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HB 328 Engrossed

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Abstract: Allows for authorization of an optional local sales and use tax exemption for feminine hygiene products and diapers.

<u>Present constitution</u> provides that the governing authority of any local governmental subdivision or school board may levy and collect a sales and use tax on tangible personal property.

<u>Present law</u> provides for a list of optional local sales and use tax exemptions.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides for authorization of a political subdivision to exempt the sales of feminine hygiene products, diapers, or both from local sales and use tax.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the local sales and use tax exemption must be established by the political subdivision by ordinance or resolution.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the local sales and use tax exemption may be for an amount equal to all or part of the local sales and use tax levied.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides for definitions of feminine hygiene products and diapers.

Proposed law provides the exemption shall apply to taxing periods through Dec. 31, 2021.

(Adds R.S. 47:337.10(P) and 337.10.2)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Ways and Means</u> to the <u>original</u> bill:

1. Add a provision limiting the local option exemption to apply to taxable periods through Dec. 31, 2021.