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AN ACT

RELATING TO TAXATION; ELIMINATING THE ANNUAL REDUCTIONS IN THE HOLD HARMLESS DISTRIBUTIONS TO MUNICIPALITIES AND COUNTIES; REDUCING A HOLD HARMLESS DISTRIBUTION TO A MUNICIPALITY OR COUNTY BY THE AMOUNT OF HOLD HARMLESS GROSS RECEIPTS TAX REVENUE TRANSFERRED TO THE MUNICIPALITY OR COUNTY.

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

SECTION 1. 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. For a municipality that has not elected to impose a municipal hold harmless gross receipts tax through an ordinance and that has a population of less than ten thousand .200191.1

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according to the most recent federal decennial census, 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) the total deductions claimed 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; and

(2) the total deductions claimed pursuant to Section 7-9-93 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.

B. For a municipality not described in Subsection A of this section, a distribution pursuant to Section 7-1-6.1 NMSA 1978 shall be made to the 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) the total deductions claimed pursuant to Section 7-9-92 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from .200191.1

2	by the sum of the combined rate of all municipal local option
3	gross receipts taxes in effect in the municipality on January
4	1, 2007 plus one and two hundred twenty-five thousandths
5	percent in the following percentages:
6	(a) prior to July 1, 2015, one hundred
7	percent;
8	(b) on or after July 1, 2015 and prior
9	to July 1, 2016, ninety-four percent;
10	(c) on or after July 1, 2016 and prior
11	to July 1, 2017, eighty-eight percent;
12	(d) on or after July 1, 2017 and prior
13	to July 1, 2018, eighty-two percent;
14	(e) on or after July 1, 2018 and prior
15	to July 1, 2019, seventy-six percent;
16	(f) on or after July 1, 2019 and prior
17	to July 1, 2020, seventy percent;
18	(g) on or after July 1, 2020 and prior
19	to July 1, 2021, sixty-three percent;
20	(h) on or after July 1, 2021 and prior
21	to July 1, 2022, fifty-six percent;
22	(i) on or after July 1, 2022 and prior
23	to July 1, 2023, forty-nine percent;
24	(j) on or after July 1, 2023 and prior
25	to July 1, 2024, forty-two percent;
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business locations attributable to the municipality multiplied

1	(k) on or after July 1, 2024 and prior
2	to July 1, 2025, thirty-five percent;
3	(1) on or after July 1, 2025 and prior
4	to July 1, 2026, twenty-eight percent;
5	(m) on or after July 1, 2026 and prior
6	to July 1, 2027, twenty-one percent;
7	(n) on or after July 1, 2027 and prior
8	to July 1, 2028, fourteen percent; and
9	(o) on or after July 1, 2028 and prior
10	to July 1, 2029, seven percent; and
11	(2) the total deductions claimed pursuant to
12	Section 7-9-93 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from
13	business locations attributable to the municipality multiplied
14	by the sum of the combined rate of all municipal local option
15	gross receipts taxes in effect in the municipality on January
16	1, 2007 plus one and two hundred twenty-five thousandths
17	percent in the following percentages:
18	(a) prior to July 1, 2015, one hundred
19	percent;
20	(b) on or after July 1, 2015 and prior
21	to July 1, 2016, ninety-four percent;
22	(c) on or after July 1, 2016 and prior
23	to July 1, 2017, eighty-eight percent;
24	(d) on or after July 1, 2017 and prior
25	to July 1, 2018, eighty-two percent;
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2	to July 1, 2019, seventy-six percent;
3	(f) on or after July 1, 2019 and prior
4	to July 1, 2020, seventy percent;
5	(g) on or after July 1, 2020 and prior
6	to July 1, 2021, sixty-three percent;
7	(h) on or after July 1, 2021 and prior
8	to July 1, 2022, fifty-six percent;
9	(i) on or after July 1, 2022 and prior
10	to July 1, 2023, forty-nine percent;
11	(j) on or after July 1, 2023 and prior
12	to July 1, 2024, forty-two percent;
13	(k) on or after July 1, 2024 and prior
14	to July 1, 2025, thirty-five percent;
15	(1) on or after July 1, 2025 and prior
16	to July 1, 2026, twenty-eight percent;
17	(m) on or after July 1, 2026 and prior
18	to July 1, 2027, twenty-one percent;
19	(n) on or after July 1, 2027 and prior
20	to July 1, 2028, fourteen percent; and
21	(o) on or after July 1, 2028 and prior
22	to July 1, 2029, seven percent.
23	A. A distribution pursuant to Section 7-1-6.1 NMSA
24	1978 shall be made to a municipality in an amount, subject to
25	any increase or decrease made pursuant to Section 7-1-6.15 NMSA
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(e) on or after July 1, 2018 and prior

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1978, equal to the applicable maximum distribution for the municipality, less the amount of any municipal hold harmless gross receipts tax revenue transferred to the municipality pursuant to Section 7-1-6.12 NMSA 1978.

- B. A distribution made pursuant to the section shall not be less than zero.
- The distribution pursuant to [Subsections A and B-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. [A distribution pursuant to this section to a municipality not described in Subsection A of this section or to a municipality that has imposed a gross receipts tax through an ordinance that does not provide a deduction contained in the Gross Receipts and Compensating Tax Act shall not be made on or after July 1, 2029.
- D. If the reductions made by this 2013 act to the distributions made pursuant to Subsections A and B of this section impair the ability of a municipality to meet its principal or interest payment obligations for revenue bonds that are outstanding prior to July 1, 2013 and that are secured by the pledge of all or part of the municipality's revenue from

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1	the distribution made pursuant to this section, then the amount
2	distributed pursuant to this section to that municipality shall
3	be increased by an amount sufficient to meet the required
4	payment; provided that the total amount distributed to that
5	municipality pursuant to this section does not exceed the
6	amount that would have been due that municipality pursuant to
7	this section as it was in effect on June 30, 2013.
8	D. A distribution pursuant to this section may be
9	adjusted for a distribution made to a tax increment development
10	district with respect to a portion of a gross receipts tax
11	increment dedicated by a municipality pursuant to the Tax
12	Increment for Development Act.
13	E. For the purposes of this section:
14	(1) "business locations attributable to the
15	municipality" means business locations:
16	$[\frac{(1)}{(a)}]$ within the municipality;
17	$[\frac{(2)}{(b)}]$ on land owned by the state,
18	commonly known as the "state fairgrounds", within the exterior
19	boundaries of the municipality;
20	$[\frac{(3)}{(c)}]$ outside the boundaries of the
21	municipality on land owned by the municipality; and
22	[(4)] <u>(d)</u> on an Indian reservation or
23	pueblo grant in an area that is contiguous to the municipality

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and in which the municipality performs services pursuant to a

contract between the municipality and the Indian tribe or

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Indian pueblo if: [(a)] l) 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)] 2) the governing body of the municipality has submitted a copy of the contract to the secretary;

(2) "maximum distribution" means:

(a) for a municipality that has a population of less than ten thousand according to the most recent federal decennial census, the total deductions claimed pursuant to Sections 7-9-92 and 7-9-93 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; and

(b) for a municipality that has a population of ten thousand or more according to the most recent federal decennial census, the total deductions claimed pursuant to Sections 7-9-92 and 7-9-93 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 on January 1, 2007 plus one and two hundred

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"tax revenue" means the net receipts (3) attributable to a municipal hold harmless gross receipts tax.

[F. 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 7-1-6.47 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 2004, SECTION 2. Chapter 116, Section 2, as amended) is amended to read:

DISTRIBUTION TO COUNTIES--OFFSET FOR FOOD "7-1-6.47. DEDUCTION AND HEALTH CARE PRACTITIONER SERVICES DEDUCTION .--

[A. For a county that has not elected to impose a county hold harmless gross receipts tax through an ordinance and that has a population of less than forty-eight thousand according to the most recent federal decennial census, a distribution pursuant to Section 7-1-6.1 NMSA 1978 shall be made to a county 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) the total deductions claimed pursuant to Section 7-9-92 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from business locations within a municipality in the county multiplied by the combined rate of all county local option gross receipts taxes in effect for the month that are imposed .200191.1

throughout the county;

(2) the total deductions claimed pursuant to Section 7-9-92 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from business locations in the county but not within a municipality multiplied by the combined rate of all county local option gross receipts taxes in effect for the month that are imposed in the county area not within a municipality;

(3) the total deductions claimed pursuant to Section 7-9-93 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from business locations within a municipality in the county multiplied by the combined rate of all county local option gross receipts taxes in effect for the month that are imposed throughout the county; and

(4) the total deductions claimed pursuant to Section 7-9-93 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from business locations in the county but not within a municipality multiplied by the combined rate of all county local option gross receipts taxes in effect for the month that are imposed in the county area not within a municipality.

B. For a county not described in Subsection A of this section, a distribution pursuant to Section 7-1-6.1 NMSA 1978 shall be made to the county 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) the total deductions claimed pursuant to .200191.1

2	business locations within a municipality in the county
3	multiplied by the combined rate of all county local option
4	gross receipts taxes in effect on January 1, 2007 that are
5	imposed throughout the county in the following percentages:
6	(a) prior to July 1, 2015, one hundred
7	percent;
8	(b) on or after July 1, 2015 and prior
9	to July 1, 2016, ninety-four percent;
10	(c) on or after July 1, 2016 and prior
11	to July 1, 2017, eighty-eight percent;
12	(d) on or after July 1, 2017 and prior
13	to July 1, 2018, eighty-two percent;
14	(e) on or after July 1, 2018 and prior
15	to July 1, 2019, seventy-six percent;
16	(f) on or after July 1, 2019 and prior
17	to July 1, 2020, seventy percent;
18	(g) on or after July 1, 2020 and prior
19	to July 1, 2021, sixty-three percent;
20	(h) on or after July 1, 2021 and prior
21	to July 1, 2022, fifty-six percent;
22	(i) on or after July 1, 2022 and prior
23	to July 1, 2023, forty-nine percent;
24	(j) on or after July 1, 2023 and prior
25	to July 1, 2024, forty-two percent;
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Section 7-9-92 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from

2	to July 1, 2025, thirty-five percent;
3	(1) on or after July 1, 2025 and prior
4	to July 1, 2026, twenty-eight percent;
5	(m) on or after July 1, 2026 and prior
6	to July 1, 2027, twenty-one percent;
7	(n) on or after July 1, 2027 and prior
8	to July 1, 2028, fourteen percent; and
9	(o) on or after July 1, 2028 and prior
10	to July 1, 2029, seven percent;
11	(2) the total deductions claimed pursuant to
12	Section 7-9-92 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from
13	business locations in the county but not within a municipality
14	multiplied by the combined rate of all county local option
15	gross receipts taxes in effect on January 1, 2007 that are
16	imposed in the county area not within a municipality in the
17	following percentages:
18	(a) prior to July 1, 2015, one hundred
19	percent;
20	(b) on or after July 1, 2015 and prior
21	to July 1, 2016, ninety-four percent;
22	(c) on or after July 1, 2016 and prior
23	to July 1, 2017, eighty-eight percent;
24	(d) on or after July 1, 2017 and prior
25	to July 1, 2018, eighty-two percent;
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(k) on or after July 1, 2024 and prior

1	(e) on or after July 1, 2018 and prior
2	to July 1, 2019, seventy-six percent;
3	(f) on or after July 1, 2019 and prior
4	to July 1, 2020, seventy percent;
5	(g) on or after July 1, 2020 and prior
6	to July 1, 2021, sixty-three percent;
7	(h) on or after July 1, 2021 and prior
8	to July 1, 2022, fifty-six percent;
9	(i) on or after July 1, 2022 and prior
10	to July 1, 2023, forty-nine percent;
11	(j) on or after July 1, 2023 and prior
12	to July 1, 2024, forty-two percent;
13	(k) on or after July 1, 2024 and prior
14	to July 1, 2025, thirty-five percent;
15	(1) on or after July 1, 2025 and prior
16	to July 1, 2026, twenty-eight percent;
17	(m) on or after July 1, 2026 and prior
18	to July 1, 2027, twenty-one percent;
19	(n) on or after July 1, 2027 and prior
20	to July 1, 2028, fourteen percent; and
21	(o) on or after July 1, 2028 and prior
22	to July 1, 2029, seven percent;
23	(3) the total deductions claimed pursuant to
24	Section 7-9-93 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from
25	business locations within a municipality in the county
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2	gross receipts taxes in effect on January 1, 2007 that are
3	imposed throughout the county in the following percentages:
4	(a) prior to July 1, 2015, one hundred
5	percent;
6	(b) on or after July 1, 2015 and prior
7	to July 1, 2016, ninety-four percent;
8	(c) on or after July 1, 2016 and prior
9	to July 1, 2017, eighty-eight percent;
10	(d) on or after July 1, 2017 and prior
11	to July 1, 2018, eighty-two percent;
12	(e) on or after July 1, 2018 and prior
13	to July 1, 2019, seventy-six percent;
14	(f) on or after July 1, 2019 and prior
15	to July 1, 2020, seventy percent;
16	(g) on or after July 1, 2020 and prior
17	to July 1, 2021, sixty-three percent;
18	(h) on or after July 1, 2021 and prior
19	to July 1, 2022, fifty-six percent;
20	(i) on or after July 1, 2022 and prior
21	to July 1, 2023, forty-nine percent;
22	(j) on or after July 1, 2023 and prior
23	to July 1, 2024, forty-two percent;
24	(k) on or after July 1, 2024 and prior
25	to July 1, 2025, thirty-five percent;
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multiplied by the combined rate of all county local option

2	to July 1, 2026, twenty-eight percent;
3	(m) on or after July 1, 2026 and prior
4	to July 1, 2027, twenty-one percent;
5	(n) on or after July 1, 2027 and prior
6	to July 1, 2028, fourteen percent; and
7	(o) on or after July 1, 2028 and prior
8	to July 1, 2029, seven percent; and
9	(4) the total deductions claimed pursuant to
10	Section 7-9-93 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from
11	business locations in the county but not within a municipality
12	multiplied by the combined rate of all county local option
13	gross receipts taxes in effect on January 1, 2007 that are
14	imposed in the county area not within a municipality in the
15	following percentages:
16	(a) prior to July 1, 2015, one hundred
17	percent;
18	(b) on or after July 1, 2015 and prior
19	to July 1, 2016, ninety-four percent;
20	(c) on or after July 1, 2016 and prior
21	to July 1, 2017, eighty-eight percent;
22	(d) on or after July 1, 2017 and prior
23	to July 1, 2018, eighty-two percent;
24	(e) on or after July 1, 2018 and prior
25	to July 1, 2019, seventy-six percent;
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(1) on or after July 1, 2025 and prior

1	(f) on or after July 1, 2019 and prior
2	to July 1, 2020, seventy percent;
3	(g) on or after July 1, 2020 and prior
4	to July 1, 2021, sixty-three percent;
5	(h) on or after July 1, 2021 and prior
6	to July 1, 2022, fifty-six percent;
7	(i) on or after July 1, 2022 and prior
8	to July 1, 2023, forty-nine percent;
9	(j) on or after July 1, 2023 and prior
10	to July 1, 2024, forty-two percent;
11	(k) on or after July 1, 2024 and prior
12	to July 1, 2025, thirty-five percent;
13	(1) on or after July 1, 2025 and prior
14	to July 1, 2026, twenty-eight percent;
15	(m) on or after July 1, 2026 and prior
16	to July 1, 2027, twenty-one percent;
17	(n) on or after July 1, 2027 and prior
18	to July 1, 2028, fourteen percent; and
19	(o) on or after July 1, 2028 and prior
20	to July 1, 2029, seven percent.
21	A. A distribution pursuant to Section 7-1-6.1 NMSA
22	1978 shall be made to a county in an amount, subject to any
23	increase or decrease made pursuant to Section 7-1-6.15 NMSA
24	1978, equal to the applicable maximum distribution for the
25	county, less the amount of any county hold harmless gross
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receipts tax revenue transferred to the county pursuant to Section 7-1-6.13 NMSA 1978.

- B. A distribution made pursuant to this section shall not be less than zero.
- The distribution pursuant to [Subsections A and B-of | this section is in lieu of revenue that would have been received by the county 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 county in the same manner as gross receipts tax revenue, including payment of gross receipts tax revenue bonds. distribution pursuant to this section to a county not described in Subsection A of this section or to a county that has imposed a gross receipts tax through an ordinance that does not provide a deduction contained in the Gross Receipts and Compensating Tax Act shall not be made on or after July 1, 2029.
- D. If the reductions made by this 2013 act to the distributions made pursuant to Subsections A and B of this section impair the ability of a county to meet its principal or interest payment obligations for revenue bonds that are outstanding prior to July 1, 2013 and that are secured by the pledge of all or part of the county's revenue from the distribution made pursuant to this section, then the amount distributed pursuant to this section to that county shall be increased by an amount sufficient to meet the required payment;

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provided that the total amount distributed to that county

pursuant to this section does not exceed the amount that would

have been due that county pursuant to this section as it was in

effect on June 30, 2013.

 E_{ullet}] D_{ullet} 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 county pursuant to the Tax Increment for Development Act.

E. For purposes of this section:

(1) "maximum distribution" means:

(a) for counties that have a population of less than forty-eight thousand according to the most recent federal decennial census, the sum of: 1) the total deductions claimed pursuant to Sections 7-9-92 and 7-9-93 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from business locations within a municipality in the county multiplied by the combined rate of all county local option gross receipts taxes in effect for the month that are imposed throughout the county; and 2) the total deductions claimed pursuant to Sections 7-9-92 and 7-9-93 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from business locations in the county but not within a municipality multiplied by the combined rate of all county local option gross receipts taxes in effect for the month that are imposed in the county area not within a municipality; and

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(b) for countries that have a population	
of forty-eight thousand or more according to the most recent	
federal decennial census, the sum of: 1) the total deductions	
claimed pursuant to Sections 7-9-92 and 7-9-93 NMSA 1978 for	
the month by taxpayers from business locations within a	
municipality in the county multiplied by the combined rate of	
all county local option gross receipts taxes in effect on	
January 1, 2007 that are imposed throughout the county; and 2)	
the total deductions claimed pursuant to Sections 7-9-92 and	
7-9-93 NMSA 1978 for the month by taxpayers from business	
locations in the county but not within a municipality	
multiplied by the combined rate of all county local option	
gross receipts taxes in effect on January 1, 2007 that are	
imposed in the county area not within a municipality; and	
(2) "tax revenue" means the net receipts	
attributable to a county hold harmless gross receipts tax."	
SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE The effective date of the	

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provisions of this act is July 1, 2015.