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PERFUNCTORY SESSION

The Senate met in perfunctory session, pursuant to the directive of the President.
Pursuant to Senate Rule 2-5(c)2, the Secretary of the Senate conducted the perfunctory session.

REPORTS RECEIVED

The Secretary placed before the Senate the following reports:

Personal Information Protection Act FY 2014-2015 Annual Report, submitted by Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

Report of Sole Source Procurement Method for FY 2015, submitted by the Chief Procurement Office, IDOT Construction.

Report of the Illinois Labor Relations Board for January 1, 2015 to June 30, 2015, submitted by the Illinois Labor Relations Board.

Sole Source Procurements Report, Fiscal Year 2015, submitted by the Chief Procurement Office.

Report of Sole Source Procurement Method for the period of July 1, 2014 through June 3, 2015, submitted by the Office of the Attorney General.

Fiscal Year 2015 Report of Sole Source Transactions, submitted by the Chief Procurement Office for General Services, Institutions of Higher Education, and the Capital Development Board.

Illinois Medicaid Redetermination Project Quarterly Report, submitted by the Department of Human Services and the Department of Healthcare and Family Services.

Rural Illinois: New Challenges, New Opportunities, submitted by the Governor's Rural Affairs Council and Western Illinois University.

The foregoing reports were ordered received and placed on file in the Secretary's Office.

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES FILED

The following Floor amendments to the Senate Bills listed below have been filed with the Secretary and referred to the Committee on Assignments:

Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 162
Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 318
Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 318
Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2042

The following Floor amendment to the House Bill listed below has been filed with the Secretary and referred to the Committee on Assignments:

Floor Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 745

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

OFFICE OF THE SENATE PRESIDENT STATE OF ILLINOIS

JOHN J. CULLERTON
SENATE PRESIDENT

327 STATE CAPITOL
SPRINGFIELD, IL 62706

[August 4, 2015]

August 4, 2015

Mr. Tim Anderson
Secretary of the Senate
Room 403 State House
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 2-10, I am scheduling a Perfunctory Session to convene on August 4, 2015.

Sincerely,
s/John J. Cullerton
John J. Cullerton
Senate President

cc: Senate Republican Leader Christine Radogno

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August 4, 2015

Mr. Tim Anderson
Secretary of the Senate
Room 403 State House
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 3-5(c), I hereby appoint Senator William Haine to temporarily replace Senator Kimberly Lightford as a member of the Senate Committee on Assignments. This appointment will expire upon adjournment of the Senate Committee on Assignments.

Sincerely,
s/John J. Cullerton
John J. Cullerton
Senate President

cc: Senate Republican Leader Christine Radogno

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August 4, 2015

Mr. Tim Anderson
Secretary of the Senate
Room 401 State House

[August 4, 2015]

Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 3-2(c), I hereby appoint Senator James Clayborne to temporarily replace Senator Ira Silverstein as a member of the Senate Judiciary Committee. This appointment will automatically expire upon adjournment of the Senate Judiciary Committee.

Sincerely,
s/John J. Cullerton
John J. Cullerton
Senate President

cc: Senate Minority Leader Christine Radogno

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August 4, 2015

Mr. Tim Anderson
Secretary of the Senate
Room 401 State House
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 3-2(c), I hereby appoint Senator Donne Trotter to temporarily replace Senator Toi Hutchinson as a member of the Senate Judiciary Committee. This appointment will automatically expire upon adjournment of the Senate Judiciary Committee.

Sincerely,
s/John J. Cullerton
John J. Cullerton
Senate President

cc: Senate Minority Leader Christine Radogno

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August 4, 2015

Mr. Tim Anderson
Secretary of the Senate
Room 403 State House
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

[August 4, 2015]

Pursuant to the provisions of Senate Rule 2-10, I hereby extend the 3rd reading deadline to August 5, 2015, for the following Senate bills:

162, 317 and 318.

In addition, I hereby extend the applicable committee and 3rd reading deadlines to August 5, 2015, for the following House bills:

576, 745 and 1287.

Sincerely,
s/John J. Cullerton
John J. Cullerton
Senate President

cc: Senate Republican Leader Christine Radogno

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 798

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Donald Andries.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 799

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Paul Craig of Perry.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 800

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators:
Mourns the death of James B. Maxwell of Pittsfield.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 801

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Robert "Bob" Moss of Pittsfield.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 803

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Judy Ann Bock.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 804

Offered by Senator Kotowski and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Kaitlyn Mae Steines of Roscoe.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 805

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of June Brotherton Reed of Woodstock.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 806

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Rachel Matilda Amelianovich of Harvard.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 807

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Betty Jane Dowell of Harvard.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 808

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Richard "Dick" H. Johnson of Crystal Lake.

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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 809

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Kathaleen “Dolly” Sarnwick of McHenry.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 810

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Dolores “Dolly” Busscher of Antioch.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 811

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Ernest A. Pieroni of McHenry.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 812

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Heinz F. Richard of Marengo.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 813

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Joseph W. Franzone of Richmond.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 814

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Bernard Paul “Bernie” Kopitar of Crystal Lake.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 815

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Thomas Jon Knox, formerly of Woodstock.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 816

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Caroline P. Barry of Woodstock.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 817

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Donna V. Mitchell of McHenry.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 818

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Leo Ayala of McHenry.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 819

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Charles S. Olsen of Richmond.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 820

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Sandra Lee Brady.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 821

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Nancy J. Anderson of Richmond.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 822

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Albert A. “Alby” Adams of McHenry.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 823

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of William B. Snodgrass of Waukegan.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 824

Offered by Senator Sullivan and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Lynn D. Smith of Rushville.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 825

Offered by Senator T. Cullerton and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Guy F. "Red" Brownson.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 826

Offered by Senator T. Cullerton and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Milton "Milt" Honel.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 827

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Robert L. Squires, Sr., of Moline.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 828

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Wallace William "Wally" Schwahn of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 829

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Joseph Mortier of Moline.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 830

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Giles Ronald Weigandt of Moline.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 831

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Dan Schwartzkopf of rural Milan.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 832

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Gerald "Hobo" Hull of Moline.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 833

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of William H. "Bill" Seesland of Moline.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 834

Offered by Senator Rose and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Pauline Briney of Findlay.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 835

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:
Mourns the death of D. Neale Hanley of Pekin.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 836

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:
Mourns the death of John Timmes of Peoria.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 837

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Dr. Dorothy B. Cornish of Peoria.

By direction of the Secretary, the foregoing resolutions were referred to the Resolutions Consent Calendar.

Senator Raoul offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 802

WHEREAS, Generations of Haitians and Dominicans of Haitian descent living in the Dominican Republic have experienced systematic discrimination and inhumane treatment, including being trafficked into the country to perform back-breaking labor in its sugarcane fields for little or no compensation in a system that has been characterized as modern-day slavery; the Dominican Republic's Haitian population has also faced escalating threats to its safety this year through anti-Haitian protests and violence, including the lynching of a Haitian man in a public park; and

WHEREAS, Throughout this shameful history, during which many Dominicans and the Dominican Republic as a whole have benefitted economically from the low cost labor of Haitians and Dominicans of Haitian descent, the establishment of barriers to legal Dominican citizenship for Haitian migrants and their children, even those born in the Dominican Republic, has remained a constant; in 2010, an amendment to the Dominican Constitution removed its birthright citizenship provision and instantaneously denationalized hundreds of thousands of Dominicans of Haitian descent born to immigrants subsequent to 1929; and

WHEREAS, In 2013, the Constitutional Court of the Dominican Republic applied this amendment retroactively, effectively revoking the citizenship of people born in the Dominican Republic to noncitizens; subsequent to this decision, the government of the Dominican Republic required all migrants and non-citizens to prove that they arrived in the country prior to October of 2011 and to either have a job or be attending school or else face deportation; and

WHEREAS, By the government's deadline on June 17, 2015, many men, women, and children of Haitian descent had been unable to register to remain in the country because of a lack of access to formal documentation of their place of birth, date of arrival in the Dominican Republic, work status, or other required information; although the deadline has been extended, an estimated 40,000 persons, fearing sudden deportation, separation from family members, and the loss of their belongings, have already left the Dominican Republic for Haiti, where many lack employment and housing and where the sudden population increase is contributing to the lingering humanitarian crisis in that nation; and

WHEREAS, The United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees estimates that more than 200,000 of those affected by the actions of the Dominican government are now not legally citizens of either Haiti or the Dominican Republic and are thus relegated to statelessness, putting the Dominican Republic in violation of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, to which the Dominican Republic and the United States are signatories and which states, "No one shall be arbitrarily deprived of his nationality"; and

WHEREAS, In 2005, the Inter-American Court of Human Rights ordered the government of the Dominican Republic to issue birth certificates to all Dominican-born children, since residents without birth certificates cannot legally attend public school, marry, own property, or vote; however, the Dominican Republic has failed to comply with this ruling and has declared itself no longer subject to the jurisdiction of the court; and

WHEREAS, Hundreds of thousands of residents of the Dominican Republic are still at risk of deportation at a moment's notice; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge the government of the United States to bring pressure to bear on the Dominican Republic, using means including sanctions, travel bans, or other tools that leverage the Dominican government's dependence on foreign trade and tourism, to immediately halt any and all discriminatory deportations of Haitians living in the Dominican Republic and Dominicans of Haitian

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descent, comply with international law, and treat all of its residents fairly and humanely, regardless of color, national origin, migration status, or native language; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to President Barack Obama, the members of the Illinois congressional delegation, Secretary of State John Kerry, and Ambassador Samantha Power.

Senator Mulroe offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 838

WHEREAS, The history of combat infantrymen traces back before the beginning of recorded history, and they continue to serve a vital role today; and

WHEREAS, Combat infantrymen have served the United States in numerous wars since the 1700s; and

WHEREAS, The infantryman is the basic combat soldier and the backbone of the United States Army; and

WHEREAS, There have been numerous special types of infantry units whose organizations and equipment differ from regular infantry divisions, such as parachute and glider infantry, mountain infantry, and armored infantry; and

WHEREAS, During basic training for the military, men and women learn the job of an infantryman in a squad to better protect their lives and the lives of many others; the infantryman must endure long periods of exposure to weather, eat his food cold, go long periods without sleeping or bathing, and may fight for months, unharmed, while his comrades are killed or wounded one by one; and

WHEREAS, The job of an infantryman is one of the toughest is in war, as they do the toughest fighting over the longest period of time; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we designate the date of October 27, 2015 as Combat Infantryman Day in the State of Illinois and urge all Illinoisans to observe and pay tribute to all infantryman who have served our country, both past and present.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

SENATE BILL NO. 2165. Introduced by Senator McCarter, a bill for AN ACT concerning State funding.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

SENATE BILL NO. 2166. Introduced by Senator Silverstein, a bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its August 4, 2015 meeting, reported the following Legislative Measures have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committees of the Senate:

[August 4, 2015]

Appropriations I: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2042.**

Executive: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 317; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 318; Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 318; Floor Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 745.**

Judiciary: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 162.**

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its August 4, 2015 meeting, reported the following Senate Resolutions have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committee of the Senate:

Executive: **Senate Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendments 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17.**

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its August 4, 2015 meeting, to which was referred **House Bill No. 576**, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the order of second reading without recommendation to committee.

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its August 4, 2015 meeting, reported that pursuant to Senate Rule 3-8(b-1), the following amendments will remain in the Senate Committee on Assignments:

Floor Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 to Senate Bill 904.

At the hour of 9:52 o'clock a.m., the Secretary adjourned the perfunctory session.

**REGULAR SESSION
3:02 O'CLOCK P.M.**

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Senator Terry Link, Waukegan, Illinois, presiding.

Prayer by Chaplain Greg Stafford, Director of Pastoral Care, Memorial Medical Center, Springfield, Illinois.

Senator Cunningham led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Senator Hunter moved that reading and approval of the Journals of Wednesday, July 15, 2015 and Tuesday, July 28, 2015, be postponed, pending arrival of the printed Journals.

The motion prevailed.

LEGISLATIVE MEASURE FILED

The following Floor amendment to the Senate Bill listed below has been filed with the Secretary and referred to the Committee on Assignments:

Floor Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 318

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

**OFFICE OF THE SENATE PRESIDENT
STATE OF ILLINOIS**

JOHN J. CULLERTON

327 STATE CAPITOL

[August 4, 2015]

SENATE PRESIDENT

SPRINGFIELD, IL 62706
217-782-2728

August 4, 2015

Mr. Tim Anderson
Secretary of the Senate
Room 401 State House
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 3-2(c), I hereby appoint Senator John Mulroe to temporarily replace Senator Ira Silverstein as a member of the Senate Executive Committee. This appointment is effective immediately and will automatically expire upon adjournment of the Senate Executive Committee.

Sincerely,
s/John J. Cullerton
John J. Cullerton
Senate President

cc: Senate Minority Leader Christine Radogno

**OFFICE OF THE SENATE PRESIDENT
STATE OF ILLINOIS**

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August 4, 2015

Mr. Tim Anderson
Secretary of the Senate
Room 401 State House
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 3-2(c), I hereby appoint Senator Andy Manar to temporarily replace Senator Kimberly Lightford as a member of the Senate Executive Committee. This appointment will automatically expire upon adjournment of the Senate Executive Committee.

Sincerely,
s/John J. Cullerton
John J. Cullerton
Senate President

cc: Senate Minority Leader Christine Radogno

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 839

Offered by Senator LaHood and all Senators:
Mourns the death of John Timmes of Peoria.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 840

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:

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Mourns the death of William “Bill” Board of Peoria.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 841

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Margaret Bertha “Peggy” Mansholt of Bunker Hill.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 843

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Lawrence “Larry” Cortesi.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 844

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Patricia Edith “Pat” Murphy of Mount Prospect.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 845

Offered by Senator McGuire and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Rose Wisniewski.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 846

Offered by Senator Mulroe and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Julian Irving Gollay of Dallas, Texas, formerly of Chicago.

By unanimous consent, the foregoing resolutions were referred to the Resolutions Consent Calendar.

Senator Bush offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 842

WHEREAS, Senate Resolution 760 of the 99th General Assembly was adopted on July 15, 2015, creating the Working Group on Local Government Consolidation; and

WHEREAS, The membership of the Working Group on Local Government Consolidation did not provide for the inclusion of members representing local municipalities or cities; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that the Working Group on Local Government Consolidation shall add 3 members selected from recommendations provided by an association representing local municipalities or cities appointed by Governor Rauner; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the Chair of the Working Group on Local Government Consolidation and Governor Rauner.

Senators Biss – Kotowski - Steans offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 847

WHEREAS, The Americans with Disabilities Act was passed on July 26, 1990 to ensure the civil rights of citizens with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, The Americans with Disabilities Act established a clear and comprehensive mandate to eliminate discrimination against persons with disabilities; and

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WHEREAS, The Americans with Disabilities Act has expanded opportunities for people with disabilities by reducing barriers, changing perceptions, and increasing full participation in community life; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois affirms the principles of equality and inclusion for persons with disabilities as set forth by the State of Illinois and as embodied in the Americans with Disabilities Act; and

WHEREAS, Since the passage of the Americans with Disabilities Act, the State of Illinois has increased the quality of life for people with disabilities in our State by furthering community living, expanding job opportunities, improving infrastructure, and increasing access to education, among other efforts; and

WHEREAS, Numerous organizations in the State of Illinois work with constituents and communities to bring forth the promise of hope and freedom that is envisioned by the passage of the Americans with Disabilities Act; and

WHEREAS, July 26, 2015 marks the 25th anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we show our unwavering support for the full implementation of the Americans with Disabilities Act in Illinois and designate July 26, 2015 as Americans with Disabilities Act Awareness Day in the State of Illinois.

Senator Kotowski offered the following Senate Joint Resolution, which was ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments:

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT**

SC0018

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend Article IV of the Illinois Constitution by changing Section 6 as follows:

ARTICLE IV
THE LEGISLATURE

SECTION 6. ORGANIZATION

(a) A majority of the members elected to each house constitutes a quorum.

(b) On the first day of the January session of the General Assembly in odd-numbered years, the Secretary of State shall convene the House of Representatives to elect from its membership a Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, and the Governor shall convene the Senate to elect from its membership a President of the Senate as presiding officer. A person may serve no more than 8 years in any one of the following offices: Speaker of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, or Minority Leader of the Senate; provided that service before the second Wednesday in January of 2017 shall not be considered in the calculation of a person's service.

(c) For purposes of powers of appointment conferred by this Constitution, the Minority Leader of either house is a member of the numerically strongest political party other than the party to which the Speaker or the President belongs, as the case may be.

(d) Each house shall determine the rules of its proceedings, judge the elections, returns and qualifications of its members and choose its officers. No member shall be expelled by either house, except by a vote of two-thirds of the members elected to that house. A member may be expelled only once for the same offense. Each house may punish by imprisonment any person, not a member, guilty of disrespect to the house by disorderly or contemptuous behavior in its presence. Imprisonment shall not extend beyond twenty-four hours at one time unless the person persists in disorderly or contemptuous behavior. (Source: Illinois Constitution.)

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SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

Senator Raoul, Chairperson of the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred the following Senate floor amendment, reported that the Committee recommends do adopt:

Senate Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 162

Under the rules, the foregoing floor amendment is eligible for consideration on second reading.

Senator Harmon, Chairperson of the Committee on Executive, to which was referred the following Senate floor amendments, reported that the Committee recommends do adopt:

Senate Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 317

Senate Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 318

Senate Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 318

Senate Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 745

Under the rules, the foregoing floor amendments are eligible for consideration on second reading.

Senator Trotter, Vice-Chairperson of the Committee on Appropriations I, to which was referred the following Senate floor amendment, reported that the Committee recommends do adopt:

Senate Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2042

Under the rules, the foregoing floor amendment is eligible for consideration on second reading.

MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
JESSE WHITE • Secretary of State

August 4, 2015

To the Honorable President of the Senate:

In compliance with the provisions of the Constitution of the State of Illinois, I am forwarding herewith the enclosed Senate Bills from the 99th General Assembly as vetoed by the Governor together with his objections

SENATE BILLS

0051

0274

1229

1893

Respectfully
s/Jesse White
JESSE WHITE

[August 4, 2015]

Secretary of State

STATE OF ILLINOIS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
CAPITOL BUILDING, 207 STATE HOUSE
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706

BRUCE RAUNER
GOVERNOR

July 15, 2015

To the Honorable Members of
The Illinois Senate,
99th General Assembly:

Today I veto Senate Bill 51 from the 99th General Assembly, one of several budget implementation bills, in order to protect Illinois taxpayers from an unbalanced and unconstitutional budget.

The General Assembly's budget makes spending promises that exceed available revenues by nearly \$4 billion. I therefore vetoed that budget and am today vetoing its accompanying budget implementation bills.

I again call on the General Assembly to be a partner in enacting a balanced budget, structural reforms inside government, and economic reforms that stimulate our economy and bring new jobs to Illinois. Therefore, pursuant to Section 9(b) of Article IV of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, I hereby return Senate Bill 51, entitled "AN ACT concerning State government", with the foregoing objections, vetoed in its entirety.

Sincerely,
s/Bruce Rauner
Bruce Rauner
GOVERNOR

STATE OF ILLINOIS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
CAPITOL BUILDING, 207 STATE HOUSE
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706

BRUCE RAUNER
GOVERNOR

July 15, 2015

To the Honorable Members of
The Illinois Senate,
99th General Assembly:

Today I veto Senate Bill 274 from the 99th General Assembly, one of several budget implementation bills, in order to protect Illinois taxpayers from an unbalanced and unconstitutional budget.

The General Assembly's budget makes spending promises that exceed available revenues by nearly \$4 billion. I therefore vetoed that budget and am today vetoing its accompanying budget implementation bills.

I again call on the General Assembly to be a partner in enacting a balanced budget, structural reforms inside government, and economic reforms that stimulate our economy and bring new jobs to Illinois.

[August 4, 2015]

Therefore, pursuant to Section 9(b) of Article IV of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, I hereby return Senate Bill 274, entitled "AN ACT concerning finance", with the foregoing objections, vetoed in its entirety.

Sincerely,
s/Bruce Rauner
Bruce Rauner
GOVERNOR

STATE OF ILLINOIS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
CAPITOL BUILDING, 207 STATE HOUSE
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706

BRUCE RAUNER
GOVERNOR

July 29, 2015

To the Honorable Members of
The Illinois Senate,
99th General Assembly:

Today I veto Senate Bill 1229 from the 99th General Assembly, which would amend the Illinois Public Labor Relations Act to replace collective bargaining with binding interest arbitration.

For many months, I have advocated that local governments should have the right to determine which subjects are collectively bargained with their public employees. The response from some union officials is that my proposal would "gut" the collective bargaining rights of those public employees. Those same union officials proposed Senate Bill 1229, which goes far beyond my simple proposal. It removes every subject of labor negotiations from the bargaining process and allows unelected arbitrators to impose billions of dollars of new costs on our taxpayers without any involvement of the Executive Branch, the General Assembly, or those taxpayers. This legislation is undemocratic, it is bad for our budget, and it is unconstitutional.

Senate Bill 1229 is also based on a false premise that our Administration has been unreasonable in labor negotiations and wants to lock-out employees or prompt an employee strike. Nothing could be further from the truth. We have negotiated in good faith with AFSCME since shortly after I took office. We came with our proposals ready on day 1, and we made significant concessions from our initial proposals, including revising our proposals on management rights, dues collection, holidays, subcontracting, layoffs, and employee pensions. We asked AFSCME to schedule more frequent weekly negotiating sessions (which they declined), and we voluntarily agreed to extend negotiations even after the current collective bargaining agreements expired on June 30, 2015. At my request, those "tolling agreements" contain express provisions that prohibit a strike or lock-out during our negotiations. Today our Administration signed a new tolling agreement that extends negotiations until at least the end of September. We are working diligently to reach an agreement with AFSCME.

Our proposals have also not been unreasonable. In fact, the proposals we offered to AFSCME are similar to those recently adopted by state employees represented by the Teamsters. It took only two weeks from the time our Administration first met with John Coli, the President of the Teamsters Joint Council 25, to reach agreement with the Teamsters. The Teamsters, to their credit, were realistic about the State's dire financial condition. They cleared their calendars to negotiate around the clock. They made no outrageous financial demands for large pay increases or new health benefits. They had no problem agreeing to a 40-hour work week. We similarly sought to build a strong partnership with the Teamsters in exchange for their concessions. We agreed to a large monetary bonus pool to reward employees for their exceptional performance. Rather than have an unlimited subcontracting provision, we agreed to allow the Teamsters to bid on any project offered to a private sector company and share in the savings achieved by the State. We also agreed to fund an educational program for their employees, a top priority for our Administration.

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Given time and reasonableness, we can reach a similar agreement with AFSCME. This legislation, however, prevents our Administration from doing so. Many are unfamiliar with the concept of interest arbitration that replaces collective bargaining in this legislation. It is not the same as arbitration in civil law, business, or other contract disputes. Interest arbitrators are not allowed to fashion a compromise that Illinois taxpayers can actually afford. Presented with the State's and the unions' proposals, arbitrators will be picking winners and losers by accepting either side's proposal in its entirety. Because they are unelected and unaccountable, arbitrators can decide to impose on the State the unions' proposals without regard to the dire impact those proposals will have on our fiscal stability. As I write this message, if AFSCME seeks to impose its current proposal, it would cost our taxpayers an additional \$1.6 billion in salary and pension costs and would eliminate \$500 million per year in healthcare savings that were part of the overall healthcare savings included in both Democrat and Republican budgets. If an unaccountable arbitrator awards AFSCME's contract, the clear losers will be the State's taxpayers. And the already-difficult task of balancing the State's budget in a constitutional manner will become insurmountable, hurting the beneficiaries of State programs and services that would no longer be possible. We cannot afford Senate Bill 1229.

Finally, if enacted into law, Senate Bill 1229 would violate the United States Constitution by retroactively impairing contractual obligations. In the last round of negotiations, the State and unions entered into collective bargaining agreements that spanned the period from July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2015. Negotiating those contracts in 2012, both sides knew, and bargained with the understanding, that any contractual obligations the parties undertake would expire on June 30, 2015. Senate Bill 1229 changes that bargain by extending the terms of expired agreements beyond June 30, 2015. The United States Constitution forbids the State from enacting a law that changes contracts retroactively. Senate Bill 1229 is therefore unconstitutional.

Senate Bill 1229 would cede major financial decisions to unelected, unaccountable arbitrators. This legislation is bad policy and would derail our efforts to honestly balance the State's budget and enact meaningful government reforms.

Therefore, pursuant to Section 9(b) of Article IV of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, I hereby return Senate Bill 1229 entitled "AN ACT concerning State government", with the foregoing objections, vetoed in its entirety.

Sincerely,
s/Bruce Rauner
Bruce Rauner
GOVERNOR

STATE OF ILLINOIS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
CAPITOL BUILDING, 207 STATE HOUSE
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706

BRUCE RAUNER
GOVERNOR

July 23, 2015

To the Honorable Members of
The Illinois Senate,
99th General Assembly:

Today I veto Senate Bill 1893 from the 99th General Assembly, which repeals Section 3c of the Disabled Persons Rehabilitation Act, for technical reasons.

Senate Bill 1893 contains identical language to House Bill 4107, which I signed into law. Senate Bill 1893 is therefore moot. I thank the sponsors of Senate Bill 1893 and House Bill 4107 for their efforts.

Therefore, pursuant to Section 9(b) of Article IV of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, I hereby return Senate
[August 4, 2015]

Bill 1893, entitled "AN ACT concerning State government", with the foregoing objections, vetoed in its entirety.

Sincerely,
s/Bruce Rauner
Bruce Rauner
GOVERNOR

Pursuant to the rules, the foregoing Senate Bills, which were returned by the Governor, were placed on the Senate Calendar for Wednesday, August 5, 2015.

APPOINTMENT MESSAGES

Appointment Message No. 990281

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Executive Inspector General

Agency or Other Body: Office of the Executive Inspector General

Start Date: July 13, 2015

End Date: June 30, 2018

Name: Margaret Hickey

Residence: 815 Ashland Ave., River Forest, IL 60305

Annual Compensation: \$150,168

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Kimberly A. Lightford

Most Recent Holder of Office: Ricardo Meza

Superseded Appointment Message: Appointment Message 279 of the 99th General Assembly

Appointment Message No. 990282

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Chief Factor Inspector

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Labor

Start Date: July 1, 2015

End Date: January 16, 2017

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Name: Jill Alyssa Mazrim

Residence: 1225 Wickford Dr., Springfield, IL 62704

Annual Compensation: \$52,179

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Wm. Sam McCann

Most Recent Holder of Office: Greg Bradshaw

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990283

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois State Toll Highway Authority

Start Date: July 20, 2015

End Date: May 1, 2019

Name: Corey Brooks

Residence: 6518 S. Kimbark Ave., Chicago, IL 60637

Annual Compensation: \$31,426

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Kwame Raoul

Most Recent Holder of Office: Tom Weisner

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990284

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Community College Board

Start Date: July 20, 2015

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End Date: June 30, 2021

Name: Suzanne Morris

Residence: 2008 Carillon Dr., Grayslake, IL 60030

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Melinda Bush

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990285

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member (Chief of Police)

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority

Start Date: July 20, 2015

End Date: January 21, 2019

Name: Rick Tanksley

Residence: 228 N. Oak Park Ave. Apt. 1L, Oak Park, IL 60302

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Don Harmon

Most Recent Holder of Office: William Fitzpatrick

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990286

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member and Chair

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Liquor Control Commission

Start Date: July 22, 2015

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End Date: February 1, 2020

Name: Constance Beard

Residence: 6 Barn Ln., Jacksonville, IL 62650

Annual Compensation: \$38,917

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Wm. Sam McCann

Most Recent Holder of Office: Steven Schnorf

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990287

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois State Medical Disciplinary Board

Start Date: July 27, 2015

End Date: January 1, 2018

Name: Albert Tracy

Residence: 1402 Holian Dr., Spring Grove, IL 60081

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Pamela J. Althoff

Most Recent Holder of Office: Jeremy Gottschalk

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990288

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Raunter, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Trustee

Agency or Other Body: State Universities Retirement System Board of Trustees

[August 4, 2015]

Start Date: July 27, 2015

End Date: June 29, 2021

Name: Francis Idehen

Residence: 1340 E. Madison Park, Chicago, IL 60615

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Kwame Raoul

Most Recent Holder of Office: Richard Figueroa

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990289

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Workforce Investment Board

Start Date: July 27, 2015

End Date: July 1, 2017

Name: Angela Mason

Residence: 1822 S. Bishop St. #203, Chicago, IL 60608

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Antonio Muñoz

Most Recent Holder of Office: Sophia Shaw

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990290

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Workforce Investment Board

[August 4, 2015]

Start Date: July 27, 2015

End Date: July 1, 2017

Name: Eloy Salazar

Residence: 741 Countryside Hwy., Mundelein, IL 60060

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Terry Link

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990291

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Finance Authority

Start Date: July 31, 2015

End Date: July 16, 2016

Name: Eric Anderberg

Residence: 35754 W. County Line Rd., Kirkland, IL 60146

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Dave Syverson

Most Recent Holder of Office: Norman Gold

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990292

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

[August 4, 2015]

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Finance Authority

Start Date: July 31, 2015

End Date: July 17, 2018

Name: Robert Horne

Residence: 340 Birch St., Winnetka, IL 60093

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Daniel Biss

Most Recent Holder of Office: Edward Leonard

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990293

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Trustee

Agency or Other Body: State Universities Retirement System Board of Trustees

Start Date: July 31, 2015

End Date: June 29, 2021

Name: Dennis Cullen

Residence: 811 Turnberry Ln., Northbrook, IL 60062

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Daniel Biss

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990294

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

[August 4, 2015]

Agency or Other Body: Workforce Investment Board

Start Date: July 31, 2015

End Date: July 1, 2017

Name: Michael Conley

Residence: 424 E. 4th St., PO Box 118, Trenton, IL 62293

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Kyle McCarter

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990295

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Workforce Investment Board

Start Date: July 31, 2015

End Date: July 1, 2017

Name: Michael Uremovich

Residence: 16701 W. Sweedler Rd., Manhattan, IL 60442

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Toi W. Hutchinson

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990296

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

[August 4, 2015]

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Workforce Investment Board

Start Date: July 31, 2015

End Date: July 1, 2017

Name: Sylvia Wetzel

Residence: 38W165 Heatherfield Dr., Elgin, IL 60124

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Karen McConnaughay

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990297

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Independent Juvenile Ombudsman

Agency or Other Body: Independent Juvenile Ombudsman

Start Date: August 3, 2015

End Date: February 1, 2017

Name: Kathleen Bankhead

Residence: 16535 Sawyer Ave., Markham, IL 60428

Annual Compensation: \$105,000

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Michael E. Hastings

Most Recent Holder of Office: Original Appointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Under the rules, the foregoing Appointment Messages were referred to the Committee on Assignments.

