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S.B. No. 633

Substitute the following for S.B. No. 633:

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to certain event trust funds and the abolishment of the special event trust fund.

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

SECTION 1. Sections 4(i) and (l), Chapter 1507 (S.B. 456), Acts of the 76th Legislature, Regular Session, 1999 (Article 5190.14, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), as amended by Chapters 579 (H.B. 1675) and 814 (S.B. 275), Acts of the 78th Legislature, Regular Session, 2003, are reenacted and amended to read as follows:

(i) The comptroller shall provide an estimate not later than September ~~[December]~~ 1 [~~2003~~] of the year that is eight years before the year in which the games would be held in this state of the total amount of state and municipal tax revenue that would be deposited in the Pan American Games trust fund before January 1 [~~2012~~] of the year following the year in which the games would be held, if the games were to be held in this state at a site selected pursuant to an application by a local organizing committee. The comptroller shall provide the estimate on request to a local organizing committee. A local organizing committee may submit the comptroller's estimate to a site selection organization.

(l) On January 1 [~~2013~~] of the second year following the year in which the games are held in this state, the comptroller shall transfer to the general revenue fund any money remaining in

1 the Pan American Games trust fund, not to exceed the amount of state  
2 revenue remaining in the trust fund, plus any interest earned on  
3 that state revenue. The comptroller shall remit to the endorsing  
4 municipality any money remaining in the trust fund after the  
5 required amount is transferred to the general revenue fund.

6 SECTION 2. Section 5A(a), Chapter 1507 (S.B. 456), Acts of  
7 the 76th Legislature, Regular Session, 1999 (Article 5190.14,  
8 Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), is amended by amending Subdivision  
9 (4) and by amending Subdivision (5), as amended by S.B. 293, Acts of  
10 the 84th Legislature, Regular Session, 2015, to read as follows:

11 (4) "Event" means a Super Bowl, a National Collegiate  
12 Athletic Association Final Four tournament game, the National  
13 Basketball Association All-Star Game, the X Games, the National  
14 Hockey League All-Star Game, the Major League Baseball All-Star  
15 Game, a game of the National Collegiate Athletic Association Bowl  
16 Championship Series or its successor or a National Collegiate  
17 Athletic Association Division I Football Bowl Subdivision  
18 postseason playoff or championship game, the National Collegiate  
19 Athletic Association men's or women's lacrosse championships, a  
20 World Cup Soccer game, the World Cup soccer tournament, the Major  
21 League Soccer All-Star Game, the Major League Soccer Cup, the  
22 Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association National Finals Rodeo, an  
23 Elite Rodeo Association World Championship, the United States Open  
24 Championship, the World Games, a national collegiate championship  
25 of an amateur sport sanctioned by the national governing body of the  
26 sport that is recognized by the United States Olympic Committee, an  
27 Olympic activity, including a Junior or Senior activity, training

1 program, or feeder program sanctioned by the United States Olympic  
2 Committee's Community Olympic Development Program, the Amateur  
3 Athletic Union Junior Olympic Games, a mixed martial arts  
4 championship, the Breeders' Cup World Championships, a Formula One  
5 automobile race, the Moto Grand Prix of the United States, the  
6 Academy of Country Music Awards, the National Cutting Horse  
7 Association Triple Crown, a national political convention of the  
8 Republican National Committee or the Democratic National  
9 Committee, a presidential general election debate, or the largest  
10 event held each year at a sports entertainment venue in this state  
11 with a permanent seating capacity, including grandstand and premium  
12 seating, of not less than 125,000. The term includes any  
13 activities related to or associated with an event.

14 (5) "Site selection organization" means:

15 (A) the National Football League, the National  
16 Collegiate Athletic Association, the National Basketball  
17 Association, ESPN or an affiliate, the National Hockey League,  
18 Major League Baseball, the Federation Internationale de Football  
19 Association (FIFA), the International World Games Association, the  
20 National Association for Stock Car Auto Racing (NASCAR), Dorna  
21 Sports, the Amateur Athletic Union, the Professional Rodeo Cowboys  
22 Association, the Elite Rodeo Association, Major League Soccer, the  
23 United States Golf Association, or the United States Olympic  
24 Committee;

25 (B) the national governing body of a sport that  
26 is recognized by the United States Olympic Committee, the National  
27 Thoroughbred Racing Association, Formula One Management Limited,

- 1 or the Federation Internationale de l'Automobile;
- 2 (C) the Academy of Country Music;
- 3 (D) the National Cutting Horse Association;
- 4 (E) the Republican National Committee or the
- 5 Democratic National Committee; [~~or~~]
- 6 (F) the Ultimate Fighting Championship; or
- 7 (G) the Commission on Presidential Debates.

8 SECTION 3. Section 5A, Chapter 1507 (S.B. 456), Acts of the

9 76th Legislature, Regular Session, 1999 (Article 5190.14, Vernon's

10 Texas Civil Statutes), is amended by adding Subsection (a-3) to

11 read as follows:

12 (a-3) For purposes of Subsection (a-1) of this section, each

13 presidential general election debate in a series of presidential

14 debates before a general election is considered a separate, single

15 event.

16 SECTION 4. Chapter 398, Local Government Code, is repealed.

17 SECTION 5. Notwithstanding the repeal by this Act of

18 Chapter 398, Local Government Code, a special event plan approved

19 under former Chapter 398 of that code before September 1, 2015, is

20 governed by the law as it existed immediately before the effective

21 date of this Act, and that law is continued in effect for that

22 purpose.

23 SECTION 6. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.