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2 An act relating to approval of an amendment to the charter of the City of  
3 Rutland

4 It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

5 Sec. 1. CHARTER AMENDMENT APPROVAL

6 The General Assembly approves the amendment of the charter of the City  
7 of Rutland as set forth in this act. Voters approved the proposal of amendment  
8 on March 7, 2023.

9 Sec. 2. 24 App. V.S.A. chapter 9 is amended to read:

10 CHAPTER 9. CITY OF RUTLAND

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12 § 8.9. LOCAL OPTION TAX

13 (a) A local option sales tax is authorized under this section for the purpose  
14 of affording the City an alternative method of raising municipal revenues with  
15 the goal of lessening the impact of certain expenses on the property tax or  
16 water and sewer fees, or both.

17 (b) The Board of Aldermen may authorize the assessment of a sales tax of  
18 one percent.

19 (c) Any tax imposed under the authority of this section shall be collected  
20 and administered by the Vermont Department of Taxes pursuant to 24 V.S.A.  
21 § 138.