Senator Silverstein asked and obtained unanimous consent to recess for the purpose of a Democrat caucus.

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Senator Connelly asked and obtained unanimous consent to recess for the purpose of a Republican caucus.

At the hour of 3:12 o'clock p.m., the Chair announced that the Senate stand at ease.

AT EASE

At the hour of 3:19 o'clock p.m., the Senate resumed consideration of business.
Senator Link, presiding.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its August 4, 2015 meeting, reported the following Senate Resolution has been assigned to the indicated Standing Committee of the Senate:

Executive: **Senate Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment No. 18.**

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its August 4, 2015 meeting, reported that the following Legislative Measure has been approved for consideration:

Floor Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 318

The foregoing floor amendment was placed on the Secretary's Desk.

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its August 4, 2015 meeting, reported that the following Legislative Measure has been approved for consideration:

Senate Resolution 842

The foregoing resolution was placed on the Secretary's Desk.

At the hour of 3:20 o'clock p.m., the Chair announced that the Senate stand at recess subject to the call of the Chair.

AFTER RECESS

At the hour of 4:54 o'clock p.m., the Senate resumed consideration of business.
Senator Link, presiding.

SENATE BILL RECALLED

On motion of Senator Steans, at the request of the sponsor, **Senate Bill No. 2042** was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

Senator Steans offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 1 SENATE BILL 2042

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 2042 by, replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

“ARTICLE 1

[August 4, 2015]

Section 5. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department of Military Affairs for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016:

FOR OPERATIONS	
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL	
Payable from Federal Support Agreement	
Revolving Fund:	
For Lincoln's Challenge	8,600,000
For Lincoln's Challenge Allowances	<u>1,200,000</u>
Total	\$9,800,000

FACILITIES OPERATIONS	
Payable from Federal Support Agreement	
Revolving Fund:	
Army/Air Reimbursable Positions	14,610,700

Section 10. The sum of \$13,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Federal Support Agreement Revolving Fund to the Department of Military Affairs Facilities Division for expenses related to Army National Guard Facilities operations and maintenance as provided for in the Cooperative Funding Agreements, including costs in prior years.

ARTICLE 2

Section 5. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Office of the State Fire Marshal for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, as follows:

GENERAL OFFICE	
Payable from the Fire Prevention Division Fund:	
For Expenses of the U.S. Resource Conservation and Recovery Act	
Underground Storage Program	1,500,000

ARTICLE 3

Section 5. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Illinois Emergency Management Agency, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT	
Payable from the Federal Civil Preparedness Administrative Fund:	
For HMEP Planning	2,400,000
For HMEP Training	<u>1,676,000</u>
Total	\$4,076,000

Section 10. The amount of \$600,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Indoor Radon Mitigation Fund to the Illinois Emergency Management Agency for current and prior year expenses relating to the federally funded State Indoor Radon Abatement Program.

Section 15. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Illinois Emergency Management Agency for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

DISASTER ASSISTANCE AND PREPAREDNESS	
Payable from the Federal Aid Disaster Fund:	
For Federal Disaster Declarations	
in Current and Prior Years	70,000,000
For State administration of the Federal Disaster Relief Program	1,000,000
Disaster Relief - Hazard Mitigation	
in Current and Prior Years	55,000,000
For State administration of the	

Hazard Mitigation Program	<u>1,000,000</u>
Total	\$127,000,000
Payable from the Nuclear Civil Protection Planning Fund:	
For Federal Projects	500,000
For Mitigation Assistance	<u>2,000,000</u>
Total	\$2,500,000
Payable from the Federal Civil Administrative Preparedness Fund:	
For Training and Education	50,000

ARTICLE 4

Section 5. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department of Natural Resources for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016:

GENERAL OFFICE

Payable from Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Fund:	
For Personal Services	70,000
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System.....	32,000
For State Contributions to Social Security	5,400
For Group Insurance	22,600
For Contractual Services.....	<u>54,000</u>
Total	\$184,000
Payable from Abandoned Mined Lands Reclamation Council Federal Trust Fund:	
For Personal Services.....	265,800
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System	121,200
For State Contributions to Social Security.....	20,400
For Group Insurance	96,500
For Contractual Services	<u>72,000</u>
Total	\$575,900

Section 10. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department of Natural Resources:

OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES

Payable from Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Fund:	
For Contractual Services	5,400
For Contractual Services for Postage Expenses for DNR Headquarters	25,000
For Commodities	3,300
For Electronic Data Processing.....	<u>175,000</u>
Total	\$208,700
Payable from Abandoned Mined Lands Reclamation Council Federal Trust Fund:	
For Contractual Services	3,000
For Contractual Services for Postage Expenses for DNR Headquarters	25,000
For Commodities	1,700
For Electronic Data Processing.....	<u>175,000</u>
Total	\$204,700

Section 15. The sum of \$345,428, or so much thereof as may be necessary and remains unexpended at the close of business on June 30, 2015, from a reappropriation heretofore made in Article 31, Section 65 of Public Act 98-0679, is reappropriated from the DNR Federal Projects Fund to the Department of Natural Resources for projects in cooperation with the National Resources Conservation Service, Ducks Unlimited, and the National Turkey Association and to the extent that funds are made available for such purposes.

Section 20. The sum of \$478,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary and remains unexpended at the close of business on June 30, 2015, from an appropriation heretofore made in Article 31, Section 70 of Public Act 98-0679, is reappropriated to the Department of Natural Resources from the DNR Federal Projects Fund for Shoreline Improvements associated with Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program.

OFFICE OF COASTAL MANAGEMENT

Section 25. The sum of \$500,000 is appropriated to the Department of Natural Resources from the DNR Federal Projects Fund for expenses related to the Coastal Management Program.

Section 30. The sum of \$5,112,861, or so much thereof as may be necessary and remains unexpended at the close of business on June 30, 2015 from an appropriation heretofore made in Article 31, Section 80 of Public Act 98-0679, is reappropriated to the Department of Natural Resources from the DNR Federal Projects Fund for expenses related to the Coastal Management Program.

Section 35. The sum of \$983,231, or so much thereof as may be necessary and remains unexpended at the close of business on June 30, 2015, from a reappropriation heretofore made in Article 31, Section 80 of Public Act 98-0679, is reappropriated to the Department of Natural Resources from the DNR Federal Projects Fund for expenses related to the Coastal Management Program.

Section 40. The sum of \$5,386,950, or so much thereof as may be necessary and remains unexpended at the close of business on June 30, 2015, from a reappropriation heretofore made in Article 31, Section 85 of Public Act 98-0679, is reappropriated to the Department of Natural Resources from the DNR Federal Projects Fund for expenses related to the Great Lakes Initiative.

Section 45. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department of Natural Resources:

OFFICE OF MINES AND MINERALS

Payable from the Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Fund:

For Personal Services	1,957,400
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System	892,600
For State Contributions to Social Security	150,300
For Group Insurance	500,000
For Contractual Services	518,700
For expenses associated with litigation of Mining Regulatory actions	15,000
For Travel	31,400
For Commodities	12,400
For Printing	11,200
For Equipment	60,000
For Electronic Data Processing	119,800
For Telecommunications	55,000
For Operation of Auto Equipment	80,000
For the purpose of coordinating training and education programs for miners and laboratory analysis and testing of coal samples and mine	

atmospheres	412,100
For Small Operators' Assistance Program	<u>0</u>
Total	\$4,815,900
Payable from the Abandoned Mined Lands	
Reclamation Council Federal Trust Fund:	
For Personal Services	3,302,800
For State Contributions to State	
Employees' Retirement System	1,506,100
For State Contributions to	
Social Security	253,500
For Group Insurance	798,000
For Contractual Services	278,200
For Travel	30,700
For Commodities	25,800
For Printing	1,000
For Equipment	81,300
For Electronic Data Processing	146,400
For Telecommunications	45,000
For Operation of Auto Equipment	75,000
For expenses associated with	
Environmental Mitigation Projects,	
Studies, Research, and Administrative	
Support	<u>1,500,000</u>
Total	\$8,043,800

Section 50. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department of Natural Resources:

OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Payable from the Mines and Minerals Underground

Injection Control Fund:

For Personal Services	166,800
For State Contributions to State	
Employees' Retirement System	71,800
For State Contributions to	
Social Security	12,900
For Group Insurance	71,500
For Travel	2,000
For Equipment	20,000
Total	\$345,000

Section 55. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department of Natural Resources:

OFFICE OF WATER RESOURCES

Payable from the National Flood Insurance

Program Fund:

For execution of state assistance	
programs to improve the administration	
of the National Flood Insurance	
Program (NFIP) and National Dam	
Safety Program as approved by	
the Federal Emergency Management Agency	
(82 Stat. 572)	650,000

Payable from the DNR Federal Projects Fund:

For FEMA Mapping Grant	20,000
Total	\$670,000

ARTICLE 5

Section 5. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016:

FOR OPERATIONS

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

Payable from Wholesome Meat Fund:

For Personal Services.....	235,600
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System.....	107,400
For State Contributions to Social Security.....	18,200
For Group Insurance.....	69,000
For Contractual Services.....	210,000
For Travel.....	25,000
For Commodities.....	11,100
For Printing.....	20,000
For Equipment.....	50,000
For Telecommunications.....	<u>20,000</u>
Total	\$766,300

Section 10. The sum of \$100,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Wholesome Meat Fund to the Department of Agriculture for costs and expenses related to or in support of the agency's operations.

Section 15. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department of Agriculture:

FOR OPERATIONS

AGRICULTURE REGULATION

Payable from the Agricultural

Federal Projects Fund:

For Expenses of Various Federal Projects.....	500,000
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Section 20. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department of Agriculture:

MARKETING

Payable from Agricultural Marketing

Services Fund:

For Administering Illinois' Part under Public Law No. 733, "An Act to provide for further research into basic laws and principles relating to agriculture and to improve and facilitate the marketing and distribution of agricultural products".....	4,000
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Payable from Agriculture Federal

Projects Fund:

For Expenses of Various Federal Projects.....	<u>850,000</u>
Total	\$854,00

Section 25. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Agriculture for:

ANIMAL INDUSTRIES

Payable from the Agriculture

Federal Projects Fund:

For Expenses of Various Federal Projects.....	150,000
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Section 30. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Agriculture for:

MEAT AND POULTRY INSPECTION

Payable from Wholesome Meat Fund:	
For Personal Services.....	3,566,600
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System.....	1,626,300
For State Contributions to Social Security.....	272,800
For Group Insurance.....	1,426,700
For Contractual Services.....	682,600
For Travel.....	154,600
For Commodities.....	48,300
For Printing.....	6,300
For Equipment.....	73,500
For Telecommunications Services.....	43,600
For Operation of Auto Equipment.....	<u>153,400</u>
Total.....	\$8,054,700
Payable from the Agriculture Federal Projects Fund:	
For Expenses of Various Federal Projects.....	315,000

Section 35. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Agriculture for:

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Payable from the Agriculture Federal Projects Fund:	
For Expenses of various Federal Projects.....	200,000

Section 40. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Agriculture for:

ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS

Payable from Agriculture Pesticide Control Act Fund:	
For Expenses of Pesticide Enforcement Program.....	650,000
Payable from the Agriculture Federal Projects Fund:	
For Expenses of Various Federal Projects.....	<u>1,000,000</u>
Total.....	\$1,650,000

Section 45. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department of Agriculture for:

LAND AND WATER RESOURCES

Payable from the Agriculture Federal Projects Fund:	
For Expenses Relating to Various Federal Projects.....	400,000

ARTICLE 6

Section 5. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to the Environmental Protection Agency for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016.

Payable from U.S. Environmental Protection Fund:	
For Contractual Services.....	1,491,100
For Electronic Data Processing.....	<u>473,300</u>
Total.....	\$1,964,400

Section 10. The sum of \$400,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the U.S. Environmental Protection Fund to the Environmental Protection Agency for all costs

associated with environmental projects as defined by federal assistance awards.

Section 15. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to the Environmental Protection Agency:

AIR POLLUTION CONTROL

Payable from U.S. Environmental
Protection Fund:

For Personal Services.....	4,177,300
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System.....	1,904,800
For State Contributions to Social Security.....	319,600
For Group Insurance.....	1,104,000
For Contractual Services.....	2,704,000
For Travel.....	31,600
For Commodities.....	132,000
For Printing.....	15,000
For Equipment.....	355,000
For Telecommunications Services.....	215,000
For Operation of Auto Equipment.....	52,000
For Use by the City of Chicago.....	374,600
For Expenses Related to Clean Air Activities.....	<u>4,950,000</u>
Total	\$16,334,900

Section 20. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to the Environmental Protection Agency:

LAND POLLUTION CONTROL

Payable from U.S. Environmental
Protection Fund:

For Personal Services.....	2,735,800
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System.....	1,247,500
For State Contributions to Social Security.....	209,300
For Group Insurance.....	825,000
For Contractual Services.....	200,000
For Travel.....	40,000
For Commodities.....	25,000
For Printing.....	20,000
For Equipment.....	26,000
For Telecommunications Services.....	100,000
For Operation of Auto Equipment.....	25,000
For Use by the Office of the Attorney General.....	0
For Underground Storage Tank Program.....	<u>2,600,000</u>
Total	\$8,053,600

Section 25. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, including prior year costs, are appropriated to the Environmental Protection Agency, payable from the U. S. Environmental Protection Fund, for use of remedial, preventive or corrective action in accordance with the Federal Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 as amended:

For Personal Services.....	1,064,200
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System.....	485,300
For State Contributions to Social Security.....	81,400

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For Group Insurance	295,000
For Contractual Services	140,000
For Travel	50,000
For Commodities	50,000
For Printing	10,000
For Equipment	50,000
For Telecommunications Services	50,000
For Operation of Auto Equipment	35,000
For Contractual Expenses Related to Remedial, Preventive or Corrective Actions in Accordance with the Federal Comprehensive and Liability Act of 1980, including Costs in Prior Years	<u>10,500,00</u>
Total	\$12,810,900

Section 30. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to the Environmental Protection Agency:

BUREAU OF WATER

Payable from U.S. Environmental Protection Fund:	
For Personal Services	7,124,500
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System	3,248,600
For State Contributions to Social Security	545,000
For Group Insurance	2,012,000
For Contractual Services	1,800,000
For Travel	113,900
For Commodities	30,500
For Printing	48,100
For Equipment	140,000
For Telecommunications Services	106,400
For Operation of Auto Equipment	34,800
For Use by the Department of Public Health	830,000
For non-point source pollution management and special water pollution studies including costs in prior years	8,950,000
For Water Quality Planning, including costs in prior years	900,000
For Use by the Department of Agriculture	<u>160,000</u>
Total	\$26,043,800

ARTICLE 7

Section 5. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of State Police, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for the following purposes:

DIVISION OF OPERATIONS

Payable from the Illinois State Police Federal Projects Fund:	
For Payment of Expenses	20,000,000

ARTICLE 8

Section 5. The sum of \$42,500,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the

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Criminal Justice Trust Fund to the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for awards and grants to local units of government and non-profit organizations.

Section 10. The sum of \$15,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Criminal Justice Trust Fund to the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority for awards and grants to state agencies.

Section 15. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority for activities undertaken in support of federal assistance programs administered by units of state and local government and non-profit organizations:

Payable from the Criminal Justice
Trust Fund 5,847,300

Section 20. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority for awards and grants and other monies received from federal agencies, from other units of government, and from private/not-for-profit organizations for activities undertaken in support of investigating issues in criminal justice and for undertaking other criminal justice information projects:

Payable from the Criminal Justice
Trust Fund 1,700,000

ARTICLE 9

Section 5. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Office of the State's Attorneys Appellate Prosecutor, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named to meet its ordinary and contingent expenses:

Payable from the Special Federal Grant Fund:
For Expenses Related to federally assisted
Programs to assist local State's Attorneys
including special appeals, drug related
cases, and cases arising under the
Narcotics Profit Forfeiture Act on the
request of the State's Attorney..... 2,200,000
Total \$2,200,000

ARTICLE 10

Section 5. The amount of \$200,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the State Appellate Defender Federal Trust Fund to the Office of the State Appellate Defender, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for expenses related to federally assisted programs to work on systemic sentencing issues appeals cases to which the agency is appointed.

ARTICLE 11

Section 5. The sum of \$1,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General Federal Grant Fund to the Office of the Attorney General, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for funding for federal grants.

Article 12

Section 5. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department of Revenue for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016:

PAYABLE FROM ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
FEDERAL TRUST FUND

For Administrative Costs Associated

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with the Illinois Department of
Revenue Federal Trust Fund..... 250,000

ARTICLE 13

Section 5. The following amounts, or so much of those amounts as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes named, are appropriated to the Illinois State Board of Education for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016:

FISCAL SUPPORT SERVICES

Payable from the SBE Federal Department of Agriculture Fund:

For Personal Services.....	334,800
For Employee Retirement Contributions	
Paid by Employer	5,300
For Retirement Contributions	133,900
For Social Security Contributions	30,900
For Group Insurance	128,800
For Contractual Services.....	2,100,000
For Travel	400,000
For Commodities	85,000
For Printing	156,300
For Equipment	310,000
For Telecommunications.....	50,000
Total	\$3,735,000

Payable from the SBE Federal Agency Services Fund:

For Contractual Services.....	26,500
For Travel	30,000
For Commodities	20,000
For Printing.....	700
For Equipment	11,000
For Telecommunications.....	9,000
Total	\$97,200

Payable from the SBE Federal Department of Education Fund:

For Personal Services.....	2,133,400
For Employee Retirement Contributions	
Paid by Employer	10,900
For Retirement Contributions	793,100
For Social Security Contributions	160,300
For Group Insurance	692,200
For Contractual Services.....	3,150,000
For Travel	1,600,000
For Commodities	305,000
For Printing.....	341,000
For Equipment.....	679,000
For Telecommunications.....	400,000
Total	\$10,264,900

INTERNAL AUDIT

Payable from the SBE Federal Department of Education Fund:

For Contractual Services.....	210,000
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SCHOOL SUPPORT SERVICES FOR ALL SCHOOLS

Payable from the SBE Federal Department of Agriculture Fund:

For Personal Services.....	3,496,200
For Employee Retirement Contributions	
Paid by Employer	11,500
For Retirement Contributions	1,472,900
For Social Security Contributions	160,300
For Group Insurance	1,028,800
For Contractual Services.....	4,710,500
Total	\$10,880,200

Payable from the SBE Federal Department of Education Fund:

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For Personal Services	507,300
For Employee Retirement Contributions	
Paid by Employer	6,400
For Retirement Contributions	198,400
For Social Security Contributions	80,100
For Group Insurance	113,100
For Contractual Services	<u>1,575,000</u>
Total	\$2,480,300
SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES	
Payable from the SBE Federal Department of Education Fund:	
For Personal Services	5,502,600
For Employee Retirement Contributions	
Paid by Employer	26,500
For Retirement Contributions	2,832,500
For Social Security Contributions	310,800
For Group Insurance	1,670,000
For Contractual Services	<u>4,200,000</u>
Total	\$14,542,400
TEACHING AND LEARNING SERVICES FOR ALL CHILDREN	
Payable from the SBE Federal Agency Services Fund:	
For Personal Services	106,800
For Retirement Contributions	56,700
For Social Security Contributions	5,400
For Group Insurance	26,000
For Contractual Services	<u>918,500</u>
Total	\$1,113,400
Payable from the SBE Federal Department of Education Fund:	
For Personal Services	5,815,900
For Employee Retirement Contributions	
Paid by Employer	54,300
For Retirement Contributions	2,245,200
For Social Security Contributions	511,500
For Group Insurance	1,544,900
For Contractual Services	<u>12,235,000</u>
Total	\$22,406,800

Section 10. The following amounts or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Illinois State Board of Education for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015:

Payable from the SBE Federal Department of Education Fund:

For Preschool Expansion	2,000,000
For Race to the Top	<u>30,000,000</u>
Total	\$32,000,000

Section 15. In addition to any other amounts appropriated for such purposes, the following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated from the SBE Federal Department of Education Fund, pursuant to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, to the Illinois State Board of Education for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015:

For Longitudinal Data System	5,000,000
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Section 20. The amount of \$23,780,300, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the SBE Federal Department of Education Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for Student Assessments.

Section 25. The amount of \$33,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the SBE Federal Department of Education Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for all costs associated with related activities for the Early Learning Challenge for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015.

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Section 30. The amount of \$3,800,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the State Board of Education Federal Agency Services Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education for all costs associated with the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services.

ARTICLE 14

Section 5. The following named sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Office of the Secretary of State, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for the following purposes:

For library services under the Federal Library Services and Technology Act, P.L. 104-208, as amended; and the National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209. These amounts are in addition to any amounts otherwise appropriated to the Office of the Secretary of State:

From Federal Library Services Fund..... 7,000,000

Section 10. The sum of \$500,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the SOS Federal Projects Fund to the Office of the Secretary of State for the payment of any operational expenses relating to the cost incident to augmenting the Illinois Commercial Motor Vehicle safety program by assuring and verifying the identity of drivers prior to licensure, including CDL operators; for improved security for Drivers Licenses and Personal Identification Cards; and any other related program deemed appropriate by the Office of the Secretary of State.

ARTICLE 15

Section 5. In addition to any other sums appropriated, the sum of \$267,827,400, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Title III Social Security and Employment Fund to the Department of Employment Security for operational expenses, awards, grants, and permanent improvements for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016.

Section 10. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Employment Security:

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Payable from Title III Social Security and Employment Fund:

For expenses related to the Development of Training Programs	100,000
For the expenses related to Employment Security Automation	7,000,000
For expenses related to a Benefit Information System Redefinition	4,500,000
Total	\$11,600,000

Payable from the Unemployment Compensation

Special Administration Fund:

For expenses related to Legal Assistance as required by law	2,000,000
For deposit into the Title III Social Security and Employment Fund.....	35,000,000
For Interest on Refunds of Erroneously Paid Contributions, Penalties and Interest	100,000
Total	\$37,100,000

Section 15. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Employment Security:

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Grants-In-Aid

Payable from Title III Social Security and Employment Fund:

For Tort Claims..... 675,000

Section 20. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Employment Security, for unemployment compensation benefits, other than benefits provided for in Section 3, to Former State Employees as follows:

TRUST FUND UNIT
Grants-In-Aid

Payable from Title III Social Security
and Employment Fund..... 1,734,300

ARTICLE 16

OPERATIONAL EXPENSES

Section 5. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016:

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION
OPERATIONS

Payable from the Intra-Agency Services Fund:
For overhead costs related to federal
programs, including prior year costs..... 19,539,400

Section 10. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity:

OFFICE OF EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING
GRANTS

Payable from the Federal Workforce Training Fund:
For Grants, Contracts and Administrative
Expenses Associated with the Workforce
Investment Act and other workforce
training programs, including refunds
and prior year costs..... 275,000,000

Section 15. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity:

OFFICE OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP, INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY
GRANTS

Payable from the Commerce and Community Affairs
Assistance Fund:
For grants, contracts and administrative
expenses of the Procurement Technical
Assistance Center Program, including
prior year costs 750,000
For Grants, Contracts, and Administrative
Expenses Pursuant to 20 ILCS 605/
605-500, including prior year costs..... 13,000,000
For Grants, Contracts, and Administrative
Expenses Pursuant to 20 ILCS 605/605-30,
including prior year costs 3,000,000
Total \$16,750,000

Section 20. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity:

OFFICE OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

Payable from the State Small Business Credit
Initiative Fund:
For the Purpose of Contracts, Grants,
Loans, Investments and Administrative
Expenses in Accordance with the State

Small Business Credit Initiative Program,
including prior year costs..... 40,000,000

Section 25. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity:

OFFICE OF ENERGY ASSISTANCE

GRANTS

Payable from Energy Administration Fund:

For Grants, Contracts and Administrative Expenses associated with DCEO Weatherization Programs, including refunds and prior year costs..... 25,000,000

Payable from Low Income Home Energy

Assistance Block Grant Fund:

For Grants, Contracts and Administrative Expenses associated with the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Act of 1981, including refunds and prior year..... 330,000,000

Section 30. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively are appropriated to the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity:

OFFICE OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

GRANTS

Payable from the Community Services Block Grant Fund:

For Administrative Expenses and Grants to Eligible Recipients as Defined in the Community Services Block Grant Act, including refunds and prior year costs..... 60,000,000

Payable from the Community Development

Small Cities Block Grant Fund:

For Grants, Contracts and Administrative Expenses related to the Section 108 Loan Guarantee Program, including refunds and prior year costs..... 40,000,000

For Grants to Local Units of Government or Other Eligible Recipients and for contracts and administrative expenses, as Defined in the Community Development Act of 1974, or by U.S. HUD Notice approving Supplemental allocation For the Illinois CDBG Program, including refunds and prior year costs..... 100,000,000

For Administrative and Grant Expenses Relating to Training, Technical Assistance and Administration of the Community Development Assistance Programs, and for Grants to Local Units of Government or Other Eligible Recipients as Defined in the Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, for Illinois Cities with populations under 50,000, including refunds, and prior year costs..... 120,000,000
Total \$320,000,000

Section 35. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity:

ILLINOIS ENERGY OFFICE

GRANTS

Payable from the DCEO Energy Projects Fund:

For Expenses and Grants Connected with

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Energy Programs, including prior year costs 3,000,000
 Payable from the Federal Energy Fund:
 For Expenses and Grants Connected with the State Energy Program, including prior year costs 3,000,000

ARTICLE 17

Section 5. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Illinois Council on Developmental Disabilities for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016:

Payable from Council on Developmental Disabilities Federal Fund:

For Personal Services.....	842,200
For State Contributions to the State Employees' Retirement System.....	384,000
For State Contributions to Social Security.....	64,400
For Group Insurance.....	276,000
For Contractual Services.....	469,700
For Travel.....	43,000
For Commodities.....	30,000
For Printing.....	37,500
For Equipment.....	15,000
For Electronic Data Processing.....	25,000
For Telecommunications Services.....	45,000
Total	\$2,231,800

Section 10. The amount of \$2,500,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Council on Developmental Disabilities Federal Fund to the Illinois Council on Developmental Disabilities for awards and grants to community agencies and other State agencies.

ARTICLE 18

Section 5. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Human Rights, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, from the Special Projects Division Fund:

For Personal Services.....	2,563,500
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System.....	1,085,400
For State Contributions to Social Security.....	172,200
For Group Insurance.....	464,000
For Contractual Services.....	183,000
For Travel.....	37,000
For Commodities.....	6,800
For Printing.....	9,300
For Equipment.....	9,600
For Telecommunications Services.....	7,000
Total	\$4,537,800

ARTICLE 19

Section 5. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:

For Expenses Associated with the Implementation of the Illinois Health Insurance Marketplace and Related Activities.....	30,000,000
For Expenses Associated with Support of Federally Funded Public Health Programs	300,000
For Operational Expenses to Support Refugee Health Care.....	<u>514,000</u>
Total	\$30,814,000

Section 10. The following named amount, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated to the Department of Public Health from the Public Health Services Fund for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

For Grants for the Development of Refugee Health Care.....	1,950,000
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Section 15. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

OFFICE OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:

For Personal Services.....	271,700
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System.....	123,900
For State Contributions to Social Security	21,100
For Group Insurance	80,000
For Contractual Services.....	485,000
For Travel	20,000
For Commodities	6,000
For Printing.....	21,000
For Equipment	80,000
For Telecommunications Services	250,000
For Operational Expenses of Maintaining the Vital Records System.....	<u>400,000</u>
Total	\$1,758,700

Section 20. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health as follows:

REFUNDS

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund.....	75,000
Payable from the Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant Fund.....	5,000
Payable from the Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant Fund.....	<u>5,000</u>
Total	\$85,000

Section 25. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

DIVISION OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:

For Expenses Associated with Support of Federally Funded Public Health Programs	1,450,000
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Section 30. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

OFFICE OF POLICY, PLANNING AND STATISTICS

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:

For expenses related to Epidemiological

Health Outcomes Investigations and Database Development	12,110,000
For expenses for Rural Health Center to expand the availability of Primary Health Care.....	2,000,000
For operational expenses to develop a Health Care Provider Recruitment and Retention Program.....	<u>300,000</u>
Total	\$14,410,000
Payable from the Public Health Federal Projects Fund:	
For expenses of Health Outcomes, Research, Policy and Surveillance	612,000
Payable from the Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant Fund:	
For expenses of Preventive Health and Health Services Needs Assessment	1,600,000
Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:	
For grants to develop a Health Care Provider Recruitment and Retention Program.....	450,000
For grants to develop a Health Professional Educational Loan Repayment Program.....	<u>1,364,600</u>
Total	\$1,814,600

Section 35. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

OFFICE OF HEALTH PROMOTION

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:	
For Personal Services.....	1,427,300
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System.....	650,900
For State Contributions to Social Security	109,200
For Group Insurance	381,000
For Contractual Services.....	650,000
For Travel	160,000
For Commodities	13,000
For Printing.....	44,000
For Equipment	50,000
For Telecommunications Services	<u>65,000</u>
Total	\$3,550,400
Payable from the Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant Fund:	
For Operational Expenses of Maternal and Child Health Programs	500,000
Payable from the Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant Fund:	
For Expenses of Preventive Health and Health Services Programs.....	1,226,800

Section 40. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

OFFICE OF HEALTH PROMOTION

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:	
For Grants for Public Health Programs, including Operational Expenses	9,530,000
Payable from the Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant Fund:	
For Grants for Maternal and Child Health	

Programs.....	495,000
Payable from the Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant Fund:	
For Grants for Prevention Programs including operational expenses.....	1,000,000

Section 60. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

OFFICE OF HEALTH CARE REGULATION

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:	
For Personal Services.....	9,420,500
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System.....	4,295,600
For State Contributions to Social Security	721,700
For Group Insurance	2,500,900
For Contractual Services.....	1,000,000
For Travel	1,100,000
For Commodities	8,200
For Printing.....	10,000
For Equipment	440,000
For Telecommunications.....	48,500
For Expenses of Monitoring in Long Term Care Facilities.....	2,000,000
Total	\$21,545,400

Section 65. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

OFFICE OF HEALTH PROTECTION

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:	
For Personal Services.....	5,945,700
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System.....	2,711,200
For State Contributions to Social Security	441,000
For Group Insurance	1,250,000
For Contractual Services.....	3,182,800
For Travel	345,700
For Commodities	405,000
For Printing.....	70,800
For Equipment	365,000
For Telecommunications Services	286,800
For Operation of Auto Equipment	40,000
For Expenses of Implementing Federal Awards, Including Services Performed by Local Health Providers	5,750,000
For Expenses Related to the Summer Food Inspection Program.....	45,000
Total	\$20,839,000

Section 75. The sum of \$4,000,000, is appropriated from the Public Health Services Fund to the Department of Public Health for immunizations, chronic disease and other public health programs in accordance with applicable laws and regulations for the State portion of federal funds made available by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009.

