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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President has signed H. R. 10572, Amending the definition of "city" for tax purposes. This bill amends the definition of the term "city" to permit the withholding of income and employment taxes imposed by certain local jurisdictions from the pay of Federal employees.

Currently, the definition of a city contained in P. L. 93-340 -- which was enacted July 10, 1974, and provides that cities in which over 500 Federal workers are regularly employed may conclude agreements with Treasury to withhold local income and employment taxes from the pay of such employees -- is limited to those political subdivisions which are duly incorporated as a city under the laws of a State.

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