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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2015

AN ACT

RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- BUDGET COMMISSIONS

<u>Introduced By:</u> Representatives McLaughlin, MacBeth, Marcello, Malik, and Casey

Date Introduced: February 25, 2015

Referred To: House Finance

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- SECTION 1. Chapter 45-9 of the General Laws entitled "Budget Commissions" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:
- 3 <u>45-9-24. Reimbursement of receivership costs. The state shall reimburse a city, town</u>
 4 or fire district twenty percent (20%) of the total costs incurred by the city, town or fire district in
- 5 connection with the appointment of a receiver pursuant to this chapter. Such reimbursement shall
- 6 <u>be applied both prospectively and retroactively to costs incurred on or after July 1, 2010 and shall</u>
- 7 <u>be applied retroactively to July 1, 2010.</u>
- 8 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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1 This act would require the state to reimburse cities, towns and fire districts for twenty 2 percent (20%) of the costs incurred in connection with the appointment of a receiver for such city, 3 town or fire district. The act would be applied retroactively to costs incurred on or after July 1, 4 2010 and would be applied retroactively to July 1, 2010. This act would take effect upon passage. 5 LC000697