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#### STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

#### IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### **JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2010**

#### AN ACT

#### RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- STATE AID

Introduced By: Representatives Carnevale, Almeida, Diaz, Wasylyk, and Slater

Date Introduced: February 04, 2010

Referred To: House Finance

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 45-13 of the General Laws entitled "State Aid" is hereby amended

by adding thereto the following section:

3 <u>45-13-5.3. Municipal services pro rata reimbursement. – Notwithstanding any general</u>

4 or public law to the contrary, any municipality shall be authorized to charge institutions included

5 in section 45-13-5.1 for public safety services on a pro rata basis according to assessed property

value serviced. The tax collector is hereby authorized to provide whatever formulas and resources 6

are necessary to carry out the purposes of this chapter and any municipality in this state is hereby

8 authorized to seek reimbursement according to this section.

9 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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# **EXPLANATION**

# BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OF

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1 This act would permit municipalities to seek reimbursement for emergency services 2 based on a pro rata basis according to property value serviced. 3 This act would take effect upon passage.

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