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# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 149th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## HOUSE BILL NO. 377

## AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 9 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO TAXES.

#### BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE:

- Section 1. Amend Chapter 81, Title 9 of the Delaware Code by making deletions as shown by strike through and insertions as shown by underline as follows:
- 3 § 8112. Lodging Tax.
- 4 Any county with a population greater than 500,000 may impose, by duly enacted ordinance, a local lodging tax of
- 5 no more than 3 percent of the rent, in addition to the amount imposed by the State, for any room or rooms in a hotel, motel
- 6 or tourist home, as defined in § 6101 of Title 30, which is located within the unincorporated areas of the County.

#### **SYNOPSIS**

This bill permits a County government to impose and collect a lodging tax of no more than 3 percent on hotel, motel, and tourist home rooms located in the unincorporated areas of the County.

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