HOUSE BILL 111

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AN ACT

RELATING TO TAXATION; PROVIDING FOR A MUNICIPAL INCOME TAX
DISTRIBUTION; PROVIDING FOR ADJUSTMENTS OF DISTRIBUTIONS TO
MUNICIPALITIES; REQUIRING AN ANNUAL REPORT TO THE REVENUE
STABILIZATION AND TAX POLICY COMMITTEE REGARDING MUNICIPAL
INCOME TAX AND GROSS RECEIPTS TAX DISTRIBUTIONS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. Section 7-1-6.4 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1983, Chapter 211, Section 9, as amended) is amended to read:

"7-1-6.4. DISTRIBUTION--MUNICIPALITY FROM GROSS RECEIPTS
TAX.--

A. Except as provided in Subsection B of this section, a distribution pursuant to Section 7-1-6.1 NMSA 1978 shall be made to each municipality in an amount, subject to any increase or decrease made pursuant to Section 7-1-6.15 NMSA .170750.1

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1978, equal to the product of the quotient of one [and two hundred twenty-five thousandths] percent divided by the tax rate imposed by Section 7-9-4 NMSA 1978 multiplied by the net receipts for the month attributable to the gross receipts tax from business locations:

- within that municipality;
- (2) on land owned by the state, commonly known as the "state fairgrounds", within the exterior boundaries of that municipality;
- outside the boundaries of any municipality on land owned by that municipality; and
- on an Indian reservation or pueblo grant in an area that is contiguous to that municipality and in which the municipality performs services pursuant to a contract between the municipality and the Indian tribe or Indian pueblo if:
- the contract describes an area in which the municipality is required to perform services and requires the municipality to perform services that are substantially the same as the services the municipality performs for itself; and
- the governing body of the (b) municipality has submitted a copy of the contract to the secretary.
- If the reduction made by Laws 1991, Chapter 9, .170750.1

Section 9 to the distribution under this section impairs the ability of a municipality to meet its principal or interest payment obligations for revenue bonds outstanding prior to July 1, 1991 that are secured by the pledge of all or part of the municipality's revenue from the distribution made under this section, then the amount distributed pursuant to this section to that municipality shall be increased by an amount sufficient to meet any required payment, provided that the distribution amount does not exceed the amount that would have been due that municipality under this section as it was in effect on June 30, 1992.

- C. A distribution pursuant to this section may be adjusted for a distribution made to a tax increment development district with respect to a portion of a gross receipts tax increment dedicated by a municipality pursuant to the Tax Increment for Development Act.
- D. If the reduction made by this 2008 act in the distribution pursuant to Subsection A of this section impairs the ability of a municipality to meet its principal or interest payment obligations for revenue bonds outstanding prior to

 January 1, 2009 that are secured by the pledge of all or part of the municipality's revenue from the distribution made under this section, the municipality may pledge any amount of the distribution pursuant to Section 7-1-6.59 NMSA 1978 to meet any required payment."

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Section 2. Section 7-1-6.46 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 2004, Chapter 116, Section 1, as amended) is amended to read:

"7-1-6.46. DISTRIBUTION TO MUNICIPALITIES--OFFSET FOR FOOD DEDUCTION AND HEALTH CARE PRACTITIONER SERVICES

DEDUCTION.--

A. A distribution pursuant to Section 7-1-6.1 NMSA 1978 shall be made to a municipality in an amount, subject to any increase or decrease made pursuant to Section 7-1-6.15 NMSA 1978, equal to the sum of:

(1) for a municipality having a population of less than ten thousand according to the most recent federal decennial census and having per capita taxable gross receipts for the previous calendar year that are less than the average per capita taxable gross receipts for all municipalities for that same calendar year:

pursuant to Section 7-9-92 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from business locations attributable to the municipality multiplied by the sum of the combined rate of all municipal local option gross receipts taxes in effect in the municipality for the month plus one [and two hundred twenty-five thousandths] percent plus an additional two hundred twenty-five thousandths percent if a distribution is made to the municipality pursuant to Subsection A of Section 7-1-6.59 NMSA 1978; and

