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Mr. President:

The Government Operations and Political Subdivisions Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **H.B. 51**, ELECTRONIC PAYMENTS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENTITIES, by Representative J. Murray, with the following amendments:

1. *Page 2, Lines 29 through 33:*

- 29 (a) "Electronic payment" means the payment of money to a municipality by
electronic
30 means, including by means of a credit card, charge card, debit card, prepaid or
stored value card or similar device, or automatic clearinghouse transaction.
31 (b) "Electronic payment fee" means ~~{an amount of money to defray the~~
~~discount fee;~~
32 ~~processing fee, or other fee charged by a credit card company or processing agent to~~
~~process}~~ a fee charged to the consumer that is uniform across all types of
electronic payments for the convenience of using an
33 electronic payment.

2. *Page 2, Lines 43 through 47:*

- 43 (a) "Electronic payment" means the payment of money to a county by electronic
means,
44 including by means of a credit card, charge card, debit card, prepaid or stored
value card or similar device, or automatic clearinghouse transaction.

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45 (b) "Electronic payment fee" means ~~{an amount of money to defray the discount fee,~~
46 ~~processing fee, or other fee charged by a credit card company or processing agent to process}~~ a
fee charged to the consumer that is uniform across all types of electronic payments for the
convenience of using an
47 electronic payment.

3. Page 2, Line 56 through Page 3, Line 61:

56 (a) "Electronic payment" means the payment of money to an independent special
57 district by electronic means, including by means of a credit card, charge card, debit
card, prepaid or stored value card or similar device, or automatic
58 clearinghouse transaction.

59 (b) "Electronic payment fee" means ~~{an amount of money to defray the~~
~~discount fee,~~
60 ~~processing fee, or other fee charged by a credit card company or processing agent to~~
~~process}~~ a fee charged to the consumer that is uniform across all types of
electronic payments for the convenience of using an
61 electronic payment.

Respectfully,

Parley G. Hellewell
Committee Chair

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