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S.B. No. 1057

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT  
2 relating to the authority of certain municipalities and local  
3 government corporations to use certain tax revenue for certain  
4 qualified projects.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

6 SECTION 1. Section [351.1015](#), Tax Code, is amended by  
7 amending Subsection (b) and adding Subsection (j) to read as  
8 follows:

9 (b) This section applies only to a qualified project located  
10 in:

11 (1) a municipality with a population of at least  
12 650,000 but less than 750,000 according to the most recent federal  
13 decennial census; or

14 (2) a municipality with a population of at least two  
15 million.

16 (j) A local government corporation to which this subsection  
17 applies may act as a municipality under this section and is  
18 considered to be a municipality for purposes of this section. With  
19 respect to a local government corporation to which this subsection  
20 applies, the term "qualified project" includes a convention center  
21 facility, a venue, and any related infrastructure. This subsection  
22 applies only to a local government corporation that:

23 (1) is authorized to collect a municipal hotel  
24 occupancy tax;

1           (2) is located in a county with a population of 3.3  
2 million or more; and

3           (3) operates a convention center facility located not  
4 more than three miles from the city hall of the municipality in  
5 which the convention center facility is located.

6           SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.