

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2021 and 2022 SB2297

Introduced 2/26/2021, by Sen. Ann Gillespie

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 200/10-260

Amends the Property Tax Code. Provides that, in determining the fair cash value of a low-income housing project (Section 42 properties), the assessment officer must consider the actual or projected net operating income attributable to the property, capitalized at rates for similarly encumbered Section 42 properties. Provides that the owner or owners of the low-income housing project must certify to the appropriate local assessment officer that the owner or owners qualify for the low-income housing tax credit under Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code for the property.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

HOUSING
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1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by changing

 Section 10-260 as follows:
- 6 (35 ILCS 200/10-260)
- Sec. 10-260. Low-income housing. In determining the fair cash value of property receiving benefits from the Low-Income Housing Tax Credit authorized by Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C. 42, emphasis shall be given to the income approach, except in those circumstances where another method is clearly more appropriate.

In counties with more than 3,000,000 inhabitants, to 13 14 determine the fair cash value of any low-income housing project that qualifies for the Low-Income Housing Tax Credit 15 16 under Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code, in assessing 17 the project, the assessment officer must consider the actual or projected net operating income attributable to the 18 19 property, capitalized at rates for similarly encumbered Section 42 properties. The interest rate to be used in 20 21 developing the capitalization rate shall be one that reflects 22 the prevailing cost of capital for other types of similarly encumbered Section 42 properties in the geographic market in 23

- which the low-income housing project is located.
- 2 Beginning with the taxable year 2022, all low-income
- 3 housing projects that qualify for the low-income housing tax
- 4 credit under Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code shall be
- 5 assessed in accordance with this Section if the owner or
- 6 owners of the low-income housing project certify to the
- 7 appropriate local assessment officer that the owner or owners
- 8 qualify for the low-income housing tax credit under Section 42
- 9 of the Internal Revenue Code for the property.
- 10 (Source: P.A. 91-502, eff. 8-13-99; 92-16, eff. 6-28-01.)