Section 80. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health for expenses of programs related to Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (AIDS) and Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV):

OFFICE OF HEALTH PROTECTION: AIDS/HIV

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:	
For Expenses of Programs for Prevention	

of AIDS/HIV	6,250,000
For Expenses for Surveillance Programs and Seroprevalence Studies of AIDS/HIV	1,750,000
For Expenses Associated with the Ryan White Comprehensive AIDS Resource Emergency Act of 1990 (CARE) and other AIDS/HIV services	<u>55,000,000</u>
Total	\$63,000,000

Section 85. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

PUBLIC HEALTH LABORATORIES

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:

For Personal Services	1,635,800
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System.....	745,900
For State Contributions to Social Security	125,200
For Group Insurance	315,700
For Contractual Services.....	535,000
For Travel	27,000
For Commodities	1,624,900
For Printing.....	10,000
For Equipment	500,000
For Telecommunications Services	<u>9,500</u>
Total	\$5,529,000

Section 90. The following named amounts, or as much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

OFFICE OF WOMEN'S HEALTH

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:

For Personal Services	710,100
For State Contributions to State Employees' Retirement System.....	323,800
For State Contributions to Social Security	54,400
For Group Insurance	250,000
For Contractual Services.....	500,000
For Travel	50,000
For Commodities	53,200
For Printing.....	34,500
For Equipment	50,000
For Telecommunications Services	10,000
For Expenses of Federally Funded Women's Health Program.....	<u>3,000,000</u>
Total	\$5,036,000

Section 95. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

OFFICE OF WOMEN'S HEALTH

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:

For Grants for Breast and Cervical Cancer Screenings in Fiscal Year 2016 and all prior fiscal years.....	6,000,000
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Section 100. The following named amounts, or as much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Public Health for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

OFFICE OF WOMEN'S HEALTH

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:

 For Expenses associated with Maternal and

Child Health Programs	15,000,000
Payable from the Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant Fund:	
For Expenses associated with Maternal and Child Health Programs	6,250,000
For Grants to the Chicago Department of Health for Maternal and Child Health Services	5,000,000
For Grants to the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois, Division of Specialized Care for Children	7,000,000
For Grants for the Extension and Provision of Perinatal Services for Premature and High-risk Infants and their Mothers	<u>2,500,000</u>
Total	\$20,750,000

Section 105. The following named amount, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated to the Department of Public Health for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

OFFICE OF PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE

Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:	
For Expenses of Federally Funded Bioterrorism Preparedness Activities and other Public Health Emergency Preparedness	70,000,000
Payable from the Public Health Services Fund:	
For expenses Associated with Community, Service and Volunteer Activities, including Prior Year Costs.....	15,000,000

ARTICLE 20

Section 5. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Children and Family Services for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016:

CHILD WELFARE

PAYABLE FROM DCFS FEDERAL PROJECTS FUND

For Federal Child Welfare Projects.....	816,600
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Section 10. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Children and Family Services:

CHILD PROTECTION

PAYABLE FROM DCFS FEDERAL PROJECTS FUND

For Federal Child Protection Projects	9,695,000
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ARTICLE 21

Section 5. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for income assistance and related distributive purposes, including such Federal funds as are made available by the Federal Government for the following purposes:

DISTRIBUTIVE ITEMS

GRANTS-IN-AID

Payable from Employment and Training Fund:	
For Temporary Assistance for Needy Families under Article IV and other social services including Emergency Assistance for families with Dependent Children in accordance with	

applicable laws and regulations
 for the State portion of federal
 funds made available by the American
 Recovery and Reinvestment Act
 of 2009 20,000,000

Section 10. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenditures of the Department of Human Services:

ADMINISTRATIVE AND PROGRAM SUPPORT

Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund:

For Personal Services	4,331,800
For Retirement Contributions	1,975,200
For State Contributions to Social Security	331,400
For Group Insurance	1,495,000
For Contractual Services	331,000
For Contractual Services:	
For Leased Property Management	5,076,200
For Travel	61,000
For Commodities	36,500
For Printing	7,000
For Equipment	48,600
For Telecommunications Services	1,226,500
For Operation of Auto Equipment	28,500
Total	\$14,948,700

For Contractual Services:

Payable from DHS Special Purposes Trust Fund	200,000
Payable from Old Age Survivors’ Insurance Fund	2,878,600
Payable from USDA Women, Infants and Children Fund	80,000
Payable from Local Initiative Fund	25,000
Payable from Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant Fund	40,000

Section 15. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services for the purposes hereinafter named:

GRANTS-IN-AID

For Tort Claims:
 Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund 10,000

Section 20. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services as follows:

REFUNDS

Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund	5,000
Payable from DHS Federal Projects Fund	25,000
Payable from USDA Women, Infants and Children Fund	200,000
Payable from Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant Fund	5,000

Section 25. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services for ordinary and contingent expenses:

MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SERVICES

Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund:

For Personal Services	1,474,700
For Retirement Contributions	672,400
For State Contributions to Social Security	112,800
For Group Insurance	299,000

For Contractual Services.....	205,000
For Contractual Services:	
For Information Technology Management	2,280,700
For Travel	10,000
For Commodities	30,600
For Printing.....	5,800
For Equipment	50,000
For Telecommunications Services	1,550,000
For Operation of Auto Equipment	2,800
Total	\$6,693,800
Payable from USDA Women, Infants and Children Fund:	
For Personal Services.....	332,100
For Retirement Contributions	151,400
For State Contributions to Social Security	25,400
For Group Insurance	69,000
For Contractual Services.....	25,400
For Contractual Services:	
For Information Technology Management	11,900
For Electronic Data Processing	0
Total	\$615,200
Payable from Maternal and Child Health Services	
Block Grant Fund:	
For Operational Expenses Associated with	
Support of Maternal and Child Health	
Programs.....	458,100

Section 30. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services:

BUREAU OF DISABILITY DETERMINATION SERVICES

Payable from Old Age Survivors' Insurance Fund:	
For Personal Services.....	35,753,400
For Retirement Contributions	16,302,800
For State Contributions to Social Security	2,735,100
For Group Insurance	10,580,000
For Contractual Services.....	11,601,800
For Travel	198,000
For Commodities	379,100
For Printing.....	384,000
For Equipment	1,600,900
For Telecommunications Services	1,404,700
For Operation of Auto Equipment	100
Total	\$80,939,900

Section 35. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services:

BUREAU OF DISABILITY DETERMINATION SERVICES

GRANTS-IN-AID

For Services to Disabled Individuals:	
Payable from Old Age Survivors' Insurance	25,000,000

Section 40. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services:

MENTAL HEALTH GRANTS AND PROGRAM SUPPORT

Payable from Community Mental Health Services	
Block Grant Fund:	
For Personal Services.....	512,000
For Retirement Contributions	233,500
For State Contributions to Social Security	39,200
For Group Insurance	115,000

For Contractual Services.....	119,400
For Travel	10,000
For Commodities	5,000
For Equipment	<u>5,000</u>
Total	\$1,039,100

Section 45. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services for Grants-In-Aid and Purchased Care in its various regions pursuant to Sections 3 and 4 of the Community Services Act and the Community Mental Health Act:

MENTAL HEALTH GRANTS AND PROGRAM SUPPORT
GRANTS-IN-AID AND PURCHASED CARE

For Community Service Grant Programs for Persons with Mental Illness: Payable from Community Mental Health Services Block Grant Fund	16,025,400
For Community Service Grant Programs for Persons with Mental Illness including administrative costs: Payable from DHS Federal Projects Fund.....	16,036,100
For Community Service Grant Programs for Children and Adolescents with Mental Illness: Payable from Community Mental Health Services Block Grant Fund	4,341,800

Section 50. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services for Grants-In-Aid and Purchased Care in its various regions pursuant to Sections 3 and 4 of the Community Services Act and the Community Mental Health Act:

DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES GRANTS AND PROGRAM SUPPORT
GRANTS-IN-AID AND PURCHASED CARE

For Community Based Services for Persons with Developmental Disabilities at the approximate cost set forth below: Payable from Community Developmental Disability Services Medicaid Trust Fund.....	50,000,000
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Section 55. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, to the Department of Human Services:

ADDICTION TREATMENT

Payable from Prevention and Treatment of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Block Grant Fund: For Personal Services.....	2,787,200
For Retirement Contributions	1,270,900
For State Contributions to Social Security	213,200
For Group Insurance	644,000
For Contractual Services.....	1,227,700
For Travel	200,000
For Commodities	53,800
For Printing.....	35,000
For Equipment	14,300
For Electronic Data Processing.....	300,000
For Telecommunications Services	117,800
For Operation of Auto Equipment	20,000
For Expenses Associated with the Administration of the Alcohol and Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Programs.....	<u>215,000</u>

Total	\$7,098,900
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Section 60. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, to the Department of Human Services:

ADDICTION TREATMENT
GRANTS-IN-AID

For Addiction Treatment and Related Services:

Payable from Prevention and Treatment of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse	
Block Grant Fund	57,500,000
Payable from Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Fund.....	15,000,000

Section 65. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services:

REHABILITATION SERVICES BUREAUS

Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund:

For Personal Services.....	40,854,200
For Retirement Contributions	18,622,100
For State Contributions to Social Security	3,124,800
For Group Insurance	12,389,400
For Contractual Services.....	8,689,800
For Travel	1,455,900
For Commodities	313,200
For Printing.....	150,100
For Equipment	669,900
For Telecommunications Services	1,493,200
For Operation of Auto Equipment	5,700
For Support Services In-Service Training.....	366,700
For Administrative Expenses of the Statewide Deaf Evaluation Center	<u>0</u>
Total	\$88,135,000

Section 70. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services:

REHABILITATION SERVICES BUREAUS
GRANTS-IN-AID

For Case Services to Individuals:

Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund, including prior year costs	55,000,000
For Implementation of Title VI, Part C of the Vocational Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as Amended--Supported Employment:	
Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund	1,900,000
For Small Business Enterprise Program:	
Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund	3,527,300
For Grants to Independent Living Centers:	
Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund	2,000,000
Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund	77,200
For Independent Living Older Blind Grant:	
Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund	1,745,500
For Project for Individuals of All Ages with Disabilities:	
Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund	1,050,000
For Case Services to Migrant Workers:	
Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund	210,000

Section 75. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary,

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respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services:

CLIENT ASSISTANCE PROJECT

Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund:

For Personal Services.....	478,000
For Retirement Contributions	218,000
For State Contributions to Social Security	36,600
For Group Insurance	184,000
For Contractual Services.....	28,500
For Travel	38,200
For Commodities	2,700
For Printing.....	400
For Equipment.....	32,100
For Telecommunications Services	12,800
Total	\$1,031,300

Section 80. The sum of \$50,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Vocational Rehabilitation Fund to the Department of Human Services for a grant relating to a Client Assistance Project.

Section 85. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services:

DIVISION OF REHABILITATION SERVICES PROGRAM
AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT

Payable from Rehabilitation Services

Elementary and Secondary Education Act Fund:

For Federally Assisted Programs	1,384,100
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Section 95. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenditures of the Department of Human Services:

CENTRAL SUPPORT AND CLINICAL SERVICES

Payable from DHS Federal Projects Fund:

For Federally Assisted Programs	6,004,200
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Section 100. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services:

ILLINOIS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund:

For Secondary Transitional Experience Program.....	50,000
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Section 105. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services:

ILLINOIS SCHOOL FOR THE VISUALLY IMPAIRED

Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund:

For Secondary Transitional Experience Program	42,900
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Section 110. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services:

ILLINOIS CENTER FOR REHABILITATION AND EDUCATION

Payable from Vocational Rehabilitation Fund:

For Secondary Transitional Experience Program	60,000
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Section 115. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services for the purposes hereinafter named:

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

Payable from DHS Special Purposes Trust Fund:

For Operation of Federal

Employment Programs 10,783,700

Section 120. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects hereinafter named, are appropriated to the Department of Human Services for Family and Community Services and related distributive purposes, including such Federal funds as are made available by the Federal government for the following purposes:

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES
GRANTS-IN-AID

Payable from Employment and Training Fund:
 For grants associated with Employment and Training Programs, income assistance and other social services including operating, administrative and prior year costs..... 485,000,000

Payable from DHS Special Purposes Trust Fund:
 For Emergency Food Program Transportation and Distribution, including grants and operations 5,163,800
 For Federal/State Employment Programs and Related Services 5,000,000
 For Grants Associated with the Great START Program, Including Operation and Administrative Costs..... 5,200,000
 For Grants Associated with Child Care Services, Including Operation, Administrative and prior year costs 197,535,400
 For Grants Associated with Migrant Child Care Services, Including Operation and Administrative Costs..... 3,422,400
 For Refugee Resettlement Purchase of Service, Including Operation and Administrative Costs..... 10,611,200
 For Grants Associated with the Head Start State Collaboration, including Operating and Administrative Costs 500,000

For Grants and Administrative Expenses for SSI Advocacy Services:
 Payable from DHS Special Purposes Trust Fund..... 1,009,400

Payable from DHS Special Purposes Trust Fund:
 For Community Grants 7,257,800
 For costs associated with Family Violence Prevention Services 5,018,200
 For grants and administrative costs associated with MIEC Home Visiting Program 14,006,800

Payable from Local Initiative Fund:
 For Purchase of Services under the Donated Funds Initiative Program, Including Operating and Administrative Costs 22,729,400

Payable from the DHS Federal Projects Fund:
 For Grants and all costs associated with implementing Public Health Programs 10,742,300

Payable from USDA Women, Infants and Children Fund:
 For Grants to Public and Private Agencies for costs of administering the USDA Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Nutrition Program 70,049,000
 For Grants for the Federal Commodity Supplemental Food Program..... 1,400,000
 For Grants and Administrative Expenses

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of the USDA Farmer's Market Nutrition Program.....	500,000
For Grants for Free Distribution of Food Supplies and for Grants for Nutrition Program Food Centers under the USDA Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Nutrition Program.....	251,000,000
Payable from the DHS Special Purposes Trust Fund: For Grants and all costs associated with the Race to the Top Program	16,000,000
For Grants and all costs associated with SNAP Education.....	18,000,000
For Grants and all costs Associated with SNAP Outreach	2,000,000
Payable from DHS Federal Projects Fund: For Grants and Administrative Expenses for Partnership for Success Program.....	5,000,000
For all costs associated with the Emergency Solutions Grants Program	12,000,000
Payable from the Juvenile Accountability Incentive Block Grant Fund: For all costs associated with the Juvenile Accountability Block Grant (JABG).....	10,000,000
Payable from the Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant Fund: For Grants and administrative expenses for Maternal and Child Health Programs, including programs appropriated elsewhere in this Section	9,401,200
Payable from Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs Fund: For Grants and administrative expenses of G.E.A.R.U.P.....	3,516,800
Payable from DHS Special Purposes Trust Fund: For Parents Too Soon Program, including grants and operations	2,505,000
For Grants and Administrative Expenses of Addiction Prevention and Related Services: Payable from Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Fund.....	2,500,000
Payable from Prevention and Treatment of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Block Grant Fund	16,000,000
Payable from the Juvenile Justice Trust Fund: For Grants and administrative costs associated with Juvenile Justice Planning and Action Grants for Local Units of Government and Non-Profit Organizations including Prior Year Costs.....	4,000,000

The Department may enter into agreements to expend amounts appropriated in Section 200 above "For Refugee Resettlement Purchase of Services, Including Operation and Administrative Costs" with only those entities authorized to expend amounts appropriated for the same purpose in State fiscal year 2014 as of May 24, 2014.

Section 5. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Healthcare and Family Services, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for the purposes hereinafter named:

Section 10. The amount of \$200,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated to the Department of Healthcare and Family Services from the Special Education Medicaid Matching Fund for payments to local education agencies for medical services and other costs eligible for federal reimbursement under Title XIX or Title XXI of the federal Social Security Act.

Section 15. The sum of \$200,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated to the Department of Healthcare and Family Services from the Electronic Health Record Incentive Fund for the purpose of payments to qualifying health care providers to encourage the adoption and use of certified electronic health records technology pursuant to paragraph 1903 (b)(1) of the Social Security Act.

ARTICLE 23

Section 5. The amount of \$125,000, or so much thereof as may necessary, is appropriated to the Department of Veterans' Affairs, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for costs associated with the operation of a program for homeless veterans at the Illinois Veterans' Home at Manteno from the Veterans' Affairs Federal Projects Fund.

Section 10. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Veterans' Affairs for the objects and purposes hereinafter named:

STATE APPROVING AGENCY

Payable from GI Education Fund:

For Personal Services.....	569,500
For State Contributions to the State	
Employees' Retirement System.....	259,700
For State Contributions to	
Social Security.....	43,600
For Group Insurance.....	161,000
For Contractual Services.....	61,200
For Travel.....	42,300
For Commodities.....	3,300
For Printing.....	12,000
For Equipment.....	72,000
For Electronic Data Processing.....	12,600
For Telecommunications Services.....	17,600
For Operation of Auto Equipment.....	12,500
Total	\$1,267,300

Section 15. The amount of \$220,500, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Veterans' Affairs Federal Projects Fund to the Department of Veterans' Affairs for operating and administrative costs associated with the Troops to Teachers Program.

ARTICLE 24

Section 5. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department on Aging for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016:

ENTIRE AGENCY

Section 10. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department on Aging:

Payable from Services for Older

Americans Fund:

For Personal Services.....	287,600
For State Contributions to State	
Employees' Retirement System.....	131,100
For State Contributions to Social Security.....	20,500

For Group Insurance	69,000
For Contractual Services	50,000
For Travel	15,200
For Commodities	6,500
For Printing	0
For Equipment	2,000
For Electronic Data Processing	60,000
For Telecommunications	60,000
For Operations of Auto Equipment	2,000
Total	\$703,900

Section 15. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department on Aging:

DIVISION OF HOME AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

Payable from Services for Older

Americans Fund:

For Personal Services	790,100
For State Contributions to State	
Employees' Retirement System	360,300
For State Contributions to Social Security	60,400
For Group Insurance	207,000
For Contractual Services	36,000
For Travel	65,000
For Printing	0
For Telecommunications	0
Total	\$1,518,800

Section 20. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department on Aging:

DISTRIBUTIVE ITEMS

OPERATIONS

Payable from the Senior Health Insurance

Program Fund:

For the Senior Health Insurance Program	2,300,000
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Payable from Services for Older

Americans Fund:

For Expenses of Senior Meal Program	120,300
For Older Americans Training	100,000
For Ombudsman Training and	
Conference Planning	150,000
For Expenses of the Discretionary	
Government Projects	4,000,000
Total	\$4,370,300

Payable from services for Older Americans Fund:

For Administrative Expenses of

Title V Services	300,000
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DISTRIBUTIVE ITEMS

GRANTS-IN-AID

Payable from Services for Older Americans Fund:

For Adult Food Care Program	200,000
For Title V Employment Services	6,000,000
For Title III C-1 Congregate Meals Program	26,000,000
For Title III C-2 Home Delivered	
Meals Program	17,500,000
For Title III Social Services	22,000,000
For National Lunch Program	2,500,000
For National Family Caregiver	

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Support Program.....	7,000,000
For Title VII Prevention of Elder Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation	500,000
For Title VII Long Term Care	
Ombudsman Services for Older Americans	1,000,000
For Title III D Preventive Health	1,000,000
For Nutrition Services Incentive Program.....	8,000,000
For Additional Title V Grant.....	<u>0</u>
Total	\$91,700,000

ARTICLE 25

The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Transportation, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, as follows:

FOR TRAFFIC SAFETY

Section 5. The sum of \$4,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Federal Mass Transit Trust Fund to the Department of Transportation for federal reimbursement of costs associated with Safety and Security Oversight as set forth in MAP-21.

FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

Section 10. The sum of \$1,037,400, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Federal Mass Transit Trust Fund to the Department of Transportation for federal reimbursement of transit studies as provided by MAP-21.

ARTICLE 26

The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Department of Transportation, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, as follows:

Section 5. The sum of \$4,680,060, or so much thereof as may be necessary, and remains unexpended at the close of business on June 30, 2015, from the appropriation and reappropriation heretofore made in Article 20, Section 175 and Article 21, Section 75 of Public Act 98-0681, as amended, is reappropriated from the Federal Mass Transit Trust Fund to the Department of Transportation for federal reimbursement of transit studies as provided by SAFETEA-LU and MAP-21.

ARTICLE 27

Section 5. The following named amounts, or so much of that amount as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Court of Claims, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for payment of claims as follows:

For claims under the Crime Victims

Compensation Act:

 Payable from the Court of Claims

 Federal Grant Fund

	10,000,000
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Section 10. The following named amounts, or so much of that amount as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Court of Claims for payment of claims as follows:

For claims other than the Crime Victims

Compensation Act:

 Payable from the Vocational

 Rehabilitation Fund.....

	125,000
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 Payable from the Court

 of Claims Federal Recovery Victim

 Compensation Grant Fund

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 Total

	\$133,000
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ARTICLE 28

Section 5. The amount of \$2,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Department of Labor Federal Trust Fund to the Department of Labor, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, for all costs associated with promoting and enforcing the occupational safety and health administration state program for public sector worksites.

Section 10. The amount of \$2,970,000, or so much thereof as necessary, is appropriated from the Federal Industrial Services Fund to the Department of Labor for administrative and other expenses, for the Occupational Safety and Health Administration Program, including refunds and prior year costs.

Section 15. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department of Labor:

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Payable from Federal Industrial Services Fund:

For Contractual Services..... 30,000

ARTICLE 29

Section 5. The sum of \$5,500,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the BHE Federal Grants Fund to the Board of Higher Education to be expended under the terms and conditions associated with the federal contracts and grants moneys received for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016.

ARTICLE 30

Section 5. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated to the Illinois Student Assistance Commission from the Student Loan Operating Fund for its ordinary and contingent expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016:

For Administration

For Personal Services.....	17,208,900
For State Contributions to State Employees Retirement System	7,765,100
For State Contributions to Social Security	1,316,600
For State Contributions for Employees Group Insurance	7,700,000
For Contractual Services.....	12,630,700
For Travel	311,000
For Commodities	282,200
For Printing.....	501,000
For Equipment	540,000
For Telecommunications.....	1,897,900
For Operation of Auto Equipment	<u>38,400</u>
Total	\$50,191,800

Section 10. The sum of \$2,500,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated to the Illinois Student Assistance Commission from the Student Loan Operating Fund for costs associated with Federal Loan System Development and Maintenance.

Section 15. The sum of \$15,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated to the Illinois Student Assistance Commission from the Student Loan Operating Fund for distribution as necessary for the following: for payment of collection agency fees associated with collection activities for Federal Family Education Loans, for Default Aversion Fee reversals, and for distributions as necessary and provided for under the Federal Higher Education Act.

Section 20. The following named sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Federal Congressional Teacher Scholarship Program Fund to the Illinois Student Assistance Commission for the following purpose:

For transferring repayment funds collected under the Paul Douglas Teacher Scholarship Program to the U.S. Treasury 400,000

Section 25. The sum of \$261,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Federal Student Loan Fund to the Illinois Student Assistance Commission for distribution when necessary as a result of the following: for guarantees of loans that are uncollectible, for collection payments to the Student Loan Operating Fund as required under agreements with the United States Secretary of Education, for payment to the Student Loan Operating Fund for Default Aversion Fees, for transfers to the U.S. Treasury, or for other distributions as necessary and provided for under the Federal Higher Education Act.

Section 30. The sum of \$15,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Federal Student Incentive Trust Fund to the Illinois Student Assistance Commission for allowable uses of federal grant funds related to college access, outreach, and training, including but not limited to funds received under the federal College Access Challenge Grant Program.

Section 35. The sum of \$500,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Federal Student Incentive Trust Fund to the Illinois Student Assistance Commission for the John R. Justice Student Loan Repayment Program.

ARTICLE 31

Section 5. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to the Illinois Arts Council, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, to enhance the cultural environment in Illinois:

Payable from the Illinois Arts Council
Federal Grant Fund:
For Grants and Programs to Enhance the Cultural Environment..... 935,000
For the purposes of Administrative Costs and Awarding Grants associated with the Education Leadership Institute..... 0

Section 10. In addition to other amounts appropriated for this purpose, the following named sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the object and purpose hereinafter named, is appropriated to the Illinois Arts Council to enhance the cultural environment in Illinois:

Payable from Illinois Arts Council
Federal Grant Fund:
For Grants and Programs to Enhance the Cultural Environment and associated administrative costs..... 65,000

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1, 2015.”.

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment was adopted and ordered printed.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

READING BILL OF THE SENATE A THIRD TIME

On motion of Senator Steans, at the request of the sponsor, **Senate Bill No. 2042** having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, “Shall this bill pass?” it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

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YEAS 57; NAYS None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff	Duffy	Luechtefeld	Rezin
Anderson	Forby	Manar	Righter
Barickman	Haine	Martinez	Rose
Bennett	Harmon	McCann	Sandoval
Bertino-Tarrant	Harris	McCarter	Silverstein
Biss	Hastings	McConnaughay	Stadelman
Bivins	Holmes	McGuire	Steans
Brady	Hunter	Morrison	Sullivan
Bush	Hutchinson	Mulroe	Syverson
Clayborne	Jones, E.	Muñoz	Trotter
Collins	Koehler	Murphy	Van Pelt
Connelly	Kotowski	Noland	Mr. President
Cullerton, T.	Landek	Nybo	
Cunningham	Lightford	Radogno	
Delgado	Link	Raoul	

This bill, having received the vote of three-fifths of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

SENATE BILL RECALLED

On motion of Senator J. Cullerton, **Senate Bill No. 318** was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

Senator J. Cullerton offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 318

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 318 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by changing Sections 18-185, 18-190, 18-205, 18-213, and 18-214 and by adding Section 18-242 as follows:

(35 ILCS 200/18-185)

Sec. 18-185. Short title; definitions. This Division 5 may be cited as the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law. As used in this Division 5:

"Consumer Price Index" means the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for all items published by the United States Department of Labor.

"Extension limitation", except as otherwise provided in this paragraph, means (a) the lesser of 5% or the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index during the 12-month calendar year preceding the levy year or (b) the rate of increase approved by voters under Section 18-205. For the 2016 levy year only, "extension limitation" means (i) for each taxing district having the majority of its 2015 equalized assessed value outside of Cook County, 0% or the rate of increase approved by the voters under Section 18-205 and (ii) for each taxing district having the majority of its 2015 equalized assessed value within Cook County, (a) the lesser of 5% or the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index during the 12-month calendar year preceding the levy year or (b) the rate of increase approved by voters under Section 18-205. For the 2017 levy year only, "extension limitation" means 0% or the rate of increase approved by the voters under Section 18-205. For the 2018 levy year only, "extension limitation" means (i) for each taxing district having the majority of its 2015 equalized assessed value within Cook County, 0% or the rate of increase approved by the voters under Section 18-205 and (ii) for each taxing district having the majority of its 2015 equalized assessed value outside of Cook County, (a) the lesser of 5% or the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index during the 12-month calendar year preceding the levy year or (b) the rate of increase approved by voters under Section 18-205.

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"Affected county" means a county of 3,000,000 or more inhabitants or a county contiguous to a county of 3,000,000 or more inhabitants.

"Taxing district" has the same meaning provided in Section 1-150, except as otherwise provided in this Section. For the 1991 through 1994 levy years only, "taxing district" includes only each non-home rule taxing district having the majority of its 1990 equalized assessed value within any county or counties contiguous to a county with 3,000,000 or more inhabitants. Beginning with the 1995 levy year and through the 2015 levy year, and beginning again with the 2019 levy year, "taxing district" includes only each non-home rule taxing district subject to this Law before the 1995 levy year and each non-home rule taxing district not subject to this Law before the 1995 levy year having the majority of its 1994 equalized assessed value in an affected county or counties. Beginning with the levy year in which this Law becomes applicable to a taxing district as provided in Section 18-213, "taxing district" also includes those taxing districts made subject to this Law as provided in Section 18-213. For the 2016 levy year, "taxing district" includes only: (1) each taxing district that (A) has the majority of its 2015 equalized assessed value within Cook County and (B) was subject to this Law in the 2015 levy year, and (2) each taxing district, as defined in Section 1-150, that has the majority of its 2015 equalized assessed value outside of Cook County, including home rule units having the majority of their 2015 equalized assessed value outside of Cook County. For the 2017 levy year, "taxing district" has the same meaning provided in Section 1-150, and includes home rule units. For the 2018 levy year, "taxing district" includes only: (1) each taxing district subject to this Law during the 2015 levy year, (2) each home rule and non-home rule taxing district that has the majority of its 2015 equalized assessed value within Cook County, and (3) those taxing districts made subject to this Law as provided in Section 18-213.

"Aggregate extension" for taxing districts to which this Law applied before the 1995 levy year means the annual corporate extension for the taxing district and those special purpose extensions that are made annually for the taxing district, excluding special purpose extensions: (a) made for the taxing district to pay interest or principal on general obligation bonds that were approved by referendum; (b) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on general obligation bonds issued before October 1, 1991; (c) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on bonds issued to refund or continue to refund those bonds issued before October 1, 1991; (d) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on bonds issued to refund or continue to refund bonds issued after October 1, 1991 that were approved by referendum; (e) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on revenue bonds issued before October 1, 1991 for payment of which a property tax levy or the full faith and credit of the unit of local government is pledged; however, a tax for the payment of interest or principal on those bonds shall be made only after the governing body of the unit of local government finds that all other sources for payment are insufficient to make those payments; (f) made for payments under a building commission lease when the lease payments are for the retirement of bonds issued by the commission before October 1, 1991, to pay for the building project; (g) made for payments due under installment contracts entered into before October 1, 1991; (h) made for payments of principal and interest on bonds issued under the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District Act to finance construction projects initiated before October 1, 1991; (i) made for payments of principal and interest on limited bonds, as defined in Section 3 of the Local Government Debt Reform Act, in an amount not to exceed the debt service extension base less the amount in items (b), (c), (e), and (h) of this definition for non-referendum obligations, except obligations initially issued pursuant to referendum; (j) made for payments of principal and interest on bonds issued under Section 15 of the Local Government Debt Reform Act; (k) made by a school district that participates in the Special Education District of Lake County, created by special education joint agreement under Section 10-22.31 of the School Code, for payment of the school district's share of the amounts required to be contributed by the Special Education District of Lake County to the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund under Article 7 of the Illinois Pension Code; the amount of any extension under this item (k) shall be certified by the school district to the county clerk; (l) made to fund expenses of providing joint recreational programs for the handicapped under Section 5-8 of the Park District Code or Section 11-95-14 of the Illinois Municipal Code; (m) made for temporary relocation loan repayment purposes pursuant to Sections 2-3.77 and 17-2.2d of the School Code; (n) made for payment of principal and interest on any bonds issued under the authority of Section 17-2.2d of the School Code; (o) made for contributions to a firefighter's pension fund created under Article 4 of the Illinois Pension Code, to the extent of the amount certified under item (5) of Section 4-134 of the Illinois Pension Code; and (p) made for road purposes in the first year after a township assumes the rights, powers, duties, assets, property, liabilities, obligations, and responsibilities of a road district abolished under the provisions of Section 6-133 of the Illinois Highway Code ; and (q) for the 2016 and 2017 levy years, made for public safety purposes.

