

SENATE BILL NO. 273

INTRODUCED BY STANG, ROSE

IN THE SENATE

JANUARY 28, 1993	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
	FIRST READING.
FEBRUARY 12, 1993	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL DO PASS AS AMENDED. REPORT ADOPTED.
FEBRUARY 13, 1993	PRINTING REPORT.
	SECOND READING, DO PASS.
FEBRUARY 15, 1993	ENGROSSING REPORT.
	THIRD READING, PASSED. AYES, 49; NOES, 0.
	TRANSMITTED TO HOUSE.

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FEBRUARY 23, 1993	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
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MARCH 5, 1993	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.
	POSTED ON CONSENT CALENDAR.
MARCH 6, 1993	CONSENT CALENDAR, QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.
MARCH 8, 1993	THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN. AYES, 98; NOES, 0.
MARCH 10, 1993	RETURNED TO SENATE.

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MARCH 11, 1993	RECEIVED FROM HOUSE.
	SENT TO ENROLLING.

REPORTED CORRECTLY ENROLLED.

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