposited in the fund for maintenance of cemeteries, if the**  
11 **township has established such a fund under section 4(b) of this**  
12 **chapter; or**  
13 **(2) deposited in the township fund of the township, if the**  
14 **township has not established a fund for maintenance of**  
15 **cemeteries.**

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