"Aggregate extension" for the taxing districts to which this Law did not apply before the 1995 levy year (except taxing districts subject to this Law in accordance with Section 18-213 or this amendatory Act of

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the 99th General Assembly) means the annual corporate extension for the taxing district and those special purpose extensions that are made annually for the taxing district, excluding special purpose extensions: (a) made for the taxing district to pay interest or principal on general obligation bonds that were approved by referendum; (b) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on general obligation bonds issued before March 1, 1995; (c) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on bonds issued to refund or continue to refund those bonds issued before March 1, 1995; (d) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on bonds issued to refund or continue to refund bonds issued after March 1, 1995 that were approved by referendum; (e) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on revenue bonds issued before March 1, 1995 for payment of which a property tax levy or the full faith and credit of the unit of local government is pledged; however, a tax for the payment of interest or principal on those bonds shall be made only after the governing body of the unit of local government finds that all other sources for payment are insufficient to make those payments; (f) made for payments under a building commission lease when the lease payments are for the retirement of bonds issued by the commission before March 1, 1995 to pay for the building project; (g) made for payments due under installment contracts entered into before March 1, 1995; (h) made for payments of principal and interest on bonds issued under the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District Act to finance construction projects initiated before October 1, 1991; (h-4) made for stormwater management purposes by the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago under Section 12 of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District Act; (i) made for payments of principal and interest on limited bonds, as defined in Section 3 of the Local Government Debt Reform Act, in an amount not to exceed the debt service extension base less the amount in items (b), (c), and (e) of this definition for non-referendum obligations, except obligations initially issued pursuant to referendum and bonds described in subsection (h) of this definition; (j) made for payments of principal and interest on bonds issued under Section 15 of the Local Government Debt Reform Act; (k) made for payments of principal and interest on bonds authorized by Public Act 88-503 and issued under Section 20a of the Chicago Park District Act for aquarium or museum projects; (l) made for payments of principal and interest on bonds authorized by Public Act 87-1191 or 93-601 and (i) issued pursuant to Section 21.2 of the Cook County Forest Preserve District Act, (ii) issued under Section 42 of the Cook County Forest Preserve District Act for zoological park projects, or (iii) issued under Section 44.1 of the Cook County Forest Preserve District Act for botanical gardens projects; (m) made pursuant to Section 34-53.5 of the School Code, whether levied annually or not; (n) made to fund expenses of providing joint recreational programs for the handicapped under Section 5-8 of the Park District Code or Section 11-95-14 of the Illinois Municipal Code; (o) made by the Chicago Park District for recreational programs for the handicapped under subsection (c) of Section 7.06 of the Chicago Park District Act; (p) made for contributions to a firefighter's pension fund created under Article 4 of the Illinois Pension Code, to the extent of the amount certified under item (5) of Section 4-134 of the Illinois Pension Code; and (q) made by Ford Heights School District 169 under Section 17-9.02 of the School Code ; and (r) for the 2017 and 2018 levy years, made for public safety purposes.

"Aggregate extension" for all taxing districts to which this Law applies in accordance with Section 18-213, except for those taxing districts subject to paragraph (2) of subsection (e) of Section 18-213, means the annual corporate extension for the taxing district and those special purpose extensions that are made annually for the taxing district, excluding special purpose extensions: (a) made for the taxing district to pay interest or principal on general obligation bonds that were approved by referendum; (b) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on general obligation bonds issued before the date on which the referendum making this Law applicable to the taxing district is held; (c) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on bonds issued to refund or continue to refund those bonds issued before the date on which the referendum making this Law applicable to the taxing district is held; (d) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on bonds issued to refund or continue to refund bonds issued after the date on which the referendum making this Law applicable to the taxing district is held if the bonds were approved by referendum after the date on which the referendum making this Law applicable to the taxing district is held; (e) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on revenue bonds issued before the date on which the referendum making this Law applicable to the taxing district is held for payment of which a property tax levy or the full faith and credit of the unit of local government is pledged; however, a tax for the payment of interest or principal on those bonds shall be made only after the governing body of the unit of local government finds that all other sources for payment are insufficient to make those payments; (f) made for payments under a building commission lease when the lease payments are for the retirement of bonds issued by the commission before the date on which the referendum making this Law applicable to the taxing district is held to pay for the building project; (g) made for payments due under installment contracts entered into before the date on which the referendum making this Law applicable to the taxing district is held; (h) made for payments of principal and interest on limited bonds, as defined in

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Section 3 of the Local Government Debt Reform Act, in an amount not to exceed the debt service extension base less the amount in items (b), (c), and (e) of this definition for non-referendum obligations, except obligations initially issued pursuant to referendum; (i) made for payments of principal and interest on bonds issued under Section 15 of the Local Government Debt Reform Act; (j) made for a qualified airport authority to pay interest or principal on general obligation bonds issued for the purpose of paying obligations due under, or financing airport facilities required to be acquired, constructed, installed or equipped pursuant to, contracts entered into before March 1, 1996 (but not including any amendments to such a contract taking effect on or after that date); (k) made to fund expenses of providing joint recreational programs for the handicapped under Section 5-8 of the Park District Code or Section 11-95-14 of the Illinois Municipal Code; (l) made for contributions to a firefighter's pension fund created under Article 4 of the Illinois Pension Code, to the extent of the amount certified under item (5) of Section 4-134 of the Illinois Pension Code; ~~and~~ (m) made for the taxing district to pay interest or principal on general obligation bonds issued pursuant to Section 19-3.10 of the School Code ; and (n) for the 2016 and 2017 levy years, made for public safety purposes.

"Aggregate extension" for all taxing districts to which this Law applies in accordance with paragraph (2) of subsection (c) of Section 18-213 means the annual corporate extension for the taxing district and those special purpose extensions that are made annually for the taxing district, excluding special purpose extensions: (a) made for the taxing district to pay interest or principal on general obligation bonds that were approved by referendum; (b) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on general obligation bonds issued before the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1997; (c) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on bonds issued to refund or continue to refund those bonds issued before the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1997; (d) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on bonds issued to refund or continue to refund bonds issued after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1997 if the bonds were approved by referendum after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1997; (e) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on revenue bonds issued before the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1997 for payment of which a property tax levy or the full faith and credit of the unit of local government is pledged; however, a tax for the payment of interest or principal on those bonds shall be made only after the governing body of the unit of local government finds that all other sources for payment are insufficient to make those payments; (f) made for payments under a building commission lease when the lease payments are for the retirement of bonds issued by the commission before the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1997 to pay for the building project; (g) made for payments due under installment contracts entered into before the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1997; (h) made for payments of principal and interest on limited bonds, as defined in Section 3 of the Local Government Debt Reform Act, in an amount not to exceed the debt service extension base less the amount in items (b), (c), and (e) of this definition for non-referendum obligations, except obligations initially issued pursuant to referendum; (i) made for payments of principal and interest on bonds issued under Section 15 of the Local Government Debt Reform Act; (j) made for a qualified airport authority to pay interest or principal on general obligation bonds issued for the purpose of paying obligations due under, or financing airport facilities required to be acquired, constructed, installed or equipped pursuant to, contracts entered into before March 1, 1996 (but not including any amendments to such a contract taking effect on or after that date); (k) made to fund expenses of providing joint recreational programs for the handicapped under Section 5-8 of the Park District Code or Section 11-95-14 of the Illinois Municipal Code; ~~and~~ (l) made for contributions to a firefighter's pension fund created under Article 4 of the Illinois Pension Code, to the extent of the amount certified under item (5) of Section 4-134 of the Illinois Pension Code ; and (n) for the 2016 and 2017 levy years, made for public safety purposes.

"Aggregate extension", for all taxing districts to which this Law did not apply before the 2016 levy year (other than taxing districts having a majority of their 2015 equalized assessed value within Cook County) for levy years 2016 and 2017, and for taxing districts having a majority of their 2015 equalized assessed value within Cook County for levy years 2017 and 2018, means the annual corporate extension for the taxing district and those special purpose extensions that are made annually for the taxing district, excluding special purpose extensions: (a) made for the taxing district to pay interest or principal on general obligation bonds that were approved by referendum; (b) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on general obligation bonds issued before March 1, 2016; (c) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on bonds issued to refund or continue to refund those bonds issued before March 1, 2016; (d) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on bonds issued to refund or continue to refund bonds issued after February 28, 2016 that were approved by referendum; (e) made for any taxing district to pay interest or principal on revenue bonds issued before March 1, 2016 for payment of which a property tax levy or the full faith and credit of the unit of local government is pledged; however, a tax for the payment of interest or principal on those bonds shall be made only after the governing body of the unit of

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local government finds that all other sources for payment are insufficient to make those payments; (f) made for payments under a building commission lease when the lease payments are for the retirement of bonds issued by the commission before March 1, 2016 to pay for the building project; (g) made for payments due under installment contracts entered into before March 1, 2016; (h) made for payments of principal and interest on limited bonds, as defined in Section 3 of the Local Government Debt Reform Act, in an amount not to exceed the debt service extension base less the amount in items (b), (c), and (e) of this definition for non-referendum obligations, except obligations initially issued pursuant to referendum; (i) made for payments of principal and interest on bonds issued under Section 15 of the Local Government Debt Reform Act; (j) made to fund expenses of providing joint recreational programs for the handicapped under Section 5-8 of the Park District Code or Section 11-95-14 of the Illinois Municipal Code; (k) made for temporary relocation loan repayment purposes pursuant to Sections 2-3.77 and 17-2.2d of the School Code; (l) made for payment of principal and interest on any bonds issued under the authority of Section 17-2.2d of the School Code; (m) made for contributions to a firefighter's pension fund created under Article 4 of the Illinois Pension Code, to the extent of the amount certified under item (5) of Section 4-134 of the Illinois Pension Code; and (n) made for public safety purposes.

"Made for public safety purposes", includes, but is not limited to, special purpose extensions made under any of the following Sections: Section 3-125 or 4-118 of the Illinois Pension Code; Section 11-1-3, 11-1-5.1, 11-7-1, or 11-7-3 of the Illinois Municipal Code; Section 30-160, 30-165, 200-10, or 200-12 of the Township Code; Section 13, 14, 22, 23, or 24 of the Fire Protection District Act; Section 5-9 of the Park District Code; or Section 11 of the Rescue Squad Districts Act.

"Debt service extension base" means an amount equal to that portion of the extension for a taxing district for the 1994 levy year, or for those taxing districts subject to this Law in accordance with Section 18-213, except for those subject to paragraph (2) of subsection (e) of Section 18-213, for the levy year in which the referendum making this Law applicable to the taxing district is held, or for those taxing districts subject to this Law in accordance with paragraph (2) of subsection (e) of Section 18-213 for the 1996 levy year, or for those taxing districts that become subject to this Law as a result of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly for the levy year in which the taxing district first becomes subject to this Law, constituting an extension for payment of principal and interest on bonds issued by the taxing district without referendum, but not including excluded non-referendum bonds. For park districts (i) that were first subject to this Law in 1991 or 1995 and (ii) whose extension for the 1994 levy year for the payment of principal and interest on bonds issued by the park district without referendum (but not including excluded non-referendum bonds) was less than 51% of the amount for the 1991 levy year constituting an extension for payment of principal and interest on bonds issued by the park district without referendum (but not including excluded non-referendum bonds), "debt service extension base" means an amount equal to that portion of the extension for the 1991 levy year constituting an extension for payment of principal and interest on bonds issued by the park district without referendum (but not including excluded non-referendum bonds). A debt service extension base established or increased at any time pursuant to any provision of this Law, except Section 18-212, shall be increased each year commencing with the later of (i) the 2009 levy year or (ii) the first levy year in which this Law becomes applicable to the taxing district, by the lesser of 5% or the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index during the 12-month calendar year preceding the levy year. The debt service extension base may be established or increased as provided under Section 18-212. "Excluded non-referendum bonds" means (i) bonds authorized by Public Act 88-503 and issued under Section 20a of the Chicago Park District Act for aquarium and museum projects; (ii) bonds issued under Section 15 of the Local Government Debt Reform Act; or (iii) refunding obligations issued to refund or to continue to refund obligations initially issued pursuant to referendum.

"Special purpose extensions" include, but are not limited to, extensions for levies made on an annual basis for unemployment and workers' compensation, self-insurance, contributions to pension plans, and extensions made pursuant to Section 6-601 of the Illinois Highway Code for a road district's permanent road fund whether levied annually or not. The extension for a special service area is not included in the aggregate extension.

"Aggregate extension base" means the taxing district's last preceding aggregate extension as adjusted under Sections 18-135, 18-215, and 18-230. An adjustment under Section 18-135 shall be made for the 2007 levy year and all subsequent levy years whenever one or more counties within which a taxing district is located (i) used estimated valuations or rates when extending taxes in the taxing district for the last preceding levy year that resulted in the over or under extension of taxes, or (ii) increased or decreased the tax extension for the last preceding levy year as required by Section 18-135(c). Whenever an adjustment is required under Section 18-135, the aggregate extension base of the taxing district shall be equal to the amount that the aggregate extension of the taxing district would have been for the last preceding levy year if either or both (i) actual, rather than estimated, valuations or rates had been used to calculate the extension

of taxes for the last levy year, or (ii) the tax extension for the last preceding levy year had not been adjusted as required by subsection (c) of Section 18-135.

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for levy year 2012, the aggregate extension base for West Northfield School District No. 31 in Cook County shall be \$12,654,592.

"Levy year" has the same meaning as "year" under Section 1-155.

"New property" means (i) the assessed value, after final board of review or board of appeals action, of new improvements or additions to existing improvements on any parcel of real property that increase the assessed value of that real property during the levy year multiplied by the equalization factor issued by the Department under Section 17-30, (ii) the assessed value, after final board of review or board of appeals action, of real property not exempt from real estate taxation, which real property was exempt from real estate taxation for any portion of the immediately preceding levy year, multiplied by the equalization factor issued by the Department under Section 17-30, including the assessed value, upon final stabilization of occupancy after new construction is complete, of any real property located within the boundaries of an otherwise or previously exempt military reservation that is intended for residential use and owned by or leased to a private corporation or other entity, (iii) in counties that classify in accordance with Section 4 of Article IX of the Illinois Constitution, an incentive property's additional assessed value resulting from a scheduled increase in the level of assessment as applied to the first year final board of review market value, and (iv) any increase in assessed value due to oil or gas production from an oil or gas well required to be permitted under the Hydraulic Fracturing Regulatory Act that was not produced in or accounted for during the previous levy year. In addition, the county clerk in a county containing a population of 3,000,000 or more shall include in the 1997 recovered tax increment value for any school district, any recovered tax increment value that was applicable to the 1995 tax year calculations.

"Qualified airport authority" means an airport authority organized under the Airport Authorities Act and located in a county bordering on the State of Wisconsin and having a population in excess of 200,000 and not greater than 500,000.

"Recovered tax increment value" means, except as otherwise provided in this paragraph, the amount of the current year's equalized assessed value, in the first year after a municipality terminates the designation of an area as a redevelopment project area previously established under the Tax Increment Allocation Development Act in the Illinois Municipal Code, previously established under the Industrial Jobs Recovery Law in the Illinois Municipal Code, previously established under the Economic Development Project Area Tax Increment Act of 1995, or previously established under the Economic Development Area Tax Increment Allocation Act, of each taxable lot, block, tract, or parcel of real property in the redevelopment project area over and above the initial equalized assessed value of each property in the redevelopment project area. For the taxes which are extended for the 1997 levy year, the recovered tax increment value for a non-home rule taxing district that first became subject to this Law for the 1995 levy year because a majority of its 1994 equalized assessed value was in an affected county or counties shall be increased if a municipality terminated the designation of an area in 1993 as a redevelopment project area previously established under the Tax Increment Allocation Development Act in the Illinois Municipal Code, previously established under the Industrial Jobs Recovery Law in the Illinois Municipal Code, or previously established under the Economic Development Area Tax Increment Allocation Act, by an amount equal to the 1994 equalized assessed value of each taxable lot, block, tract, or parcel of real property in the redevelopment project area over and above the initial equalized assessed value of each property in the redevelopment project area. In the first year after a municipality removes a taxable lot, block, tract, or parcel of real property from a redevelopment project area established under the Tax Increment Allocation Development Act in the Illinois Municipal Code, the Industrial Jobs Recovery Law in the Illinois Municipal Code, or the Economic Development Area Tax Increment Allocation Act, "recovered tax increment value" means the amount of the current year's equalized assessed value of each taxable lot, block, tract, or parcel of real property removed from the redevelopment project area over and above the initial equalized assessed value of that real property before removal from the redevelopment project area.

Except as otherwise provided in this Section, "limiting rate" means a fraction the numerator of which is the last preceding aggregate extension base times an amount equal to one plus the extension limitation defined in this Section and the denominator of which is the current year's equalized assessed value of all real property in the territory under the jurisdiction of the taxing district during the prior levy year. For those taxing districts that reduced their aggregate extension for the last preceding levy year, the highest aggregate extension in any of the last 3 preceding levy years shall be used for the purpose of computing the limiting rate. The denominator shall not include new property or the recovered tax increment value. If a new rate, a rate decrease, or a limiting rate increase has been approved at an election held after March 21, 2006, then (i) the otherwise applicable limiting rate shall be increased by the amount of the new rate

or shall be reduced by the amount of the rate decrease, as the case may be, or (ii) in the case of a limiting rate increase, the limiting rate shall be equal to the rate set forth in the proposition approved by the voters for each of the years specified in the proposition, after which the limiting rate of the taxing district shall be calculated as otherwise provided. In the case of a taxing district that obtained referendum approval for an increased limiting rate on March 20, 2012, the limiting rate for tax year 2012 shall be the rate that generates the approximate total amount of taxes extendable for that tax year, as set forth in the proposition approved by the voters; this rate shall be the final rate applied by the county clerk for the aggregate of all capped funds of the district for tax year 2012.

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for taxing districts that were subject to this Law during the 2015 levy year, for the 2016 and 2017 levy years, the county clerk shall calculate a separate limiting rate for the aggregate of all special purpose extensions made by the taxing district for public safety purposes, recognizing an extension limitation of (a) the lesser of 5% or the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index during the 12-month calendar year preceding the levy year or (b) the rate of increase approved by voters under Section 18-205.

(Source: P.A. 97-611, eff. 1-1-12; 97-1154, eff. 1-25-13; 98-6, eff. 3-29-13; 98-23, eff. 6-17-13.)
(35 ILCS 200/18-205)

Sec. 18-205. Referendum to increase the extension limitation.

(a) A taxing district is limited to an extension limitation as defined in Section 18-185 of 5% or the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index during the 12-month calendar year preceding the levy year, whichever is less. A taxing district may increase its extension limitation for one or more levy years if that taxing district holds a referendum before the levy date for the first levy year at which a majority of voters voting on the issue approves adoption of a higher extension limitation. Referenda shall be conducted at a regularly scheduled election in accordance with the Election Code.

(b) The question shall be presented in substantially the following manner ~~for all elections held after March 21, 2006:~~

Shall the extension limitation under the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law for (insert the legal name, number, if any, and county or counties of the taxing district and geographic or other common name by which a school or community college district is known and referred to), Illinois, be increased from (applicable extension limitation set forth in Section 18-185) the lesser of 5% or the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index over the prior levy year to (insert the percentage of the proposed increase)% per year for (insert each levy year for which the increased extension limitation will apply)?

(c) The votes must be recorded as "Yes" or "No".

If a majority of voters voting on the issue approves the adoption of the increase, the increase shall be applicable for each levy year specified.

The ballot for any question submitted pursuant to this Section shall have printed thereon, but not as a part of the question submitted, only the following supplemental information (which shall be supplied to the election authority by the taxing district) in substantially the following form:

(1) For the (insert the first levy year for which the increased extension limitation will be applicable) levy year the approximate amount of the additional tax extendable against property containing a single family residence and having a fair market value at the time of the referendum of \$100,000 is estimated to be \$....

(2) Based upon an average annual percentage increase (or decrease) in the market value of such property of ...% (insert percentage equal to the average annual percentage increase or decrease for the prior 3 levy years, at the time the submission of the question is initiated by the taxing district, in the amount of (A) the equalized assessed value of the taxable property in the taxing district less (B) the new property included in the equalized assessed value), the approximate amount of the additional tax extendable against such property for the ... levy year is estimated to be \$... and for the ... levy year is estimated to be \$....

Paragraph (2) shall be included only if the increased extension limitation will be applicable for more than one year and shall list each levy year for which the increased extension limitation will be applicable. The additional tax shown for each levy year shall be the approximate dollar amount of the increase over the amount of the most recently completed extension at the time the submission of the question is initiated by the taxing district. The approximate amount of the additional tax extendable shown in paragraphs (1) and (2) shall be calculated by multiplying \$100,000 (the fair market value of the property without regard to any property tax exemptions) by (i) the percentage level of assessment prescribed for that property by statute, or by ordinance of the county board in counties that classify property for purposes of taxation in accordance with Section 4 of Article IX of the Illinois Constitution; (ii) the most recent final equalization factor certified to the county clerk by the Department of Revenue at the time the taxing district initiates

the submission of the proposition to the electors; (iii) the last known aggregate extension base of the taxing district at the time the submission of the question is initiated by the taxing district; and (iv) the difference between the percentage increase proposed in the question and the otherwise applicable extension limitation under Section 18-185 ~~lesser of 5% or the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index for the prior levy year (or an estimate of the percentage increase for the prior levy year if the increase is unavailable at the time the submission of the question is initiated by the taxing district)~~; and dividing the result by the last known equalized assessed value of the taxing district at the time the submission of the question is initiated by the taxing district. This amendatory Act of the 97th General Assembly is intended to clarify the existing requirements of this Section, and shall not be construed to validate any prior non-compliant referendum language. Any notice required to be published in connection with the submission of the question shall also contain this supplemental information and shall not contain any other supplemental information. Any error, miscalculation, or inaccuracy in computing any amount set forth on the ballot or in the notice that is not deliberate shall not invalidate or affect the validity of any proposition approved. Notice of the referendum shall be published and posted as otherwise required by law, and the submission of the question shall be initiated as provided by law.

(Source: P.A. 97-1087, eff. 8-24-12.)

(35 ILCS 200/18-213)

Sec. 18-213. Referenda on applicability of the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law.

(a) The provisions of this Section do not apply to a taxing district subject to this Law because a majority of its 1990 equalized assessed value is in a county or counties contiguous to a county of 3,000,000 or more inhabitants, or because a majority of its 1994 equalized assessed value is in an affected county and the taxing district was not subject to this Law before the 1995 levy year.

(b) The county board of a county that is not subject to this Law may, by ordinance or resolution, submit to the voters of the county the question of whether to make all non-home rule taxing districts that have all or a portion of their equalized assessed valuation situated in the county subject to this Law in the manner set forth in this Section.

For purposes of this Section only:

"Taxing district" has the same meaning provided in Section 1-150.

"Equalized assessed valuation" means the equalized assessed valuation for a taxing district for the immediately preceding levy year.

(c) The ordinance or resolution shall request the submission of the proposition at any election, except a consolidated primary election, for the purpose of voting for or against making the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law applicable to all non-home rule taxing districts that have all or a portion of their equalized assessed valuation situated in the county.

The question shall be placed on a separate ballot and shall be in substantially the following form:

Shall the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law (35 ILCS 200/18-185 through 18-245),

which limits annual property tax extension increases, apply to non-home rule taxing districts with all or a portion of their equalized assessed valuation located in (name of county)?

Votes on the question shall be recorded as "yes" or "no".

(d) The county clerk shall order the proposition submitted to the electors of the county at the election specified in the ordinance or resolution. If part of the county is under the jurisdiction of a board or boards of election commissioners, the county clerk shall submit a certified copy of the ordinance or resolution to each board of election commissioners, which shall order the proposition submitted to the electors of the taxing district within its jurisdiction at the election specified in the ordinance or resolution.

(e) (1) With respect to taxing districts having all of their equalized assessed valuation located in the county, if a majority of the votes cast on the proposition are in favor of the proposition, then this Law becomes applicable to the taxing district beginning on January 1 of the year following the date of the referendum.

(2) With respect to taxing districts that meet all the following conditions this Law shall become applicable to the taxing district beginning on January 1, 1997. The districts to which this paragraph (2) is applicable

(A) do not have all of their equalized assessed valuation located in a single county,

(B) have equalized assessed valuation in an affected county,

(C) meet the condition that each county, other than an affected county, in which any of the equalized assessed valuation of the taxing district is located has held a referendum under this Section at any election, except a consolidated primary election, held prior to the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1997, and

(D) have a majority of the district's equalized assessed valuation located in one or

more counties in each of which the voters have approved a referendum under this Section prior to the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1997. For purposes of this Section, in determining whether a majority of the equalized assessed valuation of the taxing district is located in one or more counties in which the voters have approved a referendum under this Section, the equalized assessed valuation of the taxing district in any affected county shall be included with the equalized assessed value of the taxing district in counties in which the voters have approved the referendum.

(3) With respect to taxing districts that do not have all of their equalized assessed valuation located in a single county and to which paragraph (2) of subsection (e) is not applicable, if each county other than an affected county in which any of the equalized assessed valuation of the taxing district is located has held a referendum under this Section at any election, except a consolidated primary election, held in any year and if a majority of the equalized assessed valuation of the taxing district is located in one or more counties that have each approved a referendum under this Section, then this Law shall become applicable to the taxing district on January 1 of the year following the year in which the last referendum in a county in which the taxing district has any equalized assessed valuation is held. For the purposes of this Law, the last referendum shall be deemed to be the referendum making this Law applicable to the taxing district. For purposes of this Section, in determining whether a majority of the equalized assessed valuation of the taxing district is located in one or more counties that have approved a referendum under this Section, the equalized assessed valuation of the taxing district in any affected county shall be included with the equalized assessed value of the taxing district in counties that have approved the referendum.

(f) Immediately after a referendum is held under this Section, the county clerk of the county holding the referendum shall give notice of the referendum having been held and its results to all taxing districts that have all or a portion of their equalized assessed valuation located in the county, the county clerk of any other county in which any of the equalized assessed valuation of any taxing district is located, and the Department of Revenue. After the last referendum affecting a multi-county taxing district is held, the Department of Revenue shall determine whether the taxing district is subject to this Law and, if so, shall notify the taxing district and the county clerks of all of the counties in which a portion of the equalized assessed valuation of the taxing district is located that, beginning the following January 1, the taxing district is subject to this Law. For each taxing district subject to paragraph (2) of subsection (e) of this Section, the Department of Revenue shall notify the taxing district and the county clerks of all of the counties in which a portion of the equalized assessed valuation of the taxing district is located that, beginning January 1, 1997, the taxing district is subject to this Law.

(g) Referenda held under this Section shall be conducted in accordance with the Election Code.

(h) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no referenda may be held under this Section with respect to levy years 2016 and 2017.

(Source: P.A. 89-510, eff. 7-11-96; 89-718, eff. 3-7-97.)

(35 ILCS 200/18-214)

Sec. 18-214. Referenda on removal of the applicability of the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law to non-home rule taxing districts.

(a) The provisions of this Section do not apply to a taxing district that is subject to this Law because a majority of its 1990 equalized assessed value is in a county or counties contiguous to a county of 3,000,000 or more inhabitants, or because a majority of its 1994 equalized assessed value is in an affected county and the taxing district was not subject to this Law before the 1995 levy year.

(b) For purposes of this Section only:

"Taxing district" means any non-home rule taxing district that became subject to this Law under Section 18-213 of this Law.

"Equalized assessed valuation" means the equalized assessed valuation for a taxing district for the immediately preceding levy year.

(c) The county board of a county that became subject to this Law by a referendum approved by the voters of the county under Section 18-213 may, by ordinance or resolution, in the manner set forth in this Section, submit to the voters of the county the question of whether this Law applies to all non-home rule taxing districts that have all or a portion of their equalized assessed valuation situated in the county in the manner set forth in this Section.

(d) The ordinance or resolution shall request the submission of the proposition at any election, except a consolidated primary election, for the purpose of voting for or against the continued application of the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law to all non-home rule taxing districts that have all or a portion of their equalized assessed valuation situated in the county.

The question shall be placed on a separate ballot and shall be in substantially the following form:

Shall the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law (35 ILCS 200/18-185 through 35 ILCS

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200/18-245), which limits annual property tax extension increases, apply to non-home rule taxing districts with all or a portion of their equalized assessed valuation located in (name of county)?
 Votes on the question shall be recorded as "yes" or "no".

(e) The county clerk shall order the proposition submitted to the electors of the county at the election specified in the ordinance or resolution. If part of the county is under the jurisdiction of a board or boards of election commissioners, the county clerk shall submit a certified copy of the ordinance or resolution to each board of election commissioners, which shall order the proposition submitted to the electors of the taxing district within its jurisdiction at the election specified in the ordinance or resolution.

(f) With respect to taxing districts having all of their equalized assessed valuation located in one county, if a majority of the votes cast on the proposition are against the proposition, then this Law shall not apply to the taxing district beginning on January 1 of the year following the date of the referendum.

(g) With respect to taxing districts that do not have all of their equalized assessed valuation located in a single county, if both of the following conditions are met, then this Law shall no longer apply to the taxing district beginning on January 1 of the year following the date of the referendum.

(1) Each county in which the district has any equalized assessed valuation must either,

(i) have held a referendum under this Section, (ii) be an affected county, or (iii) have held a referendum under Section 18-213 at which the voters rejected the proposition at the most recent election at which the question was on the ballot in the county.

(2) The majority of the equalized assessed valuation of the taxing district, other than any equalized assessed valuation in an affected county, is in one or more counties in which the voters rejected the proposition. For purposes of this Section, in determining whether a majority of the equalized assessed valuation of the taxing district is located in one or more counties in which the voters have rejected the proposition under this Section, the equalized assessed valuation of any taxing district in a county which has held a referendum under Section 18-213 at which the voters rejected that proposition, at the most recent election at which the question was on the ballot in the county, will be included with the equalized assessed value of the taxing district in counties in which the voters have rejected the referendum held under this Section.

