# PROPOSED AMENDMENT
## HB 1315 # 3

### DIGEST

Fire protection territories and districts. Provides that a township that participates in a fire protection territory (territory) or fire protection district (district) does not operate a fire department for purposes of the bill. Provides that after a reorganization: (1) the area within the boundaries of the dissolved township remains in the district; and (2) the designated unit succeeds the dissolved township in its role in the territory or district.

1        Page 2, line 38, after "department." insert "**For purposes of this**
2       **clause, a township that is:**
3              **(i) a provider unit or nonprovider unit in a fire**
4              **protection territory; or**
5              **(ii) part of a fire protection district;**
6          **does not operate a fire department.**".
7        Page 3, line 11, after "department." insert "**For purposes of this**
8       **clause, a township that is:**
9              **(i) a provider unit or nonprovider unit in a fire**
10             **protection territory; or**
11             **(ii) part of a fire protection district;**
12         **does not operate a fire department.**".
13      Page 4, between lines 9 and 10, begin a new line block indented and
14    insert:
15       **"(4) If a township participates in a fire protection territory or**
16        **fire protection district, the fire protection territory or fire**
17        **protection district is unaffected by the reorganization and the**
18        **area within the boundaries of the dissolved township remain**
19        **a part of the fire protection territory or fire protection district**
20        **after reorganization. The designated unit succeeds the**
21        **township in the township's role as:**
22           **(A) provider unit or nonprovider unit in the fire protection**
23           **territory; or**
24           **(B) participant in the fire protection district;**
25         **for the area within the boundaries of the dissolved township.**".
26      Page 4, line 10, delete "(4)" and insert "**(5)**".

1    Page 4, line 12, delete "(5)" and insert "**(6)**".
2    Page 4, line 15, delete "(6)" and insert "**(7)**".
3    Page 4, line 18, delete "(7)" and insert "**(8)**".
      (Reference is to HB 1315 as printed January 13, 2026.)