

1 AN ACT concerning taxes.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,  
3 represented in the General Assembly:

4 Section 5. The Earned Income Tax Credit Information Act  
5 is amended by changing Section 5 as follows:

6 (820 ILCS 170/5) (from Ch. 48, par. 2755)

7 Sec. 5. Declaration of public policy. In order to  
8 alleviate the tax burden of low-income persons in the State  
9 of Illinois who have earned income and support one or more  
10 dependent children, the State of Illinois should facilitate  
11 the furnishing information to such persons about the  
12 availability of the federal earned income tax credit so that  
13 eligible taxpayers may claim that credit on their federal  
14 income tax returns. It is the intent of this Act to offer  
15 the most cost-effective assistance to eligible taxpayers  
16 through notices provided by their employers and by State  
17 government.

18 (Source: P.A. 87-598.)