(h) Immediately after a referendum is held under this Section, the county clerk of the county holding the referendum shall give notice of the referendum having been held and its results to all taxing districts that have all or a portion of their equalized assessed valuation located in the county, the county clerk of any other county in which any of the equalized assessed valuation of any such taxing district is located, and the Department of Revenue. After the last referendum affecting a multi-county taxing district is held, the Department of Revenue shall determine whether the taxing district is no longer subject to this Law and, if the taxing district is no longer subject to this Law, the Department of Revenue shall notify the taxing district and the county clerks of all of the counties in which a portion of the equalized assessed valuation of the taxing district is located that, beginning on January 1 of the year following the date of the last referendum, the taxing district is no longer subject to this Law.

(i) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no referenda may be held under this Section with respect to levy years 2016 and 2017.

(Source: P.A. 89-718, eff. 3-7-97.)

(35 ILCS 200/18-242 new)

Sec. 18-242. Home rule. This Division 5 is a limitation, under subsection (g) of Section 6 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution, on the power of home rule units to tax.

Section 10. The Illinois Pension Code is amended by adding Section 16-158.5 and by changing Sections 17-127 and 17-129 as follows:

(40 ILCS 5/16-158.5 new)

Sec. 16-158.5. Obligations of State; funding guarantee.

(a) Beginning July 1, 2015, the State shall be obligated to contribute to the System in each State fiscal year an amount not less than the sum of (i) the State's normal cost for the year and (ii) the portion of the unfunded accrued liability assigned to that year by law. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, if the State fails to pay an amount required under this subsection, it shall be the obligation of the Board to seek payment of the required amount in compliance with the provisions of this Section and, if the amount remains unpaid, to bring a mandamus action in the Supreme Court of Illinois to compel the State to make the required payment.

If the System submits a voucher for contributions required under Section 16-158 and the State fails to pay that voucher within 90 days of its receipt, the Board shall submit a written request to the Comptroller seeking payment. A copy of the request shall be filed with the Secretary of State, and the Secretary of State shall provide a copy to the Governor and General Assembly. No earlier than the 16th day after the

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System files the request with the Comptroller and Secretary of State, if the amount remains unpaid the Board shall commence a mandamus action in the Supreme Court of Illinois to compel the Comptroller to satisfy the voucher.

This subsection (a) constitutes an express waiver of the State's sovereign immunity solely to the extent that it permits the Board to commence a mandamus action in the Supreme Court of Illinois to compel the Comptroller to pay a voucher for the contributions required under Section 16-158.

(b) Any payments and transfers required to be made by the State pursuant to subsection (a) are expressly subordinate to the payment of the principal, interest, and premium, if any, on any bonded debt obligation of the State or any other State-created entity, either currently outstanding or to be issued, for which the source of repayment or security thereon is derived directly or indirectly from tax revenues collected by the State or any other State-created entity. Payments on such bonded obligations include any statutory fund transfers or other prefunding mechanisms or formulas set forth, now or hereafter, in State law or bond indentures, into debt service funds or accounts of the State related to such bond obligations, consistent with the payment schedules associated with such obligations.

(40 ILCS 5/17-127) (from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 17-127)

Sec. 17-127. Financing; revenues for the Fund.

(a) The revenues for the Fund shall consist of: (1) amounts paid into the Fund by contributors thereto and from employer contributions and State appropriations in accordance with this Article; (2) amounts contributed to the Fund by an Employer; (3) amounts contributed to the Fund pursuant to any law now in force or hereafter to be enacted; (4) contributions from any other source; and (5) the earnings on investments.

(b) The General Assembly finds that for many years the State has contributed to the Fund an annual amount that is between 20% and 30% of the amount of the annual State contribution to the Article 16 retirement system, and the General Assembly declares that it is its goal and intention to continue this level of contribution to the Fund in the future.

(c) Beginning in State fiscal year 1999, the State shall include in its annual contribution to the Fund an additional amount equal to 0.544% of the Fund's total teacher payroll; except that this additional contribution need not be made in a fiscal year if the Board has certified in the previous fiscal year that the Fund is at least 90% funded, based on actuarial determinations. These additional State contributions are intended to offset a portion of the cost to the Fund of the increases in retirement benefits resulting from this amendatory Act of 1998.

(d) In addition to any other contribution required under this Article, including the contribution required under subsection (c), the State shall contribute to the Fund the following amounts:

(1) For State fiscal year 2016, the State shall contribute \$197,000,000.

(2) Beginning in State fiscal year 2017, the State shall contribute for each fiscal year an amount, to be determined by the Fund, equal to the employer normal cost portion of the projected normal cost for that fiscal year.

(3) Beginning in State fiscal year 2017, the State shall contribute for each fiscal year an amount to be determined by the Fund, equal to the employer normal cost for that fiscal year, plus the amount allowed pursuant to paragraph (3) of Section 17-142.1, to defray health insurance costs.

(e) The Board shall determine the amount of State contributions required for each fiscal year on the basis of the actuarial tables and other assumptions adopted by the Board and the recommendations of the actuary. On or before November 1 of each year, beginning November 1, 2015, the Board shall submit to the State Actuary, the Governor, and the General Assembly a proposed certification of the amount of the required State contribution to the Fund for the next fiscal year, along with all of the actuarial assumptions, calculations, and data upon which that proposed certification is based.

On or before January 1 of each year, beginning January 1, 2016, the State Actuary shall issue a preliminary report concerning the proposed certification and identifying, if necessary, recommended changes in actuarial assumptions that the Board must consider before finalizing its certification of the required State contributions.

(f) On or before January 15, 2016 and each January 15 thereafter, the Board shall certify to the Governor and the General Assembly the amount of the required State contribution for the next fiscal year. The certification shall include a copy of the actuarial recommendations upon which it is based and shall specifically identify the Fund's projected employer normal cost for that fiscal year. The Board's certification must note any deviations from the State Actuary's recommended changes, the reason or reasons for not following the State Actuary's recommended changes, and the fiscal impact of not following the State Actuary's recommended changes on the required State contribution.

For the purposes of this Article, including issuing vouchers, and for the purposes of subsection (h) of Section 1.1 of the State Pension Funds Continuing Appropriation Act, the State contribution specified for

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State fiscal year 2016 shall be deemed to have been certified, by operation of law and without official action by the Board or the State Actuary, in the amount provided in subsection (d) of this Section.

(g) Beginning in State fiscal year 2016, on the 15th day of each month, or as soon thereafter as may be practicable, the Board shall submit vouchers for payment of State contributions to the Fund, in a total monthly amount of one-twelfth of the required annual State contribution under subsection (d). These vouchers shall be paid by the State Comptroller and Treasurer by warrants drawn on the funds appropriated to the Fund for that fiscal year. If in any month the amount remaining unexpended from all other State appropriations to the Fund for the applicable fiscal year is less than the amount lawfully vouchered under this subsection, the difference shall be paid from the Common School Fund under the continuing appropriation authority provided in Section 1.1 of the State Pension Funds Continuing Appropriation Act. (Source: P.A. 90-548, eff. 12-4-97; 90-566, eff. 1-2-98; 90-582, eff. 5-27-98; 90-655, eff. 7-30-98.)

(40 ILCS 5/17-129) (from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 17-129)

Sec. 17-129. Employer contributions; deficiency in Fund.

(a) If in any fiscal year of the Board of Education ending prior to 1997 the total amounts paid to the Fund from the Board of Education (other than under this subsection, and other than amounts used for making or "picking up" contributions on behalf of teachers) and from the State do not equal the total contributions made by or on behalf of the teachers for such year, or if the total income of the Fund in any such fiscal year of the Board of Education from all sources is less than the total such expenditures by the Fund for such year, the Board of Education shall, in the next succeeding year, in addition to any other payment to the Fund set apart and appropriate from moneys from its tax levy for educational purposes, a sum sufficient to remove such deficiency or deficiencies, and promptly pay such sum into the Fund in order to restore any of the reserves of the Fund that may have been so temporarily applied. Any amounts received by the Fund after December 4, 1997 from State appropriations, including under Section 17-127, shall be a credit against and shall fully satisfy any obligation that may have arisen, or be claimed to have arisen, under this subsection (a) as a result of any deficiency or deficiencies in the fiscal year of the Board of Education ending in calendar year 1997.

(b) (i) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, and notwithstanding any prior certification by the Board under subsection (c) for fiscal year 2011, the Board of Education's total required contribution to the Fund for fiscal year 2011 under this Section is \$187,000,000.

(ii) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, the Board of Education's total required contribution to the Fund for fiscal year 2012 under this Section is \$192,000,000.

(iii) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, the Board of Education's total required contribution to the Fund for fiscal year 2013 under this Section is \$196,000,000.

(iv) For fiscal years 2014 ~~and 2015 through 2059~~, the minimum contribution to the Fund to be made by the Board of Education in each fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the Fund to be sufficient to bring the total assets of the Fund up to 90% of the total actuarial liabilities of the Fund by the end of fiscal year 2059. In making these determinations, the required Board of Education contribution shall be calculated each year as a level percentage of the applicable employee payrolls over the years remaining to and including fiscal year 2059 and shall be determined under the projected unit credit actuarial cost method.

(v) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, the Board of Education's total required contribution to the Fund for fiscal year 2016 under this Section is \$207,000,000. Notwithstanding item (x) of this subsection, the Board of Education's total required contribution under this item (v) shall not be reduced by the amount of any State contribution to the Fund.

(vi) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, the Board of Education's total required contribution to the Fund for fiscal year 2017 under this Section is \$211,000,000. Notwithstanding item (x) of this subsection, the Board of Education's total required contribution under this item (vi) shall not be reduced by the amount of any State contribution to the Fund.

(vii) For fiscal years 2018 through 2063, the minimum contribution to the Fund to be made by the Board of Education in each fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the Fund to be sufficient to bring the total assets of the Fund up to 90% of the total actuarial liabilities of the Fund by the end of fiscal year 2063. In making this determination, the required Board of Education contribution shall be calculated each year as a level percentage of the applicable employee payrolls over the years remaining to and including fiscal year 2063 and shall be determined under the projected unit credit actuarial cost method.

(viii) (↔) Beginning in fiscal year 2064 2060, the minimum Board of Education contribution for each fiscal year shall be the amount needed to maintain the total assets of the Fund at 90% of the total actuarial liabilities of the Fund.

(ix) (vii) Notwithstanding any other provision of this subsection (b), for any fiscal year, the contribution to the Fund from the Board of Education shall not be required to be in excess of the amount calculated as needed to maintain the assets (or cause the assets to be) at the 90% level by the end of the fiscal year.

(x) (viii) Any contribution by the State to or for the benefit of the Fund, including, without limitation, as referred to under Section 17-127, shall be a credit against any contribution required to be made by the Board of Education under this subsection (b) , except for the contributions required to be made by the Board of Education under items (v) and (vi).

(c) The Board shall determine the amount of Board of Education contributions required for each fiscal year on the basis of the actuarial tables and other assumptions adopted by the Board and the recommendations of the actuary, in order to meet the minimum contribution requirements of subsections (a) and (b). Annually, on or before February 28, the Board shall certify to the Board of Education the amount of the required Board of Education contribution for the coming fiscal year. The certification shall include a copy of the actuarial recommendations upon which it is based.

(Source: P.A. 96-889, eff. 4-14-10.)

Section 15. The State Pension Funds Continuing Appropriation Act is amended by changing Section 1.1 as follows:

(40 ILCS 15/1.1)

Sec. 1.1. Appropriations to certain retirement systems.

(a) There is hereby appropriated from the General Revenue Fund to the General Assembly Retirement System, on a continuing monthly basis, the amount, if any, by which the total available amount of all other appropriations to that retirement system for the payment of State contributions is less than the total amount of the vouchers for required State contributions lawfully submitted by the retirement system for that month under Section 2-134 of the Illinois Pension Code.

(b) There is hereby appropriated from the General Revenue Fund to the State Universities Retirement System, on a continuing monthly basis, the amount, if any, by which the total available amount of all other appropriations to that retirement system for the payment of State contributions, including any deficiency in the required contributions of the optional retirement program established under Section 15-158.2 of the Illinois Pension Code, is less than the total amount of the vouchers for required State contributions lawfully submitted by the retirement system for that month under Section 15-165 of the Illinois Pension Code.

(c) There is hereby appropriated from the Common School Fund to the Teachers' Retirement System of the State of Illinois, on a continuing monthly basis, the amount, if any, by which the total available amount of all other appropriations to that retirement system for the payment of State contributions is less than the total amount of the vouchers for required State contributions lawfully submitted by the retirement system for that month under Section 16-158 of the Illinois Pension Code.

(d) There is hereby appropriated from the General Revenue Fund to the Judges Retirement System of Illinois, on a continuing monthly basis, the amount, if any, by which the total available amount of all other appropriations to that retirement system for the payment of State contributions is less than the total amount of the vouchers for required State contributions lawfully submitted by the retirement system for that month under Section 18-140 of the Illinois Pension Code.

(e) The continuing appropriations provided by subsections (a), (b), (c), and (d) of this Section shall first be available in State fiscal year 1996. The continuing appropriations provided by subsection (h) of this Section shall first be available as provided in that subsection (h).

(f) For State fiscal year 2010 only, the continuing appropriations provided by this Section are equal to the amount certified by each System on or before December 31, 2008, less (i) the gross proceeds of the bonds sold in fiscal year 2010 under the authorization contained in subsection (a) of Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act and (ii) any amounts received from the State Pensions Fund.

(g) For State fiscal year 2011 only, the continuing appropriations provided by this Section are equal to the amount certified by each System on or before April 1, 2011, less (i) the gross proceeds of the bonds sold in fiscal year 2011 under the authorization contained in subsection (a) of Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act and (ii) any amounts received from the State Pensions Fund.

(h) There is hereby appropriated from the Common School Fund to the Public School Teachers' Pension and Retirement Fund of Chicago, on a continuing monthly basis, the amount, if any, by which the total available amount of all other State appropriations to that Retirement Fund for the payment of State contributions under subsection (d) of Section 17-127 of the Illinois Pension Code is less than the total amount of the vouchers for required State contributions lawfully submitted by the Retirement Fund for that month under that Section 17-127.

(Source: P.A. 96-43, eff. 7-15-09; 96-1497, eff. 1-14-11; 96-1511, eff. 1-27-11.)

Section 20. The School Code is amended by adding Sections 1D-5 and 18-21 and by changing Sections 1C-1, 1C-2, 1C-4, and 18-8.05 as follows:

(105 ILCS 5/1C-1)

Sec. 1C-1. Purpose. The purpose of this Article is to permit greater flexibility and efficiency in the distribution and use of certain State funds available to local education agencies for the improvement of the quality of educational services pursuant to locally established priorities.

Through May 31, 2017, this This Article does not apply to school districts having a population in excess of 500,000 inhabitants.

(Source: P.A. 88-555, eff. 7-27-94; 89-15, eff. 5-30-95; 89-397, eff. 8-20-95; 89-626, eff. 8-9-96.)

(105 ILCS 5/1C-2)

Sec. 1C-2. Block grants.

(a) For fiscal year 1999, and each fiscal year thereafter through May 31, 2017, the State Board of Education shall award to school districts block grants as described in subsection (c). The State Board of Education may adopt rules and regulations necessary to implement this Section. In accordance with Section 2-3.32, all state block grants are subject to an audit. Therefore, block grant receipts and block grant expenditures shall be recorded to the appropriate fund code.

(b) (Blank).

(c) An Early Childhood Education Block Grant shall be created by combining the following programs: Preschool Education, Parental Training and Prevention Initiative. These funds shall be distributed to school districts and other entities on a competitive basis, except that the State Board of Education shall award to a school district having a population exceeding 500,000 inhabitants 37% of the funds in each fiscal year after May 31, 2017. Not less than 14% of this grant shall be used to fund programs for children ages 0-3, which percentage shall increase to at least 20% by Fiscal Year 2016. However, if, in a given fiscal year, the amount appropriated for the Early Childhood Education Block Grant is insufficient to increase the percentage of the grant to fund programs for children ages 0-3 without reducing the amount of the grant for existing providers of preschool education programs, then the percentage of the grant to fund programs for children ages 0-3 may be held steady instead of increased.

(Source: P.A. 98-645, eff. 7-1-14.)

(105 ILCS 5/1C-4)

Sec. 1C-4. Reports. The State Superintendent of Education, in cooperation with the school districts participating under this Article, shall, through May 31, 2017, annually report to the leadership of the General Assembly on the progress made in implementing this Article. By February 1, 1997, the State Board of Education shall submit to the Governor and General Assembly a comprehensive plan for Illinois school districts, including the school district that has been organized under Article 34 and is under the jurisdiction of the Chicago Board of Education, to establish and implement a block grant funding system for educational programs that are currently funded through single-program grants. Before submitting its plan to establish and implement a block grant funding system to the Governor and General Assembly as required by this Section, the State Board of Education shall give appropriate notice of and hold statewide public hearings on the subject of funding educational programs through block grants. The plan shall be designed to relieve school districts of the administrative burdens that impede efficiency and accompany single-program funding.

A school district that receives an Early Childhood Education Block Grant shall report to the State Board of Education on its use of the block grant in such form and detail as the State Board of Education may specify. In addition, the report must include the following description for the district, which must also be reported to the General Assembly: block grant allocation and expenditures by program; population and service levels by program; and administrative expenditures by program. The State Board of Education shall ensure that the reporting requirements for a district organized under Article 34 of this Code are the same as for all other school districts in this State.

(Source: P.A. 97-238, eff. 8-2-11.)

(105 ILCS 5/1D-5 new)

Sec. 1D-5. Repealer. This Article is repealed on June 1, 2017.

(105 ILCS 5/18-8.05)

Sec. 18-8.05. Basis for apportionment of general State financial aid and supplemental general State aid to the common schools for the 1998-1999 and subsequent school years.

(A) General Provisions.

(1) The provisions of this Section apply to the 1998-1999 and subsequent school years. The system of general State financial aid provided for in this Section is designed to assure that, through a combination of State financial aid and required local resources, the financial support provided each pupil in Average Daily

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Attendance equals or exceeds a prescribed per pupil Foundation Level. This formula approach imputes a level of per pupil Available Local Resources and provides for the basis to calculate a per pupil level of general State financial aid that, when added to Available Local Resources, equals or exceeds the Foundation Level. The amount of per pupil general State financial aid for school districts, in general, varies in inverse relation to Available Local Resources. Per pupil amounts are based upon each school district's Average Daily Attendance as that term is defined in this Section.

(2) In addition to general State financial aid, school districts with specified levels or concentrations of pupils from low income households are eligible to receive supplemental general State financial aid grants as provided pursuant to subsection (H). The supplemental State aid grants provided for school districts under subsection (H) shall be appropriated for distribution to school districts as part of the same line item in which the general State financial aid of school districts is appropriated under this Section.

(3) To receive financial assistance under this Section, school districts are required to file claims with the State Board of Education, subject to the following requirements:

(a) Any school district which fails for any given school year to maintain school as required by law, or to maintain a recognized school is not eligible to file for such school year any claim upon the Common School Fund. In case of nonrecognition of one or more attendance centers in a school district otherwise operating recognized schools, the claim of the district shall be reduced in the proportion which the Average Daily Attendance in the attendance center or centers bear to the Average Daily Attendance in the school district. A "recognized school" means any public school which meets the standards as established for recognition by the State Board of Education. A school district or attendance center not having recognition status at the end of a school term is entitled to receive State aid payments due upon a legal claim which was filed while it was recognized.

(b) School district claims filed under this Section are subject to Sections 18-9 and 18-12, except as otherwise provided in this Section.

(c) If a school district operates a full year school under Section 10-19.1, the general State aid to the school district shall be determined by the State Board of Education in accordance with this Section as near as may be applicable.

(d) (Blank).

(4) Except as provided in subsections (H) and (L), the board of any district receiving any of the grants provided for in this Section may apply those funds to any fund so received for which that board is authorized to make expenditures by law.

School districts are not required to exert a minimum Operating Tax Rate in order to qualify for assistance under this Section.

(5) As used in this Section the following terms, when capitalized, shall have the meaning ascribed herein:

(a) "Average Daily Attendance": A count of pupil attendance in school, averaged as provided for in subsection (C) and utilized in deriving per pupil financial support levels.

(b) "Available Local Resources": A computation of local financial support, calculated on the basis of Average Daily Attendance and derived as provided pursuant to subsection (D).

(c) "Corporate Personal Property Replacement Taxes": Funds paid to local school districts pursuant to "An Act in relation to the abolition of ad valorem personal property tax and the replacement of revenues lost thereby, and amending and repealing certain Acts and parts of Acts in connection therewith", certified August 14, 1979, as amended (Public Act 81-1st S.S.-1).

(d) "Foundation Level": A prescribed level of per pupil financial support as provided for in subsection (B).

(e) "Operating Tax Rate": All school district property taxes extended for all purposes, except Bond and Interest, Summer School, Rent, Capital Improvement, and Vocational Education Building purposes.

(B) Foundation Level.

(1) The Foundation Level is a figure established by the State representing the minimum level of per pupil financial support that should be available to provide for the basic education of each pupil in Average Daily Attendance. As set forth in this Section, each school district is assumed to exert a sufficient local taxing effort such that, in combination with the aggregate of general State financial aid provided the district, an aggregate of State and local resources are available to meet the basic education needs of pupils in the district.

(2) For the 1998-1999 school year, the Foundation Level of support is \$4,225. For the 1999-2000 school year, the Foundation Level of support is \$4,325. For the 2000-2001 school year, the Foundation Level of

support is \$4,425. For the 2001-2002 school year and 2002-2003 school year, the Foundation Level of support is \$4,560. For the 2003-2004 school year, the Foundation Level of support is \$4,810. For the 2004-2005 school year, the Foundation Level of support is \$4,964. For the 2005-2006 school year, the Foundation Level of support is \$5,164. For the 2006-2007 school year, the Foundation Level of support is \$5,334. For the 2007-2008 school year, the Foundation Level of support is \$5,734. For the 2008-2009 school year, the Foundation Level of support is \$5,959.

(3) For the 2009-2010 school year and each school year thereafter, the Foundation Level of support is \$6,119 or such greater amount as may be established by law by the General Assembly.

(C) Average Daily Attendance.

(1) For purposes of calculating general State aid pursuant to subsection (E), an Average Daily Attendance figure shall be utilized. The Average Daily Attendance figure for formula calculation purposes shall be the monthly average of the actual number of pupils in attendance of each school district, as further averaged for the best 3 months of pupil attendance for each school district. In compiling the figures for the number of pupils in attendance, school districts and the State Board of Education shall, for purposes of general State aid funding, conform attendance figures to the requirements of subsection (F).

(2) The Average Daily Attendance figures utilized in subsection (E) shall be the requisite attendance data for the school year immediately preceding the school year for which general State aid is being calculated or the average of the attendance data for the 3 preceding school years, whichever is greater. The Average Daily Attendance figures utilized in subsection (H) shall be the requisite attendance data for the school year immediately preceding the school year for which general State aid is being calculated.

(D) Available Local Resources.

(1) For purposes of calculating general State aid pursuant to subsection (E), a representation of Available Local Resources per pupil, as that term is defined and determined in this subsection, shall be utilized. Available Local Resources per pupil shall include a calculated dollar amount representing local school district revenues from local property taxes and from Corporate Personal Property Replacement Taxes, expressed on the basis of pupils in Average Daily Attendance. Calculation of Available Local Resources shall exclude any tax amnesty funds received as a result of Public Act 93-26.

(2) In determining a school district's revenue from local property taxes, the State Board of Education shall utilize the equalized assessed valuation of all taxable property of each school district as of September 30 of the previous year. The equalized assessed valuation utilized shall be obtained and determined as provided in subsection (G).

(3) For school districts maintaining grades kindergarten through 12, local property tax revenues per pupil shall be calculated as the product of the applicable equalized assessed valuation for the district multiplied by 3.00%, and divided by the district's Average Daily Attendance figure. For school districts maintaining grades kindergarten through 8, local property tax revenues per pupil shall be calculated as the product of the applicable equalized assessed valuation for the district multiplied by 2.30%, and divided by the district's Average Daily Attendance figure. For school districts maintaining grades 9 through 12, local property tax revenues per pupil shall be the applicable equalized assessed valuation of the district multiplied by 1.05%, and divided by the district's Average Daily Attendance figure.

For partial elementary unit districts created pursuant to Article 11E of this Code, local property tax revenues per pupil shall be calculated as the product of the equalized assessed valuation for property within the partial elementary unit district for elementary purposes, as defined in Article 11E of this Code, multiplied by 2.06% and divided by the district's Average Daily Attendance figure, plus the product of the equalized assessed valuation for property within the partial elementary unit district for high school purposes, as defined in Article 11E of this Code, multiplied by 0.94% and divided by the district's Average Daily Attendance figure.

(4) The Corporate Personal Property Replacement Taxes paid to each school district during the calendar year one year before the calendar year in which a school year begins, divided by the Average Daily Attendance figure for that district, shall be added to the local property tax revenues per pupil as derived by the application of the immediately preceding paragraph (3). The sum of these per pupil figures for each school district shall constitute Available Local Resources as that term is utilized in subsection (E) in the calculation of general State aid.

(E) Computation of General State Aid.

(1) For each school year, the amount of general State aid allotted to a school district shall be computed by the State Board of Education as provided in this subsection.

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(2) For any school district for which Available Local Resources per pupil is less than the product of 0.93 times the Foundation Level, general State aid for that district shall be calculated as an amount equal to the Foundation Level minus Available Local Resources, multiplied by the Average Daily Attendance of the school district.

(3) For any school district for which Available Local Resources per pupil is equal to or greater than the product of 0.93 times the Foundation Level and less than the product of 1.75 times the Foundation Level, the general State aid per pupil shall be a decimal proportion of the Foundation Level derived using a linear algorithm. Under this linear algorithm, the calculated general State aid per pupil shall decline in direct linear fashion from 0.07 times the Foundation Level for a school district with Available Local Resources equal to the product of 0.93 times the Foundation Level, to 0.05 times the Foundation Level for a school district with Available Local Resources equal to the product of 1.75 times the Foundation Level. The allocation of general State aid for school districts subject to this paragraph 3 shall be the calculated general State aid per pupil figure multiplied by the Average Daily Attendance of the school district.

(4) For any school district for which Available Local Resources per pupil equals or exceeds the product of 1.75 times the Foundation Level, the general State aid for the school district shall be calculated as the product of \$218 multiplied by the Average Daily Attendance of the school district.

(5) The amount of general State aid allocated to a school district for the 1999-2000 school year meeting the requirements set forth in paragraph (4) of subsection (G) shall be increased by an amount equal to the general State aid that would have been received by the district for the 1998-1999 school year by utilizing the Extension Limitation Equalized Assessed Valuation as calculated in paragraph (4) of subsection (G) less the general State aid allotted for the 1998-1999 school year. This amount shall be deemed a one time increase, and shall not affect any future general State aid allocations.

(F) Compilation of Average Daily Attendance.

(1) Each school district shall, by July 1 of each year, submit to the State Board of Education, on forms prescribed by the State Board of Education, attendance figures for the school year that began in the preceding calendar year. The attendance information so transmitted shall identify the average daily attendance figures for each month of the school year. Beginning with the general State aid claim form for the 2002-2003 school year, districts shall calculate Average Daily Attendance as provided in subdivisions (a), (b), and (c) of this paragraph (1).

(a) In districts that do not hold year-round classes, days of attendance in August shall be added to the month of September and any days of attendance in June shall be added to the month of May.

(b) In districts in which all buildings hold year-round classes, days of attendance in July and August shall be added to the month of September and any days of attendance in June shall be added to the month of May.

(c) In districts in which some buildings, but not all, hold year-round classes, for the non-year-round buildings, days of attendance in August shall be added to the month of September and any days of attendance in June shall be added to the month of May. The average daily attendance for the year-round buildings shall be computed as provided in subdivision (b) of this paragraph (1). To calculate the Average Daily Attendance for the district, the average daily attendance for the year-round buildings shall be multiplied by the days in session for the non-year-round buildings for each month and added to the monthly attendance of the non-year-round buildings.

Except as otherwise provided in this Section, days of attendance by pupils shall be counted only for sessions of not less than 5 clock hours of school work per day under direct supervision of: (i) teachers, or (ii) non-teaching personnel or volunteer personnel when engaging in non-teaching duties and supervising in those instances specified in subsection (a) of Section 10-22.34 and paragraph 10 of Section 34-18, with pupils of legal school age and in kindergarten and grades 1 through 12.

Days of attendance by tuition pupils shall be accredited only to the districts that pay the tuition to a recognized school.

(2) Days of attendance by pupils of less than 5 clock hours of school shall be subject to the following provisions in the compilation of Average Daily Attendance.

(a) Pupils regularly enrolled in a public school for only a part of the school day may be counted on the basis of 1/6 day for every class hour of instruction of 40 minutes or more attended pursuant to such enrollment, unless a pupil is enrolled in a block-schedule format of 80 minutes or more of instruction, in which case the pupil may be counted on the basis of the proportion of minutes of school work completed each day to the minimum number of minutes that school work is required to be held that day.

(b) (Blank).

(c) A session of 4 or more clock hours may be counted as a day of attendance upon certification by the regional superintendent, and approved by the State Superintendent of Education to the extent that the district has been forced to use daily multiple sessions.

(d) A session of 3 or more clock hours may be counted as a day of attendance (1) when the remainder of the school day or at least 2 hours in the evening of that day is utilized for an in-service training program for teachers, up to a maximum of 5 days per school year, provided a district conducts an in-service training program for teachers in accordance with Section 10-22.39 of this Code; or, in lieu of 4 such days, 2 full days may be used, in which event each such day may be counted as a day required for a legal school calendar pursuant to Section 10-19 of this Code; (1.5) when, of the 5 days allowed under item (1), a maximum of 4 days are used for parent-teacher conferences, or, in lieu of 4 such days, 2 full days are used, in which case each such day may be counted as a calendar day required under Section 10-19 of this Code, provided that the full-day, parent-teacher conference consists of (i) a minimum of 5 clock hours of parent-teacher conferences, (ii) both a minimum of 2 clock hours of parent-teacher conferences held in the evening following a full day of student attendance, as specified in subsection (F)(1)(c), and a minimum of 3 clock hours of parent-teacher conferences held on the day immediately following evening parent-teacher conferences, or (iii) multiple parent-teacher conferences held in the evenings following full days of student attendance, as specified in subsection (F)(1)(c), in which the time used for the parent-teacher conferences is equivalent to a minimum of 5 clock hours; and (2) when days in addition to those provided in items (1) and (1.5) are scheduled by a school pursuant to its school improvement plan adopted under Article 34 or its revised or amended school improvement plan adopted under Article 2, provided that (i) such sessions of 3 or more clock hours are scheduled to occur at regular intervals, (ii) the remainder of the school days in which such sessions occur are utilized for in-service training programs or other staff development activities for teachers, and (iii) a sufficient number of minutes of school work under the direct supervision of teachers are added to the school days between such regularly scheduled sessions to accumulate not less than the number of minutes by which such sessions of 3 or more clock hours fall short of 5 clock hours. Any full days used for the purposes of this paragraph shall not be considered for computing average daily attendance. Days scheduled for in-service training programs, staff development activities, or parent-teacher conferences may be scheduled separately for different grade levels and different attendance centers of the district.

