State of South Dakota

SEVENTY-SEVENTH SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2002

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1087

Introduced by: Representatives Peterson (Bill) and Olson (Mel) and Senators Everist and Hutmacher

1	FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise the property tax levies for the general fund of a		
2	school district.		
3	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:		
4	Section 1. That § 10-12-42 be amended to read as follows:		
5	10-12-42. For taxes payable in 2002 2003 and each year thereafter, the levy for the genera		
6	fund of a school district shall be as follows:		
7	(1)	The maximum tax levy shall be thirteen dollars and ninety-three ninety-two cents per	
8		thousand dollars of taxable valuation subject to the limitations on agricultural property	
9		as provided in subdivision (2) of this section, owner-occupied property as provided	
10		for in subdivision (3) of this section, and nonagricultural acreage property as provided	
11		for in subdivision (4) of this section;	
12	(2)	The maximum tax levy on agricultural property for such school district shall be four	
13		dollars and four three cents per thousand dollars of taxable valuation. If the district's	
14		levies are less than the maximum levies as stated in this section, the levies shall	
15		maintain the same proportion to each other as represented in the mathematical	

- 1 relationship at the maximum levies;
- 2 (3) The maximum tax levy for an owner-occupied single-family dwelling as defined in
- § 10-13-40, for such school district may not exceed six dollars and fifty forty-nine
- 4 cents per thousand dollars of taxable valuation. If the district's levies are less than the
- 5 maximum levies as stated in this section, the levies shall maintain the same proportion
- to each other as represented in the mathematical relationship at the maximum levies;
- 7 and
- 8 (4) The maximum tax levy on nonagricultural acreage property as defined in
- 9 § 10-6-33.14, for such school district shall be five dollars and four three cents per
- thousand dollars of taxable valuation. If the district's levies are less than the maximum
- levies as stated in this section, the levies shall maintain the same proportion to each
- other as represented in the mathematical relationship at the maximum levies.
- All levies in this section shall be imposed on valuations where the median level of assessment
- represents eighty-five percent of market value as determined by the Department of Revenue.
- 15 These valuations shall be used for all school funding purposes. If the district has imposed an
- excess levy pursuant to § 10-12-43, the levies shall maintain the same proportion to each other
- 17 as represented in the mathematical relationship at the maximum levies in this section. The school
- 18 district may elect to tax at less than the maximum amounts set forth in this section.
- 19 Section 2. That § 10-12-42.1 be repealed.
- 20 10-12-42.1. Notwithstanding the provisions of § 10-12-42, the levy for taxes payable in 2001
- 21 shall be as follows:
- 22 (1) The maximum tax levy shall be thirteen dollars and ninety-three cents per thousand
- 23 dollars of taxable valuation subject to the limitations on agricultural property as
- 24 provided in subdivision (2) of this section, owner-occupied property as provided for

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1		in subdivision (3) of this section, and nonagricultural acreage property as provided for
2		in subdivision (4) of this section;
3	(2)	The maximum tax levy on agricultural property for such school district shall be three
4		dollars and thirty-three cents per thousand dollars of taxable valuation. If the districts'
5		levies are less than the maximum levies as stated in chapter 10-13, the levies shall
6		maintain the same proportion to each other as represented in the mathematical
7		relationship at the maximum levies;
8	(3)	The maximum tax levy for an owner-occupied single-family dwelling as defined in
9		§ 10-13-40, for such school district may not exceed five dollars and thirty-six cents
10		per thousand dollars of taxable valuation. If the district's levies are less than the
11		maximum levies as stated in chapter 10-13, the levies shall maintain the same
12		proportion to each other as represented in the mathematical relationship at the
13		maximum levies;
14	(4)	The maximum tax levy on nonagricultural acreage property as defined in
15		§ 10-6-33.14, for such school district shall be four dollars and thirty-three cents per
16		thousand dollars of taxable valuation. If the district's levies are less than the maximum
17		levies as stated in chapter 10-13, the levies shall maintain the same proportion to each
18		other as represented in the mathematical relationship at the maximum levies.
19	— All le	vies in this section shall be imposed on valuations where the median level of assessment
20	represent	ts eighty-five percent of market value as determined by the Department of Revenue.
21	These va	duations shall be used for all school funding purposes. If the district has imposed an
22	excess le	vy pursuant to § 10-12-43, the levies shall maintain the same proportion to each other
23	as repres	ented in the mathematical relationship at the maximum levies in this section. The school
24	district n	nay elect to tax at less than the maximum amounts set forth in this section.