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## SENATE BILL No. 67

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DIGEST OF SB 67 (Updated February 1, 2018 11:17 am - DI 132)

**Citations Affected:** IC 36-8.

**Synopsis:** Funding of 911 call centers. Provides that, after June 30, 2018, a county that contains more than one public safety answering point (PSAP) shall distribute funds to each PSAP in the county on a proportional basis according to the call volume received by each PSAP in the county during the immediately preceding calendar year. Provides that, in determining the amount to be distributed to each PSAP, the county may use the call data and statistics reported to the statewide 911 board (board) annually by the county's PSAPs. Requires the board to provide the relevant data and statistics to the county not later than 14 days after receiving the data and statistics from each of the county's PSAPs. Provides that the proportional funding distribution does not apply to a county that contains more than one PSAP and all PSAPs in the county if all entities have entered into an interlocal agreement (regardless of whether the agreement is entered into before July 1, 2018, or after June 30, 2018) that provides for a funding distribution that is different from the proportional funding distribution.

**Effective:** Upon passage.

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January 3, 2018, read first time and referred to Committee on Commerce and Technology.  
February 1, 2018, amended, reported favorably — Do Pass.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 36-8-16.7-37, AS AMENDED BY P.L.157-2015,  
2 SECTION 11, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
3 UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 37. (a) Subject to subsection (b), the board  
4 shall administer the fund in the following manner:  
5 (1) In each state fiscal year, the board may retain the lesser of:  
6 (A) ten percent (10%) of the statewide 911 fees deposited in  
7 the fund in the previous state fiscal year; or  
8 (B) the amount of fees deposited in the fund in the previous  
9 state fiscal year that would provide for the operating expenses  
10 of the statewide 911 system during the state fiscal year for  
11 which the fees are retained;  
12 to pay the board's expenses in administering this chapter and to  
13 develop, operate, and maintain a statewide 911 system. The board  
14 may decrease the amount of fees retained by the board under this  
15 subdivision.  
16 (2) After retaining the amount set forth in subdivision (1), the  
17 board shall distribute to the counties the remainder of the

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1 statewide 911 fees in the fund. With respect to any state fiscal  
2 year beginning after June 30, 2015, the board shall first ensure a  
3 distribution to each county in an amount that is equal to the total  
4 amount of statewide 911 fees distributed to the county during the  
5 fiscal year ending June 30, 2014.

6 (3) If any statewide 911 fees remain in the fund after the  
7 distributions ensured under subdivision (2), the board shall  
8 distribute the fees as follows:

9 (A) Ninety percent (90%) of the fees shall be distributed to the  
10 counties based upon each county's percentage of the state's  
11 population.

12 (B) Ten percent (10%) of the fees shall be distributed equally  
13 among the counties.

14 (b) The board may not distribute money in the fund in a manner that  
15 impairs the ability of the board to fulfill its management and  
16 administrative obligations under this chapter.

17 **(c) Except as provided in subsection (d), this subsection applies**  
18 **to a county that contains more than one (1) PSAP. After June 30,**  
19 **2018, a county shall distribute funds received by the county under**  
20 **subsection (a) to each PSAP in the county on a proportional basis**  
21 **according to the call volume received by each PSAP in the county**  
22 **during the immediately preceding calendar year. In determining**  
23 **the amount to be distributed to each PSAP in the county under this**  
24 **subsection, the county may use the call data and statistics reported**  
25 **to the board by each PSAP in the county under section 38(c)(2) of**  
26 **this chapter. The board shall provide the relevant data and**  
27 **statistics to each county to which this subsection applies not later**  
28 **than fourteen (14) days after receiving the data and statistics from**  
29 **each of the county's PSAPs under section 38(c)(2) of this chapter.**

30 **(d) Subsection (c) does not apply to a county that contains more**  
31 **than one (1) PSAP if the county and all the PSAPs in the county**  
32 **have entered into an interlocal agreement or any other agreement**  
33 **(regardless of whether the agreement is entered into before July 1,**  
34 **2018, or after June 30, 2018) that provides for a funding**  
35 **distribution that is different from the distribution specified in**  
36 **subsection (c).**

37 SECTION 2. An emergency is declared for this act.



## COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Commerce and Technology, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 67, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

Page 2, line 17, delete "This" and insert "**Except as provided in subsection (d), this**".

Page 2, between lines 29 and 30, begin a new paragraph and insert:

**"(d) Subsection (c) does not apply to a county that contains more than one (1) PSAP if the county and all the PSAPs in the county have entered into an interlocal agreement or any other agreement (regardless of whether the agreement is entered into before July 1, 2018, or after June 30, 2018) that provides for a funding distribution that is different from the distribution specified in subsection (c)."**

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to SB 67 as introduced.)

MESSMER, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0.