(e) A session of not less than one clock hour of teaching hospitalized or homebound pupils on-site or by telephone to the classroom may be counted as 1/2 day of attendance, however these pupils must receive 4 or more clock hours of instruction to be counted for a full day of attendance.

(f) A session of at least 4 clock hours may be counted as a day of attendance for first grade pupils, and pupils in full day kindergartens, and a session of 2 or more hours may be counted as 1/2 day of attendance by pupils in kindergartens which provide only 1/2 day of attendance.

(g) For children with disabilities who are below the age of 6 years and who cannot attend 2 or more clock hours because of their disability or immaturity, a session of not less than one clock hour may be counted as 1/2 day of attendance; however for such children whose educational needs so require a session of 4 or more clock hours may be counted as a full day of attendance.

(h) A recognized kindergarten which provides for only 1/2 day of attendance by each pupil shall not have more than 1/2 day of attendance counted in any one day. However, kindergartens may count 2 1/2 days of attendance in any 5 consecutive school days. When a pupil attends such a kindergarten for 2 half days on any one school day, the pupil shall have the following day as a day absent from school, unless the school district obtains permission in writing from the State Superintendent of Education. Attendance at kindergartens which provide for a full day of attendance by each pupil shall be counted the same as attendance by first grade pupils. Only the first year of attendance in one kindergarten shall be counted, except in case of children who entered the kindergarten in their fifth year whose educational development requires a second year of kindergarten as determined under the rules and regulations of the State Board of Education.

(i) On the days when the assessment that includes a college and career ready determination is administered under subsection (c) of Section 2-3.64a-5 of this Code, the day of attendance for a pupil whose school day must be shortened to accommodate required testing procedures may be less than 5 clock hours and shall be counted towards the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required under Section 10-19 of this Code, provided that a sufficient number of minutes of school work in excess of 5 clock hours are first completed on other school days to compensate for the loss of school work on the examination days.

(j) Pupils enrolled in a remote educational program established under Section 10-29 of this Code may be counted on the basis of one-fifth day of attendance for every clock hour of instruction attended in the remote educational program, provided that, in any month, the school district may not

claim for a student enrolled in a remote educational program more days of attendance than the maximum number of days of attendance the district can claim (i) for students enrolled in a building holding year-round classes if the student is classified as participating in the remote educational program on a year-round schedule or (ii) for students enrolled in a building not holding year-round classes if the student is not classified as participating in the remote educational program on a year-round schedule.

(G) Equalized Assessed Valuation Data.

(1) For purposes of the calculation of Available Local Resources required pursuant to subsection (D), the State Board of Education shall secure from the Department of Revenue the value as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue of all taxable property of every school district, together with (i) the applicable tax rate used in extending taxes for the funds of the district as of September 30 of the previous year and (ii) the limiting rate for all school districts subject to property tax extension limitations as imposed under the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law.

The Department of Revenue shall add to the equalized assessed value of all taxable property of each school district situated entirely or partially within a county that is or was subject to the provisions of Section 15-176 or 15-177 of the Property Tax Code (a) an amount equal to the total amount by which the homestead exemption allowed under Section 15-176 or 15-177 of the Property Tax Code for real property situated in that school district exceeds the total amount that would have been allowed in that school district if the maximum reduction under Section 15-176 was (i) \$4,500 in Cook County or \$3,500 in all other counties in tax year 2003 or (ii) \$5,000 in all counties in tax year 2004 and thereafter and (b) an amount equal to the aggregate amount for the taxable year of all additional exemptions under Section 15-175 of the Property Tax Code for owners with a household income of \$30,000 or less. The county clerk of any county that is or was subject to the provisions of Section 15-176 or 15-177 of the Property Tax Code shall annually calculate and certify to the Department of Revenue for each school district all homestead exemption amounts under Section 15-176 or 15-177 of the Property Tax Code and all amounts of additional exemptions under Section 15-175 of the Property Tax Code for owners with a household income of \$30,000 or less. It is the intent of this paragraph that if the general homestead exemption for a parcel of property is determined under Section 15-176 or 15-177 of the Property Tax Code rather than Section 15-175, then the calculation of Available Local Resources shall not be affected by the difference, if any, between the amount of the general homestead exemption allowed for that parcel of property under Section 15-176 or 15-177 of the Property Tax Code and the amount that would have been allowed had the general homestead exemption for that parcel of property been determined under Section 15-175 of the Property Tax Code. It is further the intent of this paragraph that if additional exemptions are allowed under Section 15-175 of the Property Tax Code for owners with a household income of less than \$30,000, then the calculation of Available Local Resources shall not be affected by the difference, if any, because of those additional exemptions.

This equalized assessed valuation, as adjusted further by the requirements of this subsection, shall be utilized in the calculation of Available Local Resources.

(2) The equalized assessed valuation in paragraph (1) shall be adjusted, as applicable, in the following manner:

(a) For the purposes of calculating State aid under this Section, with respect to any part of a school district within a redevelopment project area in respect to which a municipality has adopted tax increment allocation financing pursuant to the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act, Sections 11-74.4-1 through 11-74.4-11 of the Illinois Municipal Code or the Industrial Jobs Recovery Law, Sections 11-74.6-1 through 11-74.6-50 of the Illinois Municipal Code, no part of the current equalized assessed valuation of real property located in any such project area which is attributable to an increase above the total initial equalized assessed valuation of such property shall be used as part of the equalized assessed valuation of the district, until such time as all redevelopment project costs have been paid, as provided in Section 11-74.4-8 of the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act or in Section 11-74.6-35 of the Industrial Jobs Recovery Law. For the purpose of the equalized assessed valuation of the district, the total initial equalized assessed valuation or the current equalized assessed valuation, whichever is lower, shall be used until such time as all redevelopment project costs have been paid.

(b) The real property equalized assessed valuation for a school district shall be adjusted by subtracting from the real property value as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue for the district an amount computed by dividing the amount of any abatement of taxes under Section 18-170 of the Property Tax Code by 3.00% for a district maintaining grades kindergarten through 12, by 2.30% for a district maintaining grades kindergarten through 8, or by 1.05% for a district

maintaining grades 9 through 12 and adjusted by an amount computed by dividing the amount of any abatement of taxes under subsection (a) of Section 18-165 of the Property Tax Code by the same percentage rates for district type as specified in this subparagraph (b).

(3) For the 1999-2000 school year and each school year thereafter, if a school district meets all of the criteria of this subsection (G)(3), the school district's Available Local Resources shall be calculated under subsection (D) using the district's Extension Limitation Equalized Assessed Valuation as calculated under this subsection (G)(3).

For purposes of this subsection (G)(3) the following terms shall have the following meanings:

"Budget Year": The school year for which general State aid is calculated and awarded under subsection (E).

"Base Tax Year": The property tax levy year used to calculate the Budget Year allocation of general State aid.

"Preceding Tax Year": The property tax levy year immediately preceding the Base Tax Year.

"Base Tax Year's Tax Extension": The product of the equalized assessed valuation utilized by the County Clerk in the Base Tax Year multiplied by the limiting rate as calculated by the County Clerk and defined in the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law.

"Preceding Tax Year's Tax Extension": The product of the equalized assessed valuation utilized by the County Clerk in the Preceding Tax Year multiplied by the Operating Tax Rate as defined in subsection (A).

"Extension Limitation Ratio": A numerical ratio, certified by the County Clerk, in which the numerator is the Base Tax Year's Tax Extension and the denominator is the Preceding Tax Year's Tax Extension.

"Operating Tax Rate": The operating tax rate as defined in subsection (A).

If a school district is subject to property tax extension limitations as imposed under the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law, the State Board of Education shall calculate the Extension Limitation Equalized Assessed Valuation of that district. For the 1999-2000 school year, the Extension Limitation Equalized Assessed Valuation of a school district as calculated by the State Board of Education shall be equal to the product of the district's 1996 Equalized Assessed Valuation and the district's Extension Limitation Ratio. Except as otherwise provided in this paragraph for a school district that has approved or does approve an increase in its limiting rate, for the 2000-2001 school year and each school year thereafter, the Extension Limitation Equalized Assessed Valuation of a school district as calculated by the State Board of Education shall be equal to the product of the Equalized Assessed Valuation last used in the calculation of general State aid and the district's Extension Limitation Ratio. If the Extension Limitation Equalized Assessed Valuation of a school district as calculated under this subsection (G)(3) is less than the district's equalized assessed valuation as calculated pursuant to subsections (G)(1) and (G)(2), then for purposes of calculating the district's general State aid for the Budget Year pursuant to subsection (E), that Extension Limitation Equalized Assessed Valuation shall be utilized to calculate the district's Available Local Resources under subsection (D). For the 2009-2010 school year and each school year thereafter, if a school district has approved or does approve an increase in its limiting rate, pursuant to Section 18-190 of the Property Tax Code, affecting the Base Tax Year, the Extension Limitation Equalized Assessed Valuation of the school district, as calculated by the State Board of Education, shall be equal to the product of the Equalized Assessed Valuation last used in the calculation of general State aid times an amount equal to one plus the percentage increase, if any, in the Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers for all items published by the United States Department of Labor for the 12-month calendar year preceding the Base Tax Year, plus the Equalized Assessed Valuation of new property, annexed property, and recovered tax increment value and minus the Equalized Assessed Valuation of disconnected property. New property and recovered tax increment value shall have the meanings set forth in the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law.

Partial elementary unit districts created in accordance with Article 11E of this Code shall not be eligible for the adjustment in this subsection (G)(3) until the fifth year following the effective date of the reorganization.

(3.5) For the 2010-2011 school year and each school year thereafter, if a school district's boundaries span multiple counties, then the Department of Revenue shall send to the State Board of Education, for the purpose of calculating general State aid, the limiting rate and individual rates by purpose for the county that contains the majority of the school district's Equalized Assessed Valuation.

(4) For the purposes of calculating general State aid for the 1999-2000 school year only, if a school district experienced a triennial reassessment on the equalized assessed valuation used in calculating its general State financial aid apportionment for the 1998-1999 school year, the State Board of Education

shall calculate the Extension Limitation Equalized Assessed Valuation that would have been used to calculate the district's 1998-1999 general State aid. This amount shall equal the product of the equalized assessed valuation used to calculate general State aid for the 1997-1998 school year and the district's Extension Limitation Ratio. If the Extension Limitation Equalized Assessed Valuation of the school district as calculated under this paragraph (4) is less than the district's equalized assessed valuation utilized in calculating the district's 1998-1999 general State aid allocation, then for purposes of calculating the district's general State aid pursuant to paragraph (5) of subsection (E), that Extension Limitation Equalized Assessed Valuation shall be utilized to calculate the district's Available Local Resources.

(5) For school districts having a majority of their equalized assessed valuation in any county except Cook, DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry, or Will, if the amount of general State aid allocated to the school district for the 1999-2000 school year under the provisions of subsection (E), (H), and (J) of this Section is less than the amount of general State aid allocated to the district for the 1998-1999 school year under these subsections, then the general State aid of the district for the 1999-2000 school year only shall be increased by the difference between these amounts. The total payments made under this paragraph (5) shall not exceed \$14,000,000. Claims shall be prorated if they exceed \$14,000,000.

(H) Supplemental General State Aid.

(1) In addition to the general State aid a school district is allotted pursuant to subsection (E), qualifying school districts shall receive a grant, paid in conjunction with a district's payments of general State aid, for supplemental general State aid based upon the concentration level of children from low-income households within the school district. Supplemental State aid grants provided for school districts under this subsection shall be appropriated for distribution to school districts as part of the same line item in which the general State financial aid of school districts is appropriated under this Section.

(1.5) This paragraph (1.5) applies only to those school years preceding the 2003-2004 school year. For purposes of this subsection (H), the term "Low-Income Concentration Level" shall be the low-income eligible pupil count from the most recently available federal census divided by the Average Daily Attendance of the school district. If, however, (i) the percentage decrease from the 2 most recent federal censuses in the low-income eligible pupil count of a high school district with fewer than 400 students exceeds by 75% or more the percentage change in the total low-income eligible pupil count of contiguous elementary school districts, whose boundaries are coterminous with the high school district, or (ii) a high school district within 2 counties and serving 5 elementary school districts, whose boundaries are coterminous with the high school district, has a percentage decrease from the 2 most recent federal censuses in the low-income eligible pupil count and there is a percentage increase in the total low-income eligible pupil count of a majority of the elementary school districts in excess of 50% from the 2 most recent federal censuses, then the high school district's low-income eligible pupil count from the earlier federal census shall be the number used as the low-income eligible pupil count for the high school district, for purposes of this subsection (H). The changes made to this paragraph (1) by Public Act 92-28 shall apply to supplemental general State aid grants for school years preceding the 2003-2004 school year that are paid in fiscal year 1999 or thereafter and to any State aid payments made in fiscal year 1994 through fiscal year 1998 pursuant to subsection 1(n) of Section 18-8 of this Code (which was repealed on July 1, 1998), and any high school district that is affected by Public Act 92-28 is entitled to a recomputation of its supplemental general State aid grant or State aid paid in any of those fiscal years. This recomputation shall not be affected by any other funding.

(1.10) This paragraph (1.10) applies to the 2003-2004 school year and each school year thereafter. For purposes of this subsection (H), the term "Low-Income Concentration Level" shall, for each fiscal year, be the low-income eligible pupil count as of July 1 of the immediately preceding fiscal year (as determined by the Department of Human Services based on the number of pupils who are eligible for at least one of the following low income programs: Medicaid, the Children's Health Insurance Program, TANF, or Food Stamps, excluding pupils who are eligible for services provided by the Department of Children and Family Services, averaged over the 2 immediately preceding fiscal years for fiscal year 2004 and over the 3 immediately preceding fiscal years for each fiscal year thereafter) divided by the Average Daily Attendance of the school district.

(2) Supplemental general State aid pursuant to this subsection (H) shall be provided as follows for the 1998-1999, 1999-2000, and 2000-2001 school years only:

(a) For any school district with a Low Income Concentration Level of at least 20% and less than 35%, the grant for any school year shall be \$800 multiplied by the low income eligible pupil count.

(b) For any school district with a Low Income Concentration Level of at least 35% and

less than 50%, the grant for the 1998-1999 school year shall be \$1,100 multiplied by the low income eligible pupil count.

(c) For any school district with a Low Income Concentration Level of at least 50% and less than 60%, the grant for the 1998-99 school year shall be \$1,500 multiplied by the low income eligible pupil count.

(d) For any school district with a Low Income Concentration Level of 60% or more, the grant for the 1998-99 school year shall be \$1,900 multiplied by the low income eligible pupil count.

(e) For the 1999-2000 school year, the per pupil amount specified in subparagraphs (b), (c), and (d) immediately above shall be increased to \$1,243, \$1,600, and \$2,000, respectively.

(f) For the 2000-2001 school year, the per pupil amounts specified in subparagraphs (b), (c), and (d) immediately above shall be \$1,273, \$1,640, and \$2,050, respectively.

(2.5) Supplemental general State aid pursuant to this subsection (H) shall be provided as follows for the 2002-2003 school year:

(a) For any school district with a Low Income Concentration Level of less than 10%, the grant for each school year shall be \$355 multiplied by the low income eligible pupil count.

(b) For any school district with a Low Income Concentration Level of at least 10% and less than 20%, the grant for each school year shall be \$675 multiplied by the low income eligible pupil count.

(c) For any school district with a Low Income Concentration Level of at least 20% and less than 35%, the grant for each school year shall be \$1,330 multiplied by the low income eligible pupil count.

(d) For any school district with a Low Income Concentration Level of at least 35% and less than 50%, the grant for each school year shall be \$1,362 multiplied by the low income eligible pupil count.

(e) For any school district with a Low Income Concentration Level of at least 50% and less than 60%, the grant for each school year shall be \$1,680 multiplied by the low income eligible pupil count.

(f) For any school district with a Low Income Concentration Level of 60% or more, the grant for each school year shall be \$2,080 multiplied by the low income eligible pupil count.

(2.10) Except as otherwise provided, supplemental general State aid pursuant to this subsection (H) shall be provided as follows for the 2003-2004 school year and each school year thereafter:

(a) For any school district with a Low Income Concentration Level of 15% or less, the grant for each school year shall be \$355 multiplied by the low income eligible pupil count.

(b) For any school district with a Low Income Concentration Level greater than 15%, the grant for each school year shall be \$294.25 added to the product of \$2,700 and the square of the Low Income Concentration Level, all multiplied by the low income eligible pupil count.

For the 2003-2004 school year and each school year thereafter through the 2008-2009 school year only, the grant shall be no less than the grant for the 2002-2003 school year. For the 2009-2010 school year only, the grant shall be no less than the grant for the 2002-2003 school year multiplied by 0.66. For the 2010-2011 school year only, the grant shall be no less than the grant for the 2002-2003 school year multiplied by 0.33. Notwithstanding the provisions of this paragraph to the contrary, if for any school year supplemental general State aid grants are prorated as provided in paragraph (1) of this subsection (H), then the grants under this paragraph shall be prorated.

For the 2003-2004 school year only, the grant shall be no greater than the grant received during the 2002-2003 school year added to the product of 0.25 multiplied by the difference between the grant amount calculated under subsection (a) or (b) of this paragraph (2.10), whichever is applicable, and the grant received during the 2002-2003 school year. For the 2004-2005 school year only, the grant shall be no greater than the grant received during the 2002-2003 school year added to the product of 0.50 multiplied by the difference between the grant amount calculated under subsection (a) or (b) of this paragraph (2.10), whichever is applicable, and the grant received during the 2002-2003 school year. For the 2005-2006 school year only, the grant shall be no greater than the grant received during the 2002-2003 school year added to the product of 0.75 multiplied by the difference between the grant amount calculated under subsection (a) or (b) of this paragraph (2.10), whichever is applicable, and the grant received during the 2002-2003 school year.

(3) School districts with an Average Daily Attendance of more than 1,000 and less than 50,000 that qualify for supplemental general State aid pursuant to this subsection shall submit a plan to the State Board of Education prior to October 30 of each year for the use of the funds resulting from this grant of supplemental general State aid for the improvement of instruction in which priority is given to meeting

the education needs of disadvantaged children. Such plan shall be submitted in accordance with rules and regulations promulgated by the State Board of Education.

(4) School districts with an Average Daily Attendance of 50,000 or more that qualify for supplemental general State aid pursuant to this subsection shall be required to distribute from funds available pursuant to this Section, no less than \$261,000,000 in accordance with the following requirements:

(a) The required amounts shall be distributed to the attendance centers within the district in proportion to the number of pupils enrolled at each attendance center who are eligible to receive free or reduced-price lunches or breakfasts under the federal Child Nutrition Act of 1966 and under the National School Lunch Act during the immediately preceding school year.

(b) The distribution of these portions of supplemental and general State aid among attendance centers according to these requirements shall not be compensated for or contravened by adjustments of the total of other funds appropriated to any attendance centers, and the Board of Education shall utilize funding from one or several sources in order to fully implement this provision annually prior to the opening of school.

(c) Each attendance center shall be provided by the school district a distribution of noncategorical funds and other categorical funds to which an attendance center is entitled under law in order that the general State aid and supplemental general State aid provided by application of this subsection supplements rather than supplants the noncategorical funds and other categorical funds provided by the school district to the attendance centers.

(d) Any funds made available under this subsection that by reason of the provisions of this subsection are not required to be allocated and provided to attendance centers may be used and appropriated by the board of the district for any lawful school purpose.

(e) Funds received by an attendance center pursuant to this subsection shall be used by the attendance center at the discretion of the principal and local school council for programs to improve educational opportunities at qualifying schools through the following programs and services: early childhood education, reduced class size or improved adult to student classroom ratio, enrichment programs, remedial assistance, attendance improvement, and other educationally beneficial expenditures which supplement the regular and basic programs as determined by the State Board of Education. Funds provided shall not be expended for any political or lobbying purposes as defined by board rule.

(f) Each district subject to the provisions of this subdivision (H)(4) shall submit an acceptable plan to meet the educational needs of disadvantaged children, in compliance with the requirements of this paragraph, to the State Board of Education prior to July 15 of each year. This plan shall be consistent with the decisions of local school councils concerning the school expenditure plans developed in accordance with part 4 of Section 34-2.3. The State Board shall approve or reject the plan within 60 days after its submission. If the plan is rejected, the district shall give written notice of intent to modify the plan within 15 days of the notification of rejection and then submit a modified plan within 30 days after the date of the written notice of intent to modify. Districts may amend approved plans pursuant to rules promulgated by the State Board of Education.

Upon notification by the State Board of Education that the district has not submitted a plan prior to July 15 or a modified plan within the time period specified herein, the State aid funds affected by that plan or modified plan shall be withheld by the State Board of Education until a plan or modified plan is submitted.

If the district fails to distribute State aid to attendance centers in accordance with an approved plan, the plan for the following year shall allocate funds, in addition to the funds otherwise required by this subsection, to those attendance centers which were underfunded during the previous year in amounts equal to such underfunding.

For purposes of determining compliance with this subsection in relation to the requirements of attendance center funding, each district subject to the provisions of this subsection shall submit as a separate document by December 1 of each year a report of expenditure data for the prior year in addition to any modification of its current plan. If it is determined that there has been a failure to comply with the expenditure provisions of this subsection regarding contravention or supplanting, the State Superintendent of Education shall, within 60 days of receipt of the report, notify the district and any affected local school council. The district shall within 45 days of receipt of that notification inform the State Superintendent of Education of the remedial or corrective action to be taken, whether by amendment of the current plan, if feasible, or by adjustment in the plan for the following year. Failure to provide the expenditure report or the notification of remedial or corrective action in a timely manner shall result in a withholding of the affected funds.

The State Board of Education shall promulgate rules and regulations to implement the

provisions of this subsection. No funds shall be released under this subdivision (H)(4) to any district that has not submitted a plan that has been approved by the State Board of Education.

(I) (Blank).

(J) (Blank).

(K) Grants to Laboratory and Alternative Schools.

In calculating the amount to be paid to the governing board of a public university that operates a laboratory school under this Section or to any alternative school that is operated by a regional superintendent of schools, the State Board of Education shall require by rule such reporting requirements as it deems necessary.

As used in this Section, "laboratory school" means a public school which is created and operated by a public university and approved by the State Board of Education. The governing board of a public university which receives funds from the State Board under this subsection (K) may not increase the number of students enrolled in its laboratory school from a single district, if that district is already sending 50 or more students, except under a mutual agreement between the school board of a student's district of residence and the university which operates the laboratory school. A laboratory school may not have more than 1,000 students, excluding students with disabilities in a special education program.

As used in this Section, "alternative school" means a public school which is created and operated by a Regional Superintendent of Schools and approved by the State Board of Education. Such alternative schools may offer courses of instruction for which credit is given in regular school programs, courses to prepare students for the high school equivalency testing program or vocational and occupational training. A regional superintendent of schools may contract with a school district or a public community college district to operate an alternative school. An alternative school serving more than one educational service region may be established by the regional superintendents of schools of the affected educational service regions. An alternative school serving more than one educational service region may be operated under such terms as the regional superintendents of schools of those educational service regions may agree.

Each laboratory and alternative school shall file, on forms provided by the State Superintendent of Education, an annual State aid claim which states the Average Daily Attendance of the school's students by month. The best 3 months' Average Daily Attendance shall be computed for each school. The general State aid entitlement shall be computed by multiplying the applicable Average Daily Attendance by the Foundation Level as determined under this Section.

(L) Payments, Additional Grants in Aid and Other Requirements.

(1) For a school district operating under the financial supervision of an Authority created under Article 34A, the general State aid otherwise payable to that district under this Section, but not the supplemental general State aid, shall be reduced by an amount equal to the budget for the operations of the Authority as certified by the Authority to the State Board of Education, and an amount equal to such reduction shall be paid to the Authority created for such district for its operating expenses in the manner provided in Section 18-11. The remainder of general State school aid for any such district shall be paid in accordance with Article 34A when that Article provides for a disposition other than that provided by this Article.

(2) (Blank).

(3) Summer school. Summer school payments shall be made as provided in Section 18-4.3.

(4) For the 2015-2016 school year and each school year thereafter, the State Board of Education shall, subject to appropriation, provide a supplemental grant to entities that receive general State aid to limit the loss per student due to the difference between the general State aid claim as calculated under this Section and the amount appropriated for purposes of this Section divided by the Average Daily Attendance as set forth in paragraph (2) of subsection (C) of this Section. This supplemental grant must be paid first to the entity with the greatest loss per student and then to the next entity with the greatest loss per student until losses per student are reduced to their smallest possible amount given this appropriation.

For the 2016-2017 school year and each school year thereafter, no entity that receives general State aid may receive a smaller percentage of its general State aid claim as calculated under this Section than the entity received in the 2015-2016 school year.

(M) Education Funding Advisory Board.

The Education Funding Advisory Board, hereinafter in this subsection (M) referred to as the "Board", is hereby created. The Board shall consist of 5 members who are appointed by the Governor, by and with

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the advice and consent of the Senate. The members appointed shall include representatives of education, business, and the general public. One of the members so appointed shall be designated by the Governor at the time the appointment is made as the chairperson of the Board. The initial members of the Board may be appointed any time after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1997. The regular term of each member of the Board shall be for 4 years from the third Monday of January of the year in which the term of the member's appointment is to commence, except that of the 5 initial members appointed to serve on the Board, the member who is appointed as the chairperson shall serve for a term that commences on the date of his or her appointment and expires on the third Monday of January, 2002, and the remaining 4 members, by lots drawn at the first meeting of the Board that is held after all 5 members are appointed, shall determine 2 of their number to serve for terms that commence on the date of their respective appointments and expire on the third Monday of January, 2001, and 2 of their number to serve for terms that commence on the date of their respective appointments and expire on the third Monday of January, 2000. All members appointed to serve on the Board shall serve until their respective successors are appointed and confirmed. Vacancies shall be filled in the same manner as original appointments. If a vacancy in membership occurs at a time when the Senate is not in session, the Governor shall make a temporary appointment until the next meeting of the Senate, when he or she shall appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, a person to fill that membership for the unexpired term. If the Senate is not in session when the initial appointments are made, those appointments shall be made as in the case of vacancies.

The Education Funding Advisory Board shall be deemed established, and the initial members appointed by the Governor to serve as members of the Board shall take office, on the date that the Governor makes his or her appointment of the fifth initial member of the Board, whether those initial members are then serving pursuant to appointment and confirmation or pursuant to temporary appointments that are made by the Governor as in the case of vacancies.

The State Board of Education shall provide such staff assistance to the Education Funding Advisory Board as is reasonably required for the proper performance by the Board of its responsibilities.

For school years after the 2000-2001 school year, the Education Funding Advisory Board, in consultation with the State Board of Education, shall make recommendations as provided in this subsection (M) to the General Assembly for the foundation level under subdivision (B)(3) of this Section and for the supplemental general State aid grant level under subsection (H) of this Section for districts with high concentrations of children from poverty. The recommended foundation level shall be determined based on a methodology which incorporates the basic education expenditures of low-spending schools exhibiting high academic performance. The Education Funding Advisory Board shall make such recommendations to the General Assembly on January 1 of odd numbered years, beginning January 1, 2001.

(N) (Blank).

(O) References.

(1) References in other laws to the various subdivisions of Section 18-8 as that Section existed before its repeal and replacement by this Section 18-8.05 shall be deemed to refer to the corresponding provisions of this Section 18-8.05, to the extent that those references remain applicable.

(2) References in other laws to State Chapter 1 funds shall be deemed to refer to the supplemental general State aid provided under subsection (H) of this Section.

(P) Public Act 93-838 and Public Act 93-808 make inconsistent changes to this Section. Under Section 6 of the Statute on Statutes there is an irreconcilable conflict between Public Act 93-808 and Public Act 93-838. Public Act 93-838, being the last acted upon, is controlling. The text of Public Act 93-838 is the law regardless of the text of Public Act 93-808.

(Q) State Fiscal Year 2015 Payments.

For payments made for State fiscal year 2015, the State Board of Education shall, for each school district, calculate that district's pro-rata share of a minimum sum of \$13,600,000 or additional amounts as needed from the total net General State Aid funding as calculated under this Section that shall be deemed attributable to the provision of special educational facilities and services, as defined in Section 14-1.08 of this Code, in a manner that ensures compliance with maintenance of State financial support requirements under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act. Each school district must use such funds only for the provision of special educational facilities and services, as defined in Section 14-1.08 of this Code, and must comply with any expenditure verification procedures adopted by the State Board of Education.

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(R) Repealer.This Section is repealed on June 1, 2017.

(Source: P.A. 98-972, eff. 8-15-14; 99-2, eff. 3-26-15.)

(105 ILCS 5/18-21 new)

Sec. 18-21. General State Aid Committee.(a) There is created a General State Aid Committee to propose a revised school funding formula for Illinois schools. The Committee shall consist of the following members, all of whom shall serve without compensation but shall be reimbursed for their travel expenses from appropriations to the State Board of Education available for that purpose and subject to the rules of the Legislative Travel Control Board:(1) Three members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, one of whom shall serve as co-chairperson.(2) Three members appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, one of whom shall serve as co-chairperson.(3) Three members appointed by the President of the Senate, one of whom shall serve as co-chairperson.(4) Three members appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate, one of whom shall serve as co-chairperson.(b) The General State Aid Committee shall meet within 30 days of the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly. Thereafter, the Committee shall meet at the call of the co-chairpersons. The State Board of Education shall provide administrative and other support to the Committee.(c) The General State Aid Committee shall propose a new school funding formula for public schools in this State. The Committee must establish a school funding formula that provides adequate, equitable, transparent, and accountable distribution of funds to school districts that will prepare students for success after high school.(d) The Committee shall submit its proposed school funding formula to the General Assembly for consideration on or before December 31, 2016 by filing copies of its proposal as provided in Section 3.1 of the General Assembly Organization Act. Upon filing its proposal, the Committee is dissolved.(e) This Section is repealed on December 31, 2017.

