

SENATE BILL NO. 206

INTRODUCED BY HIRSCH

IN THE SENATE

JANUARY 24, 1987                   INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE  
ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

FEBRUARY 5, 1987                   COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL  
DO PASS AS AMENDED. REPORT ADOPTED.

FEBRUARY 6, 1987                   PRINTING REPORT.

FEBRUARY 9, 1987                   SECOND READING, DO PASS.

FEBRUARY 10, 1987                  ENGROSSING REPORT.

FEBRUARY 11, 1987                  THIRD READING, PASSED.  
AYES, 46; NOES, 2.

TRANSMITTED TO HOUSE.

IN THE HOUSE

FEBRUARY 18, 1987                  INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE  
ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

MARCH 13, 1987                    COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE  
CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.

MARCH 17, 1987                    SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN.

MARCH 18, 1987                    THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN.  
AYES, 85; NOES, 9.

RETURNED TO SENATE.

IN THE SENATE

MARCH 19, 1987                    RECEIVED FROM HOUSE.

SENT TO ENROLLING.

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