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**AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO**

**Senate Bill NO. 2857**

**By Representative(s) Committee**

**Amend by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting  
in lieu thereof the following:**

14        SECTION 1. The State Department of Finance and  
15 Administration shall establish policies that allow the payment of  
16 various fees and other accounts receivable to state agencies by  
17 credit cards, charge cards, debit cards and other forms of  
18 electronic payment in the discretion of the department. Any fees  
19 or charges associated with the use of such electronic payments  
20 shall be assessed to the user of the electronic payment as an  
21 additional charge for processing the electronic payment, so that  
22 the user will pay the full cost of using the electronic payment.

23        SECTION 2. The board of supervisors of any county and the  
24 governing authorities of any municipality may allow the payment of  
25 various taxes, fees and other accounts receivable to the county or  
26 municipality by credit cards, charge cards, debit cards and other  
27 forms of electronic payment, in accordance with policies  
28 established by the State Auditor. Any fees or charges associated  
29 with the use of such electronic payments shall be assessed to the  
30 user of the electronic payment as an additional charge for

31 processing the electronic payment, so that the user will pay the  
32 full cost of using the electronic payment.

33 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from  
34 and after its passage.

**Further, amend by striking the title in its entirety and  
inserting in lieu thereof the following:**

1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE STATE AGENCIES TO ACCEPT CREDIT CARDS,  
2 CHARGE CARDS, DEBIT CARDS AND OTHER ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFERS TO  
3 PAYMENT OF GOVERNMENT FEES, COSTS AND DEBTS PURSUANT TO POLICIES  
4 ADOPTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION; TO  
5 AUTHORIZE COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES TO ACCEPT CREDIT CARDS,  
6 CHARGE CARDS, DEBIT CARDS AND OTHER ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFERS TO  
7 PAYMENT OF GOVERNMENT FEES, COSTS AND DEBTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH  
8 POLICIES ADOPTED BY THE STATE AUDITOR; TO PROVIDE THAT ANY FEES OR  
9 CHARGES ASSOCIATED WITH THE USE OF SUCH ELECTRONIC PAYMENTS SHALL  
10 BE ASSESSED TO THE USER OF THE ELECTRONIC PAYMENT AS AN ADDITIONAL  
11 CHARGE FOR PROCESSING THE ELECTRONIC PAYMENT; AND FOR RELATED  
12 PURPOSES.