Section 90. The State Mandates Act is amended by adding Section 8.39 as follows:

(30 ILCS 805/8.39 new)

Sec. 8.39. Exempt mandate. Notwithstanding Sections 6 and 8 of this Act, no reimbursement by the State is required for the implementation of any mandate created by this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly.

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law."

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment was adopted and ordered printed.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO SENATE BILL 318AMENDMENT NO. 2. Amend Senate Bill 318, AS AMENDED, with reference to page and line numbers of Senate Amendment No. 1, on page 48, by replacing lines 14 and 15 with the following: "1D-5 and 18-21 and by changing Sections 1C-1, 1C-2, 1C-4, 18-8.05, and 34-53 as follows:"; and

on page 94, immediately below line 8, by inserting the following:

"(105 ILCS 5/34-53) (from Ch. 122, par. 34-53)

Sec. 34-53. Tax levies; Purpose; Rates. For the purpose of establishing and supporting free schools for not fewer than 9 months in each year and defraying their expenses the board may levy annually, upon all taxable property of such district for educational purposes a tax for the fiscal years 1996 and each succeeding fiscal year at a rate of not to exceed the sum of (i) ~~2.81%~~ ~~3.07%~~ (or such other rate as may be set by law independent of the rate difference described in (ii) below) and (ii) the difference between .50% and the rate per cent of taxes extended for a School Finance Authority organized under Article 34A of the School Code, for the calendar year in which the applicable fiscal year of the board begins as determined by the county clerk and certified to the board pursuant to Section 18-110 of the Property Tax Code, of the value as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue for the year in which such levy is made.

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For fiscal year 2016 and each succeeding fiscal year, for the purpose of making an employer contribution to the Public School Teachers' Pension and Retirement Fund of Chicago, the board shall levy annually, upon all taxable property located within the district, a tax at the rate of 0.26%. The proceeds from this additional tax shall be paid directly to the Pension Fund. The changes made to this Section by this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly: (1) do not authorize an increase in the district's maximum aggregate extension or limiting rate under the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law; and (2) constitute a continuation of the existing total maximum rate under this Section and are not a new rate for the purposes of the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law.

Nothing in this amendatory Act of 1995 shall in any way impair or restrict the levy or extension of taxes pursuant to any tax levies for any purposes of the board lawfully made prior to the adoption of this amendatory Act of 1995.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Code and in addition to any other methods provided for increasing the tax rate the board may, by proper resolution, cause a proposition to increase the annual tax rate for educational purposes to be submitted to the voters of such district at any general or special election. The maximum rate for educational purposes shall not exceed 4.00%. The election called for such purpose shall be governed by Article 9 of this Act. If at such election a majority of the votes cast on the proposition is in favor thereof, the Board of Education may thereafter until such authority is revoked in a like manner, levy annually the tax so authorized.

For purposes of this Article, educational purposes for fiscal years beginning in 1995 and each subsequent year shall also include, but not be limited to, in addition to those purposes authorized before this amendatory Act of 1995, constructing, acquiring, leasing (other than from the Public Building Commission of Chicago), operating, maintaining, improving, repairing, and renovating land, buildings, furnishings, and equipment for school houses and buildings, and related incidental expenses, and provision of special education, furnishing free textbooks and instructional aids and school supplies, establishing, equipping, maintaining, and operating supervised playgrounds under the control of the board, school extracurricular activities, and stadia, social center, and summer swimming pool programs open to the public in connection with any public school; making an employer contribution to the Public School Teachers' Pension and Retirement Fund as required by Section 17-129 of the Illinois Pension Code; and providing an agricultural science school, including site development and improvements, maintenance repairs, and supplies. Educational purposes also includes student transportation expenses.

All collections of all taxes levied for fiscal years ending before 1996 under this Section or under Sections 34-53.2, 34-53.3, 34-58, 34-60, or 34-62 of this Article as in effect prior to this amendatory Act of 1995 may be used for any educational purposes as defined by this amendatory Act of 1995 and need not be used for the particular purposes for which they were levied. The levy and extension of taxes pursuant to this Section as amended by this amendatory Act of 1995 shall not constitute a new or increased tax rate within the meaning of the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law or the One-year Property Tax Extension Limitation Law.

The rate at which taxes may be levied for the fiscal year beginning September 1, 1996, for educational purposes shall be the full rate authorized by this Section for such taxes for fiscal years ending after 1995. (Source: P.A. 88-511; 88-670, eff. 12-2-94; 89-15, eff. 5-30-95.)"

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment was adopted and ordered printed.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 3 TO SENATE BILL 318

AMENDMENT NO. 3. Amend Senate Bill 318, AS AMENDED, with reference to page and line numbers of Senate Amendment No. 1, as follows:

on page 39, by deleting lines 12 through 15; and

on page 39, line 16, by replacing "(3)" with "(2)"; and

on page 45, line 1, after "Section 17-127," by inserting "together with the proceeds of the tax levied by the Board of Education under the changes made to Section 34-53 of the School Code by this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly.".

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment was adopted and ordered printed.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendments numbered 1, 2 and 3 were ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

READING BILL OF THE SENATE A THIRD TIME

On motion of Senator J. Cullerton, **Senate Bill No. 318** having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

YEAS 37; NAY 1; Present 18.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bennett	Harris	Link	Silverstein
Bertino-Tarrant	Hastings	Manar	Stadelman
Biss	Holmes	Martinez	Steans
Clayborne	Hunter	McGuire	Sullivan
Collins	Hutchinson	Morrison	Trotter
Cullerton, T.	Jones, E.	Mulroe	Van Pelt
Cunningham	Koehler	Muñoz	Mr. President
Forby	Kotowski	Noland	
Haine	Landek	Raoul	
Harmon	Lightford	Sandoval	

The following voted in the negative:

Duffy

The following voted present:

Althoff	Connelly	McConaughay	Richter
Anderson	Delgado	Murphy	Rose
Barickman	Luechtefeld	Nybo	Syverson
Bivins	McCann	Radogno	
Brady	McCarter	Rezin	

This bill, having received the vote of three-fifths of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Senator Bush asked and obtained unanimous consent for the Journal to reflect her intention to have voted in the affirmative on **Senate Bill No. 318**.

SENATE BILL RECALLED

On motion of Senator Steans, at the request of the sponsor, **Senate Bill No. 2039** was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

Senator Steans offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 1 SENATE BILL 2039

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 2039 by deleting everything after the enacting clause and inserting the following:

“ARTICLE 1

Section 5. “AN ACT making appropriations”, Public Act 99-0005, approved June 24, 2015, is amending by changing Section 10 of Article 1 as follows:

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(Public Act 99-0005, Art. 1, Sec. 10)

Section 10. The amount of ~~\$159,000,000~~ ~~\$85,000,000~~ is appropriated from the General Revenue Fund to the Illinois State Board of Education to provide a supplemental grant to entities that receive General State Aid to limit the loss per student due to the difference between the General State Aid claim as calculated pursuant to Section 18-8.05 and the amount appropriated for purposes of Section 18-8.05 divided by the Average Daily Attendance as defined in subsection (C)(2) of Section 18-8.05. This supplemental grant shall be paid first to the entity with the greatest loss per student, and then to the next entity with the greatest loss per student until losses per student are reduced to their smallest possible amount given this appropriation.

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Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law.".

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment was adopted and ordered printed.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

READING BILL OF THE SENATE A THIRD TIME

On motion of Senator Steans, at the request of the sponsor, **Senate Bill No. 2039** having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

YEAS 49; NAYS 7.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff	Delgado	Lightford	Raoul
Anderson	Forby	Link	Rose
Barickman	Haine	Luechtefeld	Sandoval
Bennett	Harmon	Manar	Silverstein
Bertino-Tarrant	Harris	Martinez	Stadelman
Biss	Hastings	McCann	Steans
Bivins	Holmes	McCarter	Sullivan
Brady	Hunter	McConnaughay	Trotter
Bush	Hutchinson	McGuire	Van Pelt
Clayborne	Jones, E.	Morrison	Mr. President
Collins	Koehler	Mulroe	
Cullerton, T.	Kotowski	Muñoz	
Cunningham	Landek	Noland	

The following voted in the negative:

Connelly	Murphy	Radogno	Syverson
Duffy	Nybo	Righter	

This bill, having received the vote of three-fifths of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

SENATE BILL RECALLED

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On motion of Senator Raoul, **Senate Bill No. 162** was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

Senator Raoul offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 162

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 162 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Workers' Compensation Act is amended by changing Sections 1, 8.1b, 8.2a, 14, and 25.5 and by adding Sections 14.2, 14.3, and 14.4 as follows:

(820 ILCS 305/1) (from Ch. 48, par. 138.1)

Sec. 1. This Act may be cited as the Workers' Compensation Act.

(a) The term "employer" as used in this Act means:

1. The State and each county, city, town, township, incorporated village, school district, body politic, or municipal corporation therein.

2. Every person, firm, public or private corporation, including hospitals, public service, eleemosynary, religious or charitable corporations or associations who has any person in service or under any contract for hire, express or implied, oral or written, and who is engaged in any of the enterprises or businesses enumerated in Section 3 of this Act, or who at or prior to the time of the accident to the employee for which compensation under this Act may be claimed, has in the manner provided in this Act elected to become subject to the provisions of this Act, and who has not, prior to such accident, effected a withdrawal of such election in the manner provided in this Act.

3. Any one engaging in any business or enterprise referred to in subsections 1 and 2 of Section 3 of this Act who undertakes to do any work enumerated therein, is liable to pay compensation to his own immediate employees in accordance with the provisions of this Act, and in addition thereto if he directly or indirectly engages any contractor whether principal or sub-contractor to do any such work, he is liable to pay compensation to the employees of any such contractor or sub-contractor unless such contractor or sub-contractor has insured, in any company or association authorized under the laws of this State to insure the liability to pay compensation under this Act, or guaranteed his liability to pay such compensation. With respect to any time limitation on the filing of claims provided by this Act, the timely filing of a claim against a contractor or subcontractor, as the case may be, shall be deemed to be a timely filing with respect to all persons upon whom liability is imposed by this paragraph.

In the event any such person pays compensation under this subsection he may recover the amount thereof from the contractor or sub-contractor, if any, and in the event the contractor pays compensation under this subsection he may recover the amount thereof from the sub-contractor, if any.

This subsection does not apply in any case where the accident occurs elsewhere than on, in or about the immediate premises on which the principal has contracted that the work be done.

4. Where an employer operating under and subject to the provisions of this Act loans an employee to another such employer and such loaned employee sustains a compensable accidental injury in the employment of such borrowing employer and where such borrowing employer does not provide or pay the benefits or payments due such injured employee, such loaning employer is liable to provide or pay all benefits or payments due such employee under this Act and as to such employee the liability of such loaning and borrowing employers is joint and several, provided that such loaning employer is in the absence of agreement to the contrary entitled to receive from such borrowing employer full reimbursement for all sums paid or incurred pursuant to this paragraph together with reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses in any hearings before the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission or in any action to secure such reimbursement. Where any benefit is provided or paid by such loaning employer the employee has the duty of rendering reasonable cooperation in any hearings, trials or proceedings in the case, including such proceedings for reimbursement.

Where an employee files an Application for Adjustment of Claim with the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission alleging that his claim is covered by the provisions of the preceding paragraph, and joining both the alleged loaning and borrowing employers, they and each of them, upon written demand by the employee and within 7 days after receipt of such demand, shall have the duty of filing with the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission a written admission or denial of the allegation that the claim is covered by the provisions of the preceding paragraph and in default of such filing or if any such denial be ultimately determined not to have been bona fide then the provisions of Paragraph K of Section 19 of this Act shall apply.

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An employer whose business or enterprise or a substantial part thereof consists of hiring, procuring or furnishing employees to or for other employers operating under and subject to the provisions of this Act for the performance of the work of such other employers and who pays such employees their salary or wages notwithstanding that they are doing the work of such other employers shall be deemed a loaning employer within the meaning and provisions of this Section.

(b) The term "employee" as used in this Act means:

1. Every person in the service of the State, including members of the General Assembly, members of the Commerce Commission, members of the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission, and all persons in the service of the University of Illinois, county, including deputy sheriffs and assistant state's attorneys, city, town, township, incorporated village or school district, body politic, or municipal corporation therein, whether by election, under appointment or contract of hire, express or implied, oral or written, including all members of the Illinois National Guard while on active duty in the service of the State, and all probation personnel of the Juvenile Court appointed pursuant to Article VI of the Juvenile Court Act of 1987, and including any official of the State, any county, city, town, township, incorporated village, school district, body politic or municipal corporation therein except any duly appointed member of a police department in any city whose population exceeds 500,000 according to the last Federal or State census, and except any member of a fire insurance patrol maintained by a board of underwriters in this State. A duly appointed member of a fire department in any city, the population of which exceeds 500,000 according to the last federal or State census, is an employee under this Act only with respect to claims brought under paragraph (c) of Section 8.

One employed by a contractor who has contracted with the State, or a county, city, town, township, incorporated village, school district, body politic or municipal corporation therein, through its representatives, is not considered as an employee of the State, county, city, town, township, incorporated village, school district, body politic or municipal corporation which made the contract.

2. Every person in the service of another under any contract of hire, express or implied, oral or written, including persons whose employment is outside of the State of Illinois where the contract of hire is made within the State of Illinois, persons whose employment results in fatal or non-fatal injuries within the State of Illinois where the contract of hire is made outside of the State of Illinois, and persons whose employment is principally localized within the State of Illinois, regardless of the place of the accident or the place where the contract of hire was made, and including aliens, and minors who, for the purpose of this Act are considered the same and have the same power to contract, receive payments and give quittances therefor, as adult employees.

3. Every sole proprietor and every partner of a business may elect to be covered by this Act.

An employee or his dependents under this Act who shall have a cause of action by reason of any injury, disablement or death arising out of and in the course of his employment may elect to pursue his remedy in the State where injured or disabled, or in the State where the contract of hire is made, or in the State where the employment is principally localized.

However, any employer may elect to provide and pay compensation to any employee other than those engaged in the usual course of the trade, business, profession or occupation of the employer by complying with Sections 2 and 4 of this Act. Employees are not included within the provisions of this Act when excluded by the laws of the United States relating to liability of employers to their employees for personal injuries where such laws are held to be exclusive.

The term "employee" does not include persons performing services as real estate broker, broker-salesman, or salesman when such persons are paid by commission only.

(c) "Commission" means the Industrial Commission created by Section 5 of "The Civil Administrative Code of Illinois", approved March 7, 1917, as amended, or the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission created by Section 13 of this Act.

(d) For the purposes of this subsection (d):

"In the course of employment" means the time, place, and circumstances surrounding the accidental injuries.

"Arising out of the employment" means causal connection. It must be shown that the injury had its origin in some risk connected with, or incidental to, the employment so as to create a causal connection between the employment and the accidental injuries. An injury arises out of the employment if, at the time of the occurrence, the employee was performing acts he or she was instructed to perform by his or her employer, acts which he or she had a common law or statutory duty to perform, or acts which the employee might reasonably be expected to perform incident to his or her assigned duties. A risk is incidental to the employment where it belongs to or is connected with what an employee has to do in fulfilling his or her duties.

To obtain compensation under this Act, an employee bears the burden of showing, by a preponderance of the evidence, that he or she has sustained accidental injuries arising out of and in the course of the employment. Except as provided in subsection (e) of this Section, accidental injuries sustained while traveling to or from work do not arise out of and in the course of employment.

(e) Where an employee is required to travel away from his or her employer's premises in order to perform his or her job, the traveling employee's accidental injuries arise out of his or her employment, and are in the course of his or her employment, when the conduct in which he or she was engaged at the time of the injury is reasonable and when that conduct might have been anticipated or foreseen by the employer. Accidental injuries while traveling do not occur in the course of employment if the accident occurs during a purely personal deviation or personal errand unless such deviation or errand is insubstantial.

In determining whether an employee is required to travel away from his or her employer's premises in order to perform his or her job, along with all other relevant factors, the following factors may be considered: whether the employer had knowledge that the employee may be required to travel to perform the job; whether the employer furnished any mode of transportation to or from the employee; whether the employee received or the employer paid or agreed to pay any remuneration or reimbursement for costs or expenses of any form of travel; whether the employer in any way directed the course or method of travel; whether the employer in any way assisted the employee in making any travel arrangements; whether the employer furnished lodging or in any way reimbursed the employee for lodging; or whether the employer received any benefit from the employee traveling.

(Source: P.A. 97-18, eff. 6-28-11; 97-268, eff. 8-8-11; 97-813, eff. 7-13-12.)

(820 ILCS 305/8.1b)

Sec. 8.1b. Determination of permanent partial disability. For accidental injuries that occur on or after September 1, 2011, permanent partial disability shall be established using the following criteria:

(a) A physician licensed to practice medicine in all of its branches preparing a permanent partial disability impairment report shall report the level of impairment in writing. The report shall include an evaluation of medically defined and professionally appropriate measurements of impairment that include, but are not limited to: loss of range of motion; loss of strength; measured atrophy of tissue mass consistent with the injury; and any other measurements that establish the nature and extent of the impairment. The most current edition of the American Medical Association's "Guides to the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment" shall be used by the physician in determining the level of impairment.

(b) In determining the level of permanent partial disability, the Commission shall base its determination on the following factors: (i) the reported level of impairment pursuant to subsection (a), if such report exists; (ii) the occupation of the injured employee; (iii) the age of the employee at the time of the injury; (iv) the employee's future earning capacity; and (v) evidence of disability corroborated by the treating medical records or examination under Section 12 of this Act. No single enumerated factor shall be the sole determinant of disability. In determining the level of disability, the relevance and weight of any factors used in addition to the level of impairment as reported by the physician must be explained in a written order.

(c) A report of impairment prepared pursuant to subsection (a) is not required for an arbitrator or the Commission to make an award for permanent partial disability or permanent total disability benefits or any award for benefits under subsection (c) of Section 8 or subsection (d) of Section 8 of this Act or to approve a Settlement Contract Lump Sum Petition.

(Source: P.A. 97-18, eff. 6-28-11.)

(820 ILCS 305/8.2a)

Sec. 8.2a. Electronic claims.

(a) The Director of Insurance shall adopt rules to do all of the following:

(1) Ensure that all health care providers and facilities submit medical bills for payment on standardized forms.

(2) Require acceptance by employers and insurers of electronic claims for payment of medical services.

(3) Ensure confidentiality of medical information submitted on electronic claims for payment of medical services.

(4) Ensure that the rules establishing electronic claims include a specific enforcement mechanism to ensure compliance with these rules.

(5) Ensure that health care providers have at least 15 business days to comply with records requested by employers and insurers for the authorization of the payment of workers' compensation claims.

(6) Ensure that health care providers are responsible for supplying only those medical records pertaining to the provider's own claims that are minimally necessary under the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996.

(b) To the extent feasible, standards adopted pursuant to subdivision (a) shall be consistent with existing standards under the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 and standards adopted under the Illinois Health Information Exchange and Technology Act.

(c) The rules requiring employers and insurers to accept electronic claims for payment of medical services shall be proposed on or before ~~May 31, 2016, January 1, 2012,~~ and shall require all employers and insurers to accept electronic claims for payment of medical services on or before ~~January 1, 2017 June 30, 2012.~~

(d) The Director of Insurance shall by rule establish criteria for granting exceptions to employers, insurance carriers, and health care providers who are unable to submit or accept medical bills electronically.

(Source: P.A. 97-18, eff. 6-28-11.)

(820 ILCS 305/14) (from Ch. 48, par. 138.14)

Sec. 14. The Commission shall appoint a secretary, an assistant secretary, and arbitrators and shall employ such assistants and clerical help as may be necessary. Arbitrators shall be appointed pursuant to this Section, notwithstanding any provision of the Personnel Code.

Each arbitrator appointed after June 28, 2011 shall be required to demonstrate in writing his or her knowledge of and expertise in the law of and judicial processes of the Workers' Compensation Act and the Occupational Diseases Act.

A formal training program for newly-hired arbitrators shall be implemented. The training program shall include the following:

(a) substantive and procedural aspects of the arbitrator position;

(b) current issues in workers' compensation law and practice;

(c) medical lectures by specialists in areas such as orthopedics, ophthalmology, psychiatry, rehabilitation counseling;

(d) orientation to each operational unit of the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission;

(e) observation of experienced arbitrators conducting hearings of cases, combined with the opportunity to discuss evidence presented and rulings made;

(f) the use of hypothetical cases requiring the trainee to issue judgments as a means to evaluating knowledge and writing ability;

(g) writing skills;

(h) professional and ethical standards pursuant to Section 1.1 of this Act;

(i) detection of workers' compensation fraud and reporting obligations of Commission employees and appointees;

(j) standards of evidence-based medical treatment and best practices for measuring and improving quality and health care outcomes in the workers' compensation system, including but not limited to the use of the American Medical Association's "Guides to the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment" and the practice of utilization review; and

(k) substantive and procedural aspects of coal workers' pneumoconiosis (black lung) cases.

A formal and ongoing professional development program including, but not limited to, the above-noted areas shall be implemented to keep arbitrators informed of recent developments and issues and to assist them in maintaining and enhancing their professional competence. Each arbitrator shall complete 20 hours of training in the above-noted areas during every 2 years such arbitrator shall remain in office.

Each arbitrator shall devote full time to his or her duties and shall serve when assigned as an acting Commissioner when a Commissioner is unavailable in accordance with the provisions of Section 13 of this Act. Any arbitrator who is an attorney-at-law shall not engage in the practice of law, nor shall any arbitrator hold any other office or position of profit under the United States or this State or any municipal corporation or political subdivision of this State. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act to the contrary, an arbitrator who serves as an acting Commissioner in accordance with the provisions of Section 13 of this Act shall continue to serve in the capacity of Commissioner until a decision is reached in every case heard by that arbitrator while serving as an acting Commissioner.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, the term of all arbitrators serving on the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 97th General Assembly, including any arbitrators on administrative leave, shall terminate at the close of business on July 1, 2011, but the incumbents shall continue to exercise all of their duties until they are reappointed or their successors are appointed.

On and after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 97th General Assembly, arbitrators shall be appointed to 3-year terms as follows:

(1) All appointments shall be made by the Governor with the advice and consent of the

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(2) For their initial appointments, 12 arbitrators shall be appointed to terms expiring July 1, 2012; 12 arbitrators shall be appointed to terms expiring July 1, 2013; and all additional arbitrators shall be appointed to terms expiring July 1, 2014. Thereafter, all arbitrators shall be appointed to 3-year terms.

Upon the expiration of a term, the Chairman shall evaluate the performance of the arbitrator and may recommend to the Governor that he or she be reappointed to a second or subsequent term by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate.

Each arbitrator appointed on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 97th General Assembly and who has not previously served as an arbitrator for the Commission shall be required to be authorized to practice law in this State by the Supreme Court, and to maintain this authorization throughout his or her term of employment.

The performance of all arbitrators shall be reviewed by the Chairman on an annual basis. The Chairman shall allow input from the Commissioners in all such reviews.

The Commission shall assign no fewer than 3 arbitrators to each hearing site. The Commission shall establish a procedure to ensure that the arbitrators assigned to each hearing site are assigned cases on a random basis. The Chairperson of the Commission shall have discretion to assign and reassign arbitrators to each hearing site as needed. No arbitrator shall hear cases in any county, other than Cook County, for more than 2 years in each 3-year term.

The Secretary and each arbitrator shall receive a per annum salary of \$4,000 less than the per annum salary of members of The Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission as provided in Section 13 of this Act, payable in equal monthly installments.

The members of the Commission, Arbitrators and other employees whose duties require them to travel, shall have reimbursed to them their actual traveling expenses and disbursements made or incurred by them in the discharge of their official duties while away from their place of residence in the performance of their duties.

The Commission shall provide itself with a seal for the authentication of its orders, awards and proceedings upon which shall be inscribed the name of the Commission and the words "Illinois--Seal".

The Secretary or Assistant Secretary, under the direction of the Commission, shall have charge and custody of the seal of the Commission and also have charge and custody of all records, files, orders, proceedings, decisions, awards and other documents on file with the Commission. He shall furnish certified copies, under the seal of the Commission, of any such records, files, orders, proceedings, decisions, awards and other documents on file with the Commission as may be required. Certified copies so furnished by the Secretary or Assistant Secretary shall be received in evidence before the Commission or any Arbitrator thereof, and in all courts, provided that the original of such certified copy is otherwise competent and admissible in evidence. The Secretary or Assistant Secretary shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed from time to time by the Commission.

(Source: P.A. 97-18, eff. 6-28-11; 97-719, eff. 6-29-12; 98-40, eff. 6-28-13.)

(820 ILCS 305/14.2 new)

Sec. 14.2. Ombudsman Program.

(a) The Commission shall establish the Workers' Compensation Ombudsman Program as an office within the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission no later than July 1, 2016. The Ombudsman Program shall be composed of at least one full-time ombudsman who shall develop a plan to provide assistance to all regions of this State. One full-time Ombudsman shall be designated as the Chief Ombudsman and the Chief Ombudsman shall be an attorney licensed to practice law in the State of Illinois and shall have demonstrated experience in Illinois workers' compensation law. The Ombudsman Program shall be staffed with personnel who are trained in techniques performed by ombudsmen and who are familiar with the provisions of this Act and its rules, vocational rehabilitation principles, the obligations of medical providers under this Act, the provisions of the Medical Fee Schedule, an employer's responsibility to maintain workers' compensation insurance, the duties and obligations of self-insurers, and workers' compensation fraud.

(b) The duties of the Ombudsman Program shall be as follows:

(1) assist injured employees in understanding their rights and obligations under this Act, including, but not limited to, filing their own claims with the Commission and obtaining medical records, job descriptions, and other materials pertinent to filing a claim before the Commission;

(2) assist employers seeking information regarding their rights and obligations under this Act, including their obligation to maintain workers' compensation insurance;

(3) assist medical providers with their rights and obligations under this Act;

(4) provide information to employers, employees, and medical providers with questions about workers' compensation fraud;

(5) assist injured employees with referral to local, State, and federal financial assistance, rehabilitation, and work placement programs, as well as other social services that the Ombudsman Program considers appropriate;

(6) respond to inquiries and complaints relative to the workers' compensation program;

(7) serve as an information source for employees, employers, medical, vocational, and rehabilitation personnel, insurers, third-party administrators, and self-insurers; and

(8) perform other duties as required by the Chairman.

(c) The Ombudsman Program may not appear or intervene, as a party or otherwise, before the Commission on behalf of an injured employee, employer, or medical provider. This Section shall not be construed as requiring or allowing legal representation for an injured employee by the Ombudsman Program in any proceeding before the Commission.

(d) The Ombudsman Program shall prepare a report to the Commission, which shall also be included in the Commission's annual report required under Section 15 of this Act. The report prepared by the Ombudsman Program shall include the following information for the preceding fiscal year:

(1) the total number of persons and entities assisted during the fiscal year;

(2) the number of injured employers assisted during the fiscal year;

(3) the number of employers, insurers, self-insureds, and third-party administrators assisted during the fiscal year;

(4) the total number of medical providers assisted during the fiscal year;

(5) the number of referrals made to the Workers' Compensation Fraud Unit;

(6) an analysis of the areas of workers' compensation law requiring the most assistance for injured workers, employers, and medical providers; and

(7) recommendations, if any, for legislation or rules to be initiated by the Commission, based on the inquiries received by the Ombudsman Program.

(820 ILCS 305/14.3 new)

Sec. 14.3. WEAR Commission.

(a) There is created the Workers' Compensation Edit, Alignment, and Reform Commission, which shall be known as the WEAR Commission. The purpose of the WEAR Commission is to develop a proposed recodification of the Workers' Compensation Act that meets the following goals:

(1) to make this Act more accessible to laypeople seeking benefits under this Act and employers seeking insurance coverage for their responsibilities under this Act;

(2) to aid the Commission, attorneys, and judges in understanding and applying the provisions of this Act;

(3) to prevent disputes over interpretations of this Act that can add additional costs to the function and administration of the workers' compensation system;

(4) to reduce the size of each Section of this Act to promote understanding, interpretation, and indexing of this Act;

(5) to assist policymakers so that they can more easily understand the implication of amendments to this Act that may be proposed in the future;

(6) to replace outdated and obsolete language within this Act;

(7) to limit the opportunity for lengthy and expensive appeals due to confusion or contrary language within this Act; and

(8) to meet the preceding objectives without changing substantive law or disturbing established case law precedent. Nothing in this Section 14.3 shall be construed to allow or authorize the WEAR Commission to seek to or to diminish, restrict, limit, expand, abrogate, alter, or change in way the current interpretation of any substantive or procedural provision of this Act by the Commission or any Court.

(b) The members of the WEAR Commission shall be as follows:

(1) one Senator appointed by the President of the Senate;

(2) one Senator appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate;

(3) one Representative appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;

(4) one Representative appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives;

(5) four attorneys representing petitioners, one each appointed by the President of the Senate, Minority Leader of the Senate, Speaker of the House of Representatives, and Minority Leader of the House of Representatives; and

(6) four attorneys representing respondents, one each appointed by the President of the Senate, Minority Leader of the Senate, Speaker of the House of Representatives, and Minority Leader of the House of Representatives.

The members of the WEAR Commission shall serve without compensation. The Chairperson of the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission shall serve as the Chairperson of the WEAR Commission.

(c) The Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission, the Workers' Compensation Insurance Compliance Unit, and the Legislative Reference Bureau shall provide administrative support for the WEAR Commission.

(d) The WEAR Commission shall present a report to the General Assembly no later than July 1, 2017. This report shall include a draft of proposed legislation for the reorganization of the Workers' Compensation Act that accomplishes the goals set forth by this Section.

(e) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2018.

(820 ILCS 305/14.4 new)

Sec. 14.4. System improvements.

(a) By January 1, 2017, the Commission shall procure and implement a computer system to replace its current outdated and obsolete mainframe computer system. The Commission shall use the funds allocated for this purpose as set forth in the settlement agreement for the case entitled Illinois State Chamber of Commerce v. Filan.

