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BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 648
(First Reading File Bill)

On page 2, in line 32, strike “OR”.

On page 3, in line 3, after “COUNTY” insert “; OR”

(4) FOR A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION THAT DOES NOT HAVE A MAYOR, THE BURGESS, CHAIRPERSON, OR PRESIDENT OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNING BODY OR OTHER CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION”.

On page 4, in line 10, strike “, BUT MAY NOT ASSUME” and substitute “AND COORDINATE ACTIVITY IN SUPPORT OF THE RESPONSE, BUT MAY NOT PREEMPT LOCAL”; in line 12, after “(I)” insert “1.”; in line 13, strike “OR” and substitute “AND”; after line 13, insert:

“2. ONE OR MORE OF THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS INVOLVED MAKES A REQUEST FOR STATE-LEVEL AUTHORITY TO COORDINATE OR INTERVENE;”;

in line 14, after “SUBDIVISION” insert “OR SUBDIVISIONS”; in line 15, strike the colon and substitute “ISSUES A REQUEST FROM THE SENIOR ELECTED OFFICIAL FOR THE STATE TO ASSUME AUTHORITY FOR THE EMERGENCY;”; and strike in their entirety lines 16 through 18, inclusive, and substitute:

“(III) EVIDENCE EXISTS THAT THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION IS OVERWHELMED BY THE EMERGENCY; OR

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(IV) THE GOVERNOR OR THE GOVERNOR'S DESIGNEE
DETERMINES THAT ADDITIONAL RESOURCES ARE NECESSARY TO PROTECT THE
PUBLIC INTEREST."