

(VII) FUND-RAISING ACTIVITIES;

(VIII) REFINANCING OF ANY DEBT OR OTHER OBLIGATION INCURRED BEFORE JULY 1, 1985;

(IX) REPLACEMENT OR REPAIR OF ELIGIBLE ITEMS TO THE EXTENT THAT INSURANCE PROCEEDS ARE AVAILABLE;

(X) COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE "911" EMERGENCY NUMBER SYSTEM; OR

(XI) LAND OR INTERESTS IN LAND.

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(A) SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTIONS (B) AND (C) OF THIS SECTION, EACH COUNTY SHALL RECEIVE AN INITIAL ALLOCATION OF FUNDS BASED ON A PERCENTAGE TO BE DETERMINED IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER:

(1) THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION SHALL CERTIFY TO THE SECRETARY FOR EACH COUNTY ITS TOTAL PERCENTAGE OF AGRICULTURAL, AGRICULTURAL-RESIDENTIAL, RESIDENTIAL, CONDOMINIUM, APARTMENT, COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, AND EXEMPTED PROPERTY TAX ACCOUNTS, EXCLUDING INCLUDING VACANT UNIMPROVED PROPERTIES, RELATIVE TO THE STATEWIDE TOTAL OF ALL SUCH PROPERTY TAX ACCOUNTS FOR THE FIRST COMPLETED FISCAL YEAR IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE FISCAL YEAR FOR WHICH FUNDS ARE TO BE ALLOCATED.

(2) THE PERCENTAGE DETERMINED IN SUBSECTION (A)(1) OF THIS SECTION SHALL THEN BE APPLIED FOR EACH COUNTY TO ANY AMOUNT INCLUDED IN THE STATE BUDGET FOR THE PURPOSES SET FORTH IN THIS SUBTITLE. HOWEVER, EACH COUNTY SHALL BE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE AN ALLOCATION OF AT LEAST \$75,000 2 PERCENT OF THE TOTAL FUND AS APPROPRIATED IN THE STATE BUDGET.

~~(B) -- SUBJECT TO THE MATCHING AND MAINTENANCE OF EFFORT REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE ALLOCATION OF FUNDS TO EACH COUNTY UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE PAID TO EACH COUNTY AND MUNICIPALITY WITHIN THE COUNTY, IN THE EXACT PROPORTION WHICH THE EXPENDITURES FOR FIRE PROTECTION OF THE COUNTY AND OF THE MUNICIPALITY BEAR TO THE AGGREGATE EXPENDITURES FOR FIRE PROTECTION BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN THAT COUNTY FOR THE FIRST COMPLETED FISCAL YEAR IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE FISCAL YEAR FOR WHICH FUNDS ARE TO BE ALLOCATED.~~

(c) (B) (1) EACH COUNTY AND MUNICIPALITY SHALL DISTRIBUTE THE FUNDS PROVIDED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE TO THOSE FIRE, RESCUE, AND AMBULANCE COMPANIES, DEPARTMENTS, OR STATIONS WITHIN ITS JURISDICTION, INCLUDING COMPANIES, DEPARTMENTS, OR STATIONS LOCATED WITHIN MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS, ON THE BASIS OF NEED AS DETERMINED BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT PURSUANT TO PROCEDURES USED BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN THE ADOPTION OF ITS BUDGET. HOWEVER, DISTRIBUTION TO COMPANIES, DEPARTMENTS, OR STATIONS LOCATED