(b) The system procured by the Commission shall have all of the following capabilities:

(1) require the electronic filing of claims before the Commission, including the Application for Adjustment of Claim and all subsequent filings by a petitioner or respondent; the electronic filing fields for the Application of Adjustment of Claim shall include the following:

(i) for cases involving the State of Illinois, a data field for the specific agency, department, constitutional officer, board, or commission;

(ii) a data field for the petitioner to indicate that the claim involves a repetitive injury;

(iii) a data field for the petitioner to indicate that the claim involved an injury incurred when the petitioner was traveling as part of his or her employment; and

(iv) a data field for the petitioner to indicate that he or she is pro se;

(2) allow for a respondent to indicate the insurance carrier of the employer, or the third-party administrator of the employer, if self-insured;

(3) allow for documents and exhibits to be uploaded electronically;

(4) allow for the case history of each claim to be viewed in a summary format arranged by the date of each filing or hearing, which shall be available to the public;

(5) allow for the attorney of record for the petitioner, if any, and the respondent to be clearly indicated on any summary format, including the attorney who actually tried or argued the case before an arbitrator or Commissioner;

(6) allow for the decision of the arbitrator or the Commission to be uploaded electronically;

(7) allow for the following data reports to be produced from the electronic system:

(i) the total number of decisions by each arbitrator within any time period;

(ii) the total number of awards by injury type, including repetitive injuries or injuries suffered by employees when traveling in the course of their employment or alleged to be suffered by employees when traveling in the course of their employment;

(iii) the penalties assessed against employers, searchable by each employer;

(iv) the total number of decisions by each panel of Commissioners;

(v) the total number of claims filed by State employees within any time period;

(vi) the total number of new claims filed in each arbitration zone;

(vii) the total number of Settlement Contract Lump Sum Petitions; and

(viii) the industry types of the employers against whom claims are filed.

(7) allow for an electronic, searchable record of any approved Settlement Contract Lump Sum Petitions, including the amount of such Settlement Contract Lump Sum Petitions, the type of injury, and the attorneys representing each party, if any, for such Settlement Contract Lump Sum Petitions;

(8) allow for the random assignment of cases by arbitrator and to Commission panels, if appealed;

(9) allow for the electronic transmission of the record of proceedings before the Commission to be transmitted to the circuit court in the event of an appeal from the Commission; and

(10) ensure the confidentiality of all protected information, including medical records.

(c) The Commission shall make all efforts to ensure that parties practicing before the Commission, including injured employees, are aware of the changes required by the procurement of the computer system required by this Section.

(820 ILCS 305/25.5)

Sec. 25.5. Unlawful acts; penalties.

(a) It is unlawful for any person, company, corporation, insurance carrier, healthcare provider, or other entity to:

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(1) Intentionally present or cause to be presented any false or fraudulent claim for the payment of any workers' compensation benefit.

(2) Intentionally make or cause to be made any false or fraudulent material statement or material representation for the purpose of obtaining or denying any workers' compensation benefit.

(3) Intentionally make or cause to be made any false or fraudulent statements with regard to entitlement to workers' compensation benefits with the intent to prevent an injured worker from making a legitimate claim for any workers' compensation benefits.

(4) Intentionally prepare or provide an invalid, false, or counterfeit certificate of insurance as proof of workers' compensation insurance.

(5) Intentionally make or cause to be made any false or fraudulent material statement or material representation for the purpose of obtaining workers' compensation insurance at less than the proper rate for that insurance.

(6) Intentionally make or cause to be made any false or fraudulent material statement or material representation on an initial or renewal self-insurance application or accompanying financial statement for the purpose of obtaining self-insurance status or reducing the amount of security that may be required to be furnished pursuant to Section 4 of this Act.

(7) Intentionally make or cause to be made any false or fraudulent material statement to the ~~Commission's~~ Department of Insurance's fraud and insurance non-compliance unit in the course of an investigation of fraud or insurance non-compliance.

(8) Intentionally assist, abet, solicit, or conspire with any person, company, or other entity to commit any of the acts in paragraph (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), or (7) of this subsection (a).

(9) Intentionally present a bill or statement for the payment for medical services that were not provided.

For the purposes of paragraphs (2), (3), (5), (6), (7), and (9), the term "statement" includes any writing, notice, proof of injury, bill for services, hospital or doctor records and reports, or X-ray and test results.

(b) Sentences for violations of subsection (a) are as follows:

(1) A violation in which the value of the property obtained or attempted to be obtained is \$300 or less is a Class A misdemeanor.

(2) A violation in which the value of the property obtained or attempted to be obtained is more than \$300 but not more than \$10,000 is a Class 3 felony.

(3) A violation in which the value of the property obtained or attempted to be obtained is more than \$10,000 but not more than \$100,000 is a Class 2 felony.

(4) A violation in which the value of the property obtained or attempted to be obtained is more than \$100,000 is a Class 1 felony.

(5) A person convicted under this Section shall be ordered to pay monetary restitution to the insurance company or self-insured entity or any other person for any financial loss sustained as a result of a violation of this Section, including any court costs and attorney fees. An order of restitution also includes expenses incurred and paid by the State of Illinois or an insurance company or self-insured entity in connection with any medical evaluation or treatment services.

For the purposes of this Section, where the exact value of property obtained or attempted to be obtained is either not alleged or is not specifically set by the terms of a policy of insurance, the value of the property shall be the fair market replacement value of the property claimed to be lost, the reasonable costs of reimbursing a vendor or other claimant for services to be rendered, or both. Notwithstanding the foregoing, an insurance company, self-insured entity, or any other person suffering financial loss sustained as a result of violation of this Section may seek restitution, including court costs and attorney's fees in a civil action in a court of competent jurisdiction.

(c) The ~~Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission~~ Department of Insurance shall establish a fraud and insurance non-compliance unit responsible for investigating incidences of fraud and insurance non-compliance pursuant to this Section. The size of the staff of the unit shall be subject to appropriation by the General Assembly. It shall be the duty of the fraud and insurance non-compliance unit to determine the identity of insurance carriers, employers, employees, or other persons or entities who have violated the fraud and insurance non-compliance provisions of this Section. The fraud and insurance non-compliance unit shall report violations of the fraud and insurance non-compliance provisions of this Section to the Special Prosecutions Bureau of the Criminal Division of the Office of the Attorney General or to the State's Attorney of the county in which the offense allegedly occurred, either of whom has the authority to prosecute violations under this Section.

With respect to the subject of any investigation being conducted, the fraud and insurance non-compliance unit shall have the general power of subpoena of the ~~Department of Insurance~~, including the

authority to issue a subpoena to a medical provider, pursuant to Section 8-802 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

(d) Any person may report allegations of insurance non-compliance and fraud pursuant to this Section to the ~~Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission's Department of Insurance's~~ fraud and insurance non-compliance unit whose duty it shall be to investigate the report. ~~The unit shall notify the Commission of reports of insurance non-compliance.~~ Any person reporting an allegation of insurance non-compliance or fraud against either an employee or employer under this Section must identify himself. Except as provided in this subsection and in subsection (e), all reports shall remain confidential except to refer an investigation to the Attorney General or State's Attorney for prosecution or if the fraud and insurance non-compliance unit's investigation reveals that the conduct reported may be in violation of other laws or regulations of the State of Illinois, the unit may report such conduct to the appropriate governmental agency charged with administering such laws and regulations. Any person who intentionally makes a false report under this Section to the fraud and insurance non-compliance unit is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.

(e) In order for the fraud and insurance non-compliance unit to investigate a report of fraud related to an employee's claim, (i) the employee must have filed with the Commission an Application for Adjustment of Claim and the employee must have either received or attempted to receive benefits under this Act that are related to the reported fraud or (ii) the employee must have made a written demand for the payment of benefits that are related to the reported fraud. There shall be no immunity, under this Act or otherwise, for any person who files a false report or who files a report without good and just cause. Confidentiality of medical information shall be strictly maintained. Investigations that are not referred for prosecution shall be destroyed upon the expiration of the statute of limitations for the acts under investigation and shall not be disclosed except that the person making the report shall be notified that the investigation is being closed. It is unlawful for any employer, insurance carrier, service adjustment company, third party administrator, self-insured, or similar entity to file or threaten to file a report of fraud against an employee because of the exercise by the employee of the rights and remedies granted to the employee by this Act.

(e-5) The fraud and insurance non-compliance unit shall procure and implement a system utilizing advanced analytics inclusive of predictive modeling, data mining, social network analysis, and scoring algorithms for the detection and prevention of fraud, waste, and abuse on or before January 1, 2012. The fraud and insurance non-compliance unit shall procure this system using a request for proposals process governed by the Illinois Procurement Code and rules adopted under that Code. The fraud and insurance non-compliance unit shall provide a report to the President of the Senate, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, Minority Leader of the Senate, Governor, Chairman of the Commission, and Director of Insurance on or before July 1, 2012 and annually thereafter detailing its activities and providing recommendations regarding opportunities for additional fraud waste and abuse detection and prevention.

(f) Any person convicted of fraud related to workers' compensation pursuant to this Section shall be subject to the penalties prescribed in the Criminal Code of 2012 and shall be ineligible to receive or retain any compensation, disability, or medical benefits as defined in this Act if the compensation, disability, or medical benefits were owed or received as a result of fraud for which the recipient of the compensation, disability, or medical benefit was convicted. This subsection applies to accidental injuries or diseases that occur on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly.

(g) Civil liability. Any person convicted of fraud who knowingly obtains, attempts to obtain, or causes to be obtained any benefits under this Act by the making of a false claim or who knowingly misrepresents any material fact shall be civilly liable to the payor of benefits or the insurer or the payor's or insurer's subrogee or assignee in an amount equal to 3 times the value of the benefits or insurance coverage wrongfully obtained or twice the value of the benefits or insurance coverage attempted to be obtained, plus reasonable attorney's fees and expenses incurred by the payor or the payor's subrogee or assignee who successfully brings a claim under this subsection. This subsection applies to accidental injuries or diseases that occur on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly.

(h) The fraud and insurance non-compliance unit shall submit a written report on an annual basis to the Chairman of the Commission, the Workers' Compensation Advisory Board, the General Assembly, the Governor, and the Attorney General by January 1 and July 1 of each year. This report shall include, at the minimum, the following information:

- (1) The number of allegations of insurance non-compliance and fraud reported to the fraud and insurance non-compliance unit.
- (2) The source of the reported allegations (individual, employer, or other).
- (3) The number of allegations investigated by the fraud and insurance non-compliance unit.
- (4) The number of criminal referrals made in accordance with this Section and the entity

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to which the referral was made.

(5) All proceedings under this Section.

(Source: P.A. 97-18, eff. 6-28-11; 97-1150, eff. 1-25-13.)"

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment was adopted and ordered printed.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

READING BILL OF THE SENATE A THIRD TIME

On motion of Senator Raoul, **Senate Bill No. 162** having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

YEAS 36; NAYS 19; Present 1.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bennett	Harmon	Manar	Stadelman
Bertino-Tarrant	Harris	Martinez	Steans
Biss	Holmes	McGuire	Sullivan
Bush	Hunter	Morrison	Trotter
Clayborne	Hutchinson	Mulroe	Van Pelt
Collins	Jones, E.	Muñoz	Mr. President
Cullerton, T.	Koehler	Noland	
Cunningham	Kotowski	Raoul	
Delgado	Lightford	Sandoval	
Forby	Link	Silverstein	

The following voted in the negative:

Althoff	Connelly	McCarter	Rezin
Anderson	Duffy	McConnaughay	Righter
Barickman	Hastings	Murphy	Rose
Bivins	Luechtefeld	Nybo	Syverson
Brady	McCann	Radogno	

The following voted present:

Haine

This bill, having received the vote of three-fifths of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Senator Hastings asked and obtained unanimous consent for the Journal to reflect his intention to have voted in the affirmative on **Senate Bill No. 162**.

SENATE BILL RECALLED

On motion of Senator Manar, **Senate Bill No. 317** was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

Senator Manar offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 317

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AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 317 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Department of Natural Resources Act is amended by changing Section 20-5 as follows: (20 ILCS 801/20-5)

Sec. 20-5. State Museum. The State shall operate an Illinois State Museum in Springfield and at branch sites at Dickson Mounds, Lockport, Rend Lake, and the James R. Thompson Center. The Illinois State Museum and all branch sites shall be open to the public. The Illinois State Museum shall operate a research and collections center to research, preserve, and maintain access to the extensive Illinois State Museum collections. The Department of Natural Resources shall have within it the office of the Illinois State Museum. The Board of the Illinois State Museum is retained as the governing board for the State Museum. (Source: P.A. 95-728, eff. 7-1-08 - See Sec. 999.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law."

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment was adopted and ordered printed.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed, and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

READING BILL OF THE SENATE A THIRD TIME

On motion of Senator Manar, **Senate Bill No. 317** having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

YEAS 40; NAYS 9; Present 5.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bennett	Harmon	Link	Silverstein
Bertino-Tarrant	Harris	Manar	Stadelman
Biss	Hastings	Martinez	Steans
Bush	Holmes	McCann	Sullivan
Clayborne	Hunter	McGuire	Trotter
Collins	Hutchinson	Morrison	Van Pelt
Cullerton, T.	Jones, E.	Mulroe	Mr. President
Cunningham	Koehler	Muñoz	
Delgado	Kotowski	Noland	
Forby	Landek	Raoul	
Haine	Lightford	Sandoval	

The following voted in the negative:

Bivins	McCarter	Radogno
Connelly	Murphy	Righter
Duffy	Nybo	Rose

The following voted present:

Barickman	McConnaughay	Syverson
Luechtefeld	Rezin	

This bill, having received the vote of three-fifths of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

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HOUSE BILL RECALLED

On motion of Senator J. Cullerton, **House Bill No. 745** was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

Senator J. Cullerton offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL 745

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend House Bill 745 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority Act is amended by changing Sections 13 and 13.2 as follows:

(70 ILCS 210/13) (from Ch. 85, par. 1233)

Sec. 13. (a) The Authority shall not have power to levy taxes for any purpose, except as provided in subsections (b), (c), (d), (e), and (f).

(b) By ordinance the Authority shall, as soon as practicable after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1991, impose a Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority Retailers' Occupation Tax upon all persons engaged in the business of selling tangible personal property at retail within the territory described in this subsection at the rate of 1.0% of the gross receipts (i) from the sale of food, alcoholic beverages, and soft drinks sold for consumption on the premises where sold and (ii) from the sale of food, alcoholic beverages, and soft drinks sold for consumption off the premises where sold by a retailer whose principal source of gross receipts is from the sale of food, alcoholic beverages, and soft drinks prepared for immediate consumption.

The tax imposed under this subsection and all civil penalties that may be assessed as an incident to that tax shall be collected and enforced by the Illinois Department of Revenue. The Department shall have full power to administer and enforce this subsection, to collect all taxes and penalties so collected in the manner provided in this subsection, and to determine all rights to credit memoranda arising on account of the erroneous payment of tax or penalty under this subsection. In the administration of and compliance with this subsection, the Department and persons who are subject to this subsection shall have the same rights, remedies, privileges, immunities, powers, and duties, shall be subject to the same conditions, restrictions, limitations, penalties, exclusions, exemptions, and definitions of terms, and shall employ the same modes of procedure applicable to this Retailers' Occupation Tax as are prescribed in Sections 1, 2 through 2-65 (in respect to all provisions of those Sections other than the State rate of taxes), 2c, 2h, 2i, 3 (except as to the disposition of taxes and penalties collected), 4, 5, 5a, 5b, 5c, 5d, 5e, 5f, 5g, 5i, 5j, 6, 6a, 6b, 6c, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and, until January 1, 1994, 13.5 of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, and, on and after January 1, 1994, all applicable provisions of the Uniform Penalty and Interest Act that are not inconsistent with this Act, as fully as if provisions contained in those Sections of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act were set forth in this subsection.

Persons subject to any tax imposed under the authority granted in this subsection may reimburse themselves for their seller's tax liability under this subsection by separately stating that tax as an additional charge, which charge may be stated in combination, in a single amount, with State taxes that sellers are required to collect under the Use Tax Act, pursuant to bracket schedules as the Department may prescribe. The retailer filing the return shall, at the time of filing the return, pay to the Department the amount of tax imposed under this subsection, less a discount of 1.75%, which is allowed to reimburse the retailer for the expenses incurred in keeping records, preparing and filing returns, remitting the tax, and supplying data to the Department on request.

Whenever the Department determines that a refund should be made under this subsection to a claimant instead of issuing a credit memorandum, the Department shall notify the State Comptroller, who shall cause a warrant to be drawn for the amount specified and to the person named in the notification from the Department. The refund shall be paid by the State Treasurer out of the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority trust fund held by the State Treasurer as trustee for the Authority.

Nothing in this subsection authorizes the Authority to impose a tax upon the privilege of engaging in any business that under the Constitution of the United States may not be made the subject of taxation by this State.

The Department shall forthwith pay over to the State Treasurer, ex officio, as trustee for the Authority, all taxes and penalties collected under this subsection for deposit into a trust fund held outside of the State Treasury.

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As soon as possible after the first day of each month, beginning January 1, 2011, upon certification of the Department of Revenue, the Comptroller shall order transferred, and the Treasurer shall transfer, to the STAR Bonds Revenue Fund the local sales tax increment, as defined in the Innovation Development and Economy Act, collected under this subsection during the second preceding calendar month for sales within a STAR bond district.

After the monthly transfer to the STAR Bonds Revenue Fund, on or before the 25th day of each calendar month, the Department shall prepare and certify to the Comptroller the amounts to be paid under subsection (g) of this Section, which shall be the amounts, not including credit memoranda, collected under this subsection during the second preceding calendar month by the Department, less any amounts determined by the Department to be necessary for the payment of refunds, less 2% of such balance, which sum shall be deposited by the State Treasurer into the Tax Compliance and Administration Fund in the State Treasury from which it shall be appropriated to the Department to cover the costs of the Department in administering and enforcing the provisions of this subsection, and less any amounts that are transferred to the STAR Bonds Revenue Fund. Within 10 days after receipt by the Comptroller of the certification, the Comptroller shall cause the orders to be drawn for the remaining amounts, and the Treasurer shall administer those amounts as required in subsection (g).

A certificate of registration issued by the Illinois Department of Revenue to a retailer under the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act shall permit the registrant to engage in a business that is taxed under the tax imposed under this subsection, and no additional registration shall be required under the ordinance imposing the tax or under this subsection.

A certified copy of any ordinance imposing or discontinuing any tax under this subsection or effecting a change in the rate of that tax shall be filed with the Department, whereupon the Department shall proceed to administer and enforce this subsection on behalf of the Authority as of the first day of the third calendar month following the date of filing.

The tax authorized to be levied under this subsection may be levied within all or any part of the following described portions of the metropolitan area:

(1) that portion of the City of Chicago located within the following area: Beginning at the point of intersection of the Cook County - DuPage County line and York Road, then North along York Road to its intersection with Touhy Avenue, then east along Touhy Avenue to its intersection with the Northwest Tollway, then southeast along the Northwest Tollway to its intersection with Lee Street, then south along Lee Street to Higgins Road, then south and east along Higgins Road to its intersection with Mannheim Road, then south along Mannheim Road to its intersection with Irving Park Road, then west along Irving Park Road to its intersection with the Cook County - DuPage County line, then north and west along the county line to the point of beginning; and

(2) that portion of the City of Chicago located within the following area: Beginning at the intersection of West 55th Street with Central Avenue, then east along West 55th Street to its intersection with South Cicero Avenue, then south along South Cicero Avenue to its intersection with West 63rd Street, then west along West 63rd Street to its intersection with South Central Avenue, then north along South Central Avenue to the point of beginning; and

(3) that portion of the City of Chicago located within the following area: Beginning at the point 150 feet west of the intersection of the west line of North Ashland Avenue and the north line of West Diversey Avenue, then north 150 feet, then east along a line 150 feet north of the north line of West Diversey Avenue extended to the shoreline of Lake Michigan, then following the shoreline of Lake Michigan (including Navy Pier and all other improvements fixed to land, docks, or piers) to the point where the shoreline of Lake Michigan and the Adlai E. Stevenson Expressway extended east to that shoreline intersect, then west along the Adlai E. Stevenson Expressway to a point 150 feet west of the west line of South Ashland Avenue, then north along a line 150 feet west of the west line of South and North Ashland Avenue to the point of beginning.

The tax authorized to be levied under this subsection may also be levied on food, alcoholic beverages, and soft drinks sold on boats and other watercraft departing from and returning to the shoreline of Lake Michigan (including Navy Pier and all other improvements fixed to land, docks, or piers) described in item (3).

(c) By ordinance the Authority shall, as soon as practicable after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1991, impose an occupation tax upon all persons engaged in the corporate limits of the City of Chicago in the business of renting, leasing, or letting rooms in a hotel, as defined in the Hotel Operators' Occupation Tax Act, at a rate of 2.5% of the gross rental receipts from the renting, leasing, or letting of hotel rooms within the City of Chicago, excluding, however, from gross rental receipts the proceeds of renting, leasing, or letting to permanent residents of a hotel, as defined in that Act. Gross rental receipts

shall not include charges that are added on account of the liability arising from any tax imposed by the State or any governmental agency on the occupation of renting, leasing, or letting rooms in a hotel.

The tax imposed by the Authority under this subsection and all civil penalties that may be assessed as an incident to that tax shall be collected and enforced by the Illinois Department of Revenue. The certificate of registration that is issued by the Department to a lessor under the Hotel Operators' Occupation Tax Act shall permit that registrant to engage in a business that is taxable under any ordinance enacted under this subsection without registering separately with the Department under that ordinance or under this subsection. The Department shall have full power to administer and enforce this subsection, to collect all taxes and penalties due under this subsection, to dispose of taxes and penalties so collected in the manner provided in this subsection, and to determine all rights to credit memoranda arising on account of the erroneous payment of tax or penalty under this subsection. In the administration of and compliance with this subsection, the Department and persons who are subject to this subsection shall have the same rights, remedies, privileges, immunities, powers, and duties, shall be subject to the same conditions, restrictions, limitations, penalties, and definitions of terms, and shall employ the same modes of procedure as are prescribed in the Hotel Operators' Occupation Tax Act (except where that Act is inconsistent with this subsection), as fully as if the provisions contained in the Hotel Operators' Occupation Tax Act were set out in this subsection.

Whenever the Department determines that a refund should be made under this subsection to a claimant instead of issuing a credit memorandum, the Department shall notify the State Comptroller, who shall cause a warrant to be drawn for the amount specified and to the person named in the notification from the Department. The refund shall be paid by the State Treasurer out of the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority trust fund held by the State Treasurer as trustee for the Authority.

Persons subject to any tax imposed under the authority granted in this subsection may reimburse themselves for their tax liability for that tax by separately stating that tax as an additional charge, which charge may be stated in combination, in a single amount, with State taxes imposed under the Hotel Operators' Occupation Tax Act, the municipal tax imposed under Section 8-3-13 of the Illinois Municipal Code, and the tax imposed under Section 19 of the Illinois Sports Facilities Authority Act.

The person filing the return shall, at the time of filing the return, pay to the Department the amount of tax, less a discount of 2.1% or \$25 per calendar year, whichever is greater, which is allowed to reimburse the operator for the expenses incurred in keeping records, preparing and filing returns, remitting the tax, and supplying data to the Department on request.

The Department shall forthwith pay over to the State Treasurer, ex officio, as trustee for the Authority, all taxes and penalties collected under this subsection for deposit into a trust fund held outside the State Treasury. On or before the 25th day of each calendar month, the Department shall certify to the Comptroller the amounts to be paid under subsection (g) of this Section, which shall be the amounts (not including credit memoranda) collected under this subsection during the second preceding calendar month by the Department, less any amounts determined by the Department to be necessary for payment of refunds. Within 10 days after receipt by the Comptroller of the Department's certification, the Comptroller shall cause the orders to be drawn for such amounts, and the Treasurer shall administer those amounts as required in subsection (g).

A certified copy of any ordinance imposing or discontinuing a tax under this subsection or effecting a change in the rate of that tax shall be filed with the Illinois Department of Revenue, whereupon the Department shall proceed to administer and enforce this subsection on behalf of the Authority as of the first day of the third calendar month following the date of filing.

(d) By ordinance the Authority shall, as soon as practicable after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1991, impose a tax upon all persons engaged in the business of renting automobiles in the metropolitan area at the rate of 6% of the gross receipts from that business, except that no tax shall be imposed on the business of renting automobiles for use as taxicabs or in livery service. The tax imposed under this subsection and all civil penalties that may be assessed as an incident to that tax shall be collected and enforced by the Illinois Department of Revenue. The certificate of registration issued by the Department to a retailer under the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act or under the Automobile Renting Occupation and Use Tax Act shall permit that person to engage in a business that is taxable under any ordinance enacted under this subsection without registering separately with the Department under that ordinance or under this subsection. The Department shall have full power to administer and enforce this subsection, to collect all taxes and penalties due under this subsection, to dispose of taxes and penalties so collected in the manner provided in this subsection, and to determine all rights to credit memoranda arising on account of the erroneous payment of tax or penalty under this subsection. In the administration of and compliance with this subsection, the Department and persons who are subject to this subsection shall have the same rights, remedies, privileges, immunities, powers, and duties, be subject to the same conditions,

restrictions, limitations, penalties, and definitions of terms, and employ the same modes of procedure as are prescribed in Sections 2 and 3 (in respect to all provisions of those Sections other than the State rate of tax; and in respect to the provisions of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act referred to in those Sections, except as to the disposition of taxes and penalties collected, except for the provision allowing retailers a deduction from the tax to cover certain costs, and except that credit memoranda issued under this subsection may not be used to discharge any State tax liability) of the Automobile Renting Occupation and Use Tax Act, as fully as if provisions contained in those Sections of that Act were set forth in this subsection.

Persons subject to any tax imposed under the authority granted in this subsection may reimburse themselves for their tax liability under this subsection by separately stating that tax as an additional charge, which charge may be stated in combination, in a single amount, with State tax that sellers are required to collect under the Automobile Renting Occupation and Use Tax Act, pursuant to bracket schedules as the Department may prescribe.

Whenever the Department determines that a refund should be made under this subsection to a claimant instead of issuing a credit memorandum, the Department shall notify the State Comptroller, who shall cause a warrant to be drawn for the amount specified and to the person named in the notification from the Department. The refund shall be paid by the State Treasurer out of the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority trust fund held by the State Treasurer as trustee for the Authority.

The Department shall forthwith pay over to the State Treasurer, ex officio, as trustee, all taxes and penalties collected under this subsection for deposit into a trust fund held outside the State Treasury. On or before the 25th day of each calendar month, the Department shall certify to the Comptroller the amounts to be paid under subsection (g) of this Section (not including credit memoranda) collected under this subsection during the second preceding calendar month by the Department, less any amount determined by the Department to be necessary for payment of refunds. Within 10 days after receipt by the Comptroller of the Department's certification, the Comptroller shall cause the orders to be drawn for such amounts, and the Treasurer shall administer those amounts as required in subsection (g).

Nothing in this subsection authorizes the Authority to impose a tax upon the privilege of engaging in any business that under the Constitution of the United States may not be made the subject of taxation by this State.

A certified copy of any ordinance imposing or discontinuing a tax under this subsection or effecting a change in the rate of that tax shall be filed with the Illinois Department of Revenue, whereupon the Department shall proceed to administer and enforce this subsection on behalf of the Authority as of the first day of the third calendar month following the date of filing.

(e) By ordinance the Authority shall, as soon as practicable after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1991, impose a tax upon the privilege of using in the metropolitan area an automobile that is rented from a rentor outside Illinois and is titled or registered with an agency of this State's government at a rate of 6% of the rental price of that automobile, except that no tax shall be imposed on the privilege of using automobiles rented for use as taxicabs or in livery service. The tax shall be collected from persons whose Illinois address for titling or registration purposes is given as being in the metropolitan area. The tax shall be collected by the Department of Revenue for the Authority. The tax must be paid to the State or an exemption determination must be obtained from the Department of Revenue before the title or certificate of registration for the property may be issued. The tax or proof of exemption may be transmitted to the Department by way of the State agency with which or State officer with whom the tangible personal property must be titled or registered if the Department and that agency or State officer determine that this procedure will expedite the processing of applications for title or registration.

The Department shall have full power to administer and enforce this subsection, to collect all taxes, penalties, and interest due under this subsection, to dispose of taxes, penalties, and interest so collected in the manner provided in this subsection, and to determine all rights to credit memoranda or refunds arising on account of the erroneous payment of tax, penalty, or interest under this subsection. In the administration of and compliance with this subsection, the Department and persons who are subject to this subsection shall have the same rights, remedies, privileges, immunities, powers, and duties, be subject to the same conditions, restrictions, limitations, penalties, and definitions of terms, and employ the same modes of procedure as are prescribed in Sections 2 and 4 (except provisions pertaining to the State rate of tax; and in respect to the provisions of the Use Tax Act referred to in that Section, except provisions concerning collection or refunding of the tax by retailers, except the provisions of Section 19 pertaining to claims by retailers, except the last paragraph concerning refunds, and except that credit memoranda issued under this subsection may not be used to discharge any State tax liability) of the Automobile Renting Occupation and Use Tax Act, as fully as if provisions contained in those Sections of that Act were set forth in this subsection.

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Whenever the Department determines that a refund should be made under this subsection to a claimant instead of issuing a credit memorandum, the Department shall notify the State Comptroller, who shall cause a warrant to be drawn for the amount specified and to the person named in the notification from the Department. The refund shall be paid by the State Treasurer out of the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority trust fund held by the State Treasurer as trustee for the Authority.

The Department shall forthwith pay over to the State Treasurer, ex officio, as trustee, all taxes, penalties, and interest collected under this subsection for deposit into a trust fund held outside the State Treasury. On or before the 25th day of each calendar month, the Department shall certify to the State Comptroller the amounts to be paid under subsection (g) of this Section, which shall be the amounts (not including credit memoranda) collected under this subsection during the second preceding calendar month by the Department, less any amounts determined by the Department to be necessary for payment of refunds. Within 10 days after receipt by the State Comptroller of the Department's certification, the Comptroller shall cause the orders to be drawn for such amounts, and the Treasurer shall administer those amounts as required in subsection (g).

A certified copy of any ordinance imposing or discontinuing a tax or effecting a change in the rate of that tax shall be filed with the Illinois Department of Revenue, whereupon the Department shall proceed to administer and enforce this subsection on behalf of the Authority as of the first day of the third calendar month following the date of filing.

(f) By ordinance the Authority shall, as soon as practicable after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1991, impose an occupation tax on all persons, other than a governmental agency, engaged in the business of providing ground transportation for hire to passengers in the metropolitan area at a rate of (i) \$4 per taxi or livery vehicle departure with passengers for hire from commercial service airports in the metropolitan area, (ii) for each departure with passengers for hire from a commercial service airport in the metropolitan area in a bus or van operated by a person other than a person described in item (iii): \$18 per bus or van with a capacity of 1-12 passengers, \$36 per bus or van with a capacity of 13-24 passengers, and \$54 per bus or van with a capacity of over 24 passengers, and (iii) for each departure with passengers for hire from a commercial service airport in the metropolitan area in a bus or van operated by a person regulated by the Interstate Commerce Commission or Illinois Commerce Commission, operating scheduled service from the airport, and charging fares on a per passenger basis: \$2 per passenger for hire in each bus or van. The term "commercial service airports" means those airports receiving scheduled passenger service and enplