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All questions of exemption under T.C.A. § 67-5-212 are subject to review and final determination by the State Board of Equalization. However, any determination by the state board is subject to judicial review by petition of certiorari to the appropriate chancery court. All other provisions of law notwithstanding, no property is entitled to judicial review of its status under T.C.A. § 67-5-201 *et seq.*, except as provided by the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, compiled in Title 4, Chapter 5 of the Code, and only after the exhaustion of administrative remedies as provided in T.C.A. § 67-5-212.¹

¹T.C.A. § 67-5-212(b)(4). See *State ex rel. County of Hamblen v. Knoxville College*, 60 S.W.3d 93 (Tenn.Ct.App. 2001)(college's failure to pursue its statutory remedies during the requisite time periods rendered the Board's decision final, and the Chancery Court was without jurisdiction to entertain the appeal).

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