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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 153

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 153 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by adding
5 Section 14-27 as follows:

6 (35 ILCS 200/14-27 new)

7 Sec. 14-27. Waiver of homestead exemption by county
8 treasurer. In counties with 3,000,000 or more inhabitants, if a
9 property owner who did not occupy the property as the principal
10 residence as of January 1 of the current tax year notifies the
11 chief county assessment officer of that fact in accordance with
12 Section 15-175 of this Code, and the homestead exemption is not
13 removed as required by Section 15-175, upon request of the
14 taxpayer, the exemption shall be waived by the county
15 treasurer. The county treasurer shall waive the exemption, and
16 the taxpayer shall pay the adjusted amount of tax, provided

1 that the taxpayer makes the request on a form prescribed by the
2 county treasurer prior to the final installment due date
3 specified on the real estate tax bill.

4 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
5 becoming law.".