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# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

#### IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2020

### AN ACT

#### RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

Introduced By: Senators de la Cruz, Rogers, and Raptakis

Date Introduced: February 04, 2020

<u>Referred To:</u> Senate Finance

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 44-3 of the General Laws entitled "Property Subject to Taxation" is
- 2 hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:
- 3 44-3-66. Fire districts Exemptions for volunteer firefighters.
- 4 Any fire district is hereby authorized, by a majority vote of its members, at its annual
- 5 meeting, to exempt from taxation, a specified dollar amount of real and/or personal property of
- 6 <u>any volunteer firefighter.</u>

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7 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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#### **EXPLANATION**

### BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

### OF

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- 1 This act would authorize fire districts to provide for an exemption, from fire taxes, for
- 2 volunteer firefighters.
- 3 This act would take effect upon passage.

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