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## Private Acts of 1951 Chapter 500

**SECTION 1.** That in all counties in the State of Tennessee, having a population of not less than Thirty-nine Thousand, Four Hundred (39,400) nor more than Thirty-nine Thousand, Four Hundred and Ten (39,410), according to the Federal Census of 1940 or any subsequent Federal Census, the Quarterly County Court shall have authority to levy taxes for highway purposes of not less than five (.05¢) cents, nor more than Seventy-five (.75¢) cents on each One Hundred (\$100) Dollars worth of property as shown by the assessment made by the County Assessor for such counties.

**SECTION 2.** That this Act shall take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it.

Passed: March 12, 1951.

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