

HOUSE BILL No. 1215

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 36-8-11-26.

Synopsis: Fire protection districts. Allows a fire protection district to purchase (with the approval of the county council) firefighting apparatus and equipment for the district on an installment conditional sale or mortgage contract running for a period not exceeding 15 years. (Under current law, the 15 year duration for such a contract applies only to a fire protection district with assessed value of \$60,000,000 or less.)

Effective: July 1, 2013.

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January 10, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Local Government.

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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 2012 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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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 36-8-11-26 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
- 2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 26. After a sufficient
- 3 appropriation for the purchase of firefighting apparatus and equipment,
- 4 including housing, is made and is available, the district's fiscal officer,
- 5 with the approval of the board and the county fiscal body, may
- 6 purchase the firefighting apparatus and equipment for the district on an
- 7 installment conditional sale or mortgage contract running for a period
- 8 not exceeding **fifteen (15) years**.
- 9 ~~(1) six (6) years; or~~
- 10 ~~(2) fifteen (15) years for a district that:~~
- 11 ~~(A) has a total assessed value of sixty million dollars~~
- 12 ~~(\$60,000,000) or less; as determined by the department of local~~
- 13 ~~government finance; and~~
- 14 ~~(B) is purchasing the fire fighting equipment with funding from~~
- 15 ~~the:~~
- 16 ~~(i) state or its instrumentalities; or~~
- 17 ~~(ii) federal government or its instrumentalities.~~



- 1 The purchase shall be amortized in equal or approximately equal
- 2 installments payable on January 1 and July 1 each year.

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