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-	(b) the total deductions claimed
2	pursuant to Section 7-9-93 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers
3	from business locations attributable to the municipality
4	multiplied by the sum of the combined rate of all municipal
5	local option gross receipts taxes in effect in the municipality
6	for the month plus one [and two hundred twenty-five
7	thousandths] percent plus an additional two hundred twenty-five
8	thousandths percent if a distribution is made to the
9	municipality pursuant to Subsection A of Section 7-1-6.59 NMSA
10	<u>1978</u> ; or
11	(2) for a municipality not described in
12	Paragraph (1) of this subsection:
13	(a) the total deductions claimed
14	pursuant to Section 7-9-92 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers
15	from business locations attributable to the municipality
16	multiplied by the sum of the combined rate of all municipal
17	local option gross receipts taxes in effect in the municipality
18	on January 1, 2007 plus one [and two hundred twenty-five
19	thousandths] percent plus an additional two hundred twenty-five
20	thousandths percent if a distribution is made to the
21	municipality pursuant to Subsection A of Section 7-1-6.59 NMSA
22	<u>1978</u> ; and
23	(b) the total deductions claimed
24	pursuant to Section 7-9-93 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers
25	from business locations attributable to the municipality

multiplied by the sum of the combined rate of all municipal local option gross receipts taxes in effect in the municipality on January 1, 2007 plus one [and two hundred twenty-five thousandths] percent plus an additional two hundred twenty-five thousandths percent if a distribution is made to the municipality pursuant to Subsection A of Section 7-1-6.59 NMSA 1978.

- B. The distribution pursuant to Subsection A of this section is in lieu of revenue that would have been received by the municipality but for the deductions provided by Sections 7-9-92 and 7-9-93 NMSA 1978. The distribution shall be considered gross receipts tax revenue and shall be used by the municipality in the same manner as gross receipts tax revenue, including payment of gross receipts tax revenue bonds.
- C. For the purposes of this section, "business locations attributable to the municipality" means business locations:
 - (1) within the municipality;
- (2) on land owned by the state, commonly known as the "state fairgrounds", within the exterior boundaries of the municipality;
- (3) outside the boundaries of the municipality on land owned by the municipality; and
- (4) on an Indian reservation or pueblo grant in an area that is contiguous to the municipality and in which .170750.1

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the municipality performs services pursuant to a contract between the municipality and the Indian tribe or Indian pueblo if:

(a) the contract describes an area in which the municipality is required to perform services and requires the municipality to perform services that are substantially the same as the services the municipality performs for itself; and

(b) the governing body of the municipality has submitted a copy of the contract to the secretary.

A distribution pursuant to this section may be adjusted for a distribution made to a tax increment development district with respect to a portion of a gross receipts tax increment dedicated by a municipality pursuant to the Tax Increment for Development Act."

Section 3. A new section of the Tax Administration Act, Section 7-1-6.59 NMSA 1978, is enacted to read:

"7-1-6.59. [NEW MATERIAL] DISTRIBUTION TO MUNICIPALITIES--INCOME TAX.--In addition to any other distribution made to each municipality pursuant to the Tax Administration Act, a distribution pursuant to Section 7-1-6.1 NMSA 1978 shall be made to each municipality in an amount equal to the greater of:

A. the amount, subject to any increase or decrease made pursuant to Section 7-1-6.15 NMSA 1978, equal to the .170750.1

product of the quotient of two hundred twenty-five thousandths percent divided by the tax rate imposed by Section 7-9-4 NMSA 1978 multiplied by the net receipts for the month attributable to the gross receipts tax from business locations:

- (1) within that municipality;
- (2) on land owned by the state, commonly known as the "state fairgrounds", within the exterior boundaries of that municipality;
- (3) outside the boundaries of any municipality on land owned by that municipality; and
- (4) on an Indian reservation or pueblo grant in an area that is contiguous to that municipality and in which the municipality performs services pursuant to a contract between the municipality and the Indian tribe or Indian pueblo if:
- (a) the contract describes an area in which the municipality is required to perform services and requires the municipality to perform services that are substantially the same as the services the municipality performs for itself; and
- (b) the governing body of the municipality has submitted a copy of the contract to the secretary; or
- B. one-twelfth of an amount equal to two hundred seventy-five thousandths percent of the adjusted gross income .170750.1

reported pursuant to the Income Tax Act by residents of the municipality for taxable years beginning on or after January 1 in the taxable year two years prior to the calendar year in which the distribution is being made; provided that "adjusted gross income reported" does not include adjusted gross income reported on returns filed after October 15 of the calendar year following that taxable year."

Section 4. [NEW MATERIAL] REPORT TO REVENUE STABILIZATION AND TAX POLICY COMMITTEE.—The secretary of taxation and revenue, the secretary of finance and administration and the executive director of the New Mexico municipal league shall report annually to the revenue stabilization and tax policy committee the distributions made in the most recent fiscal year or calendar year to the municipalities pursuant to Sections 7-1-6.4 and 7-1-6.59 NMSA 1978 and any recommendations for changes in the distribution formulas or revenue sources.

Section 5. TEMPORARY PROVISION.--For calendar year 2009, the secretary of taxation and revenue shall develop a method of determining as accurately as practicable the site of residence of income tax payers for purposes of determining the distribution to each municipality pursuant to the provisions of Section 7-1-6.59 NMSA 1978.

Section 6. EFFECTIVE DATE.--The effective date of the provisions of this act is January 1, 2009.