

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 2243

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE CORNEJO.

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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## AN ACT

To repeal section 71.675, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to municipalities.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Section 71.675, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 71.675, to read as follows:

71.675. [1.] Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, no **county**, city [or], **village**, town, **or other political subdivision** shall [bring] **participate in** any action in federal [or state] court in this state as a representative **or** member of a class to enforce or collect any [business license] tax [imposed on a telecommunications company. A city or town may, individually or as a single plaintiff in a multiple-plaintiff lawsuit, bring an action in federal or state court in this state to enforce or collect any business license tax imposed on a telecommunications company].

[2. Nothing in this section shall be construed to preclude any taxpayer from initiating an action in federal or state court as a representative member of a class seeking injunctive relief against the Missouri department of revenue to enforce the imposition, assessment, or collection of the business license tax provided under sections 92.074 to 92.095.]

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.