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PA 198 AMENDMENTS

House Bill 5357
Sponsor: Rep. Robert Brackenridge
Committee: Tax Policy

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 5357 AS INTRODUCED 11-2-95

The bill would amend the plant rehabilitation and industrial development act (Public Act 198 of 1974), under which industrial facilities can obtain property tax abatements, to specify that a local governmental unit can charge an applicant for an industrial facilities exemption certificate an application fee in an amount not to exceed the actual cost of processing the application.

Under the act, if a local legislative body approves an application for an exemption certificate, the local clerk forwards it to the state tax commission. If it is disapproved, the application is returned to the applicant who can then appeal the disapproval to the state tax commission within 10 days after the date of disapproval. The bill would require that the local clerk forward an approved application within 30 days of approval or before October 31, whichever was first. It also would allow an appeal of a disapproved application within 10 days after the disapproval "if the appeal is filed with the commission before October 31."

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