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# SENATE BILL NO. 559

94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR SHIELDS.

Read 1st time February 21, 2007, and ordered printed.

Read 2nd time February 22, 2007, and referred to the Committee on Economic Development, Tourism and Local Government.

Reported from the Committee March 8, 2007, with recommendation that the bill do pass and be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Taken up March 26, 2007. Read 3rd time and placed upon its final passage; bill passed.

TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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## AN ACT

To repeal section 246.005, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to levee districts, with an emergency clause.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Section 246.005, RSMo, is repealed and one new section  
2 enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 246.005, to read as follows:

246.005. 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any drainage  
2 district, any levee district, or any drainage and levee district organized under the  
3 provisions of sections 242.010 to 242.690, RSMo, or sections 245.010 to 245.280,  
4 RSMo, which has, prior to April 8, 1994, been granted an extension of the time  
5 of corporate existence by the circuit court having jurisdiction, shall be deemed to  
6 have fully complied with all provisions of law relating to such extensions,  
7 including the time within which application for the extension must be made,  
8 unless, for good cause shown, the circuit court shall set aside such extension  
9 within ninety days after April 8, 1994.

10 2. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any drainage district, any  
11 levee district, or any drainage and levee district organized under the provisions  
12 of sections 242.010 to 242.690, RSMo, or sections 245.010 to 245.280, RSMo, shall  
13 have **[five] ten** years after the lapse of the corporate charter in which to reinstate  
14 and extend the time of the corporate existence by the circuit court having

**EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.**

15 jurisdiction, and such circuit court judgment entry and order shall be deemed to  
16 have fully complied with all provisions of law relating to such extensions.

Section B. Because of the need for continued flood protection, section A  
2 of this act is deemed necessary for the immediate preservation of the public  
3 health, welfare, peace and safety, and is hereby declared to be an emergency act  
4 within the meaning of the constitution, and section A of this act shall be in full  
5 force and effect upon its passage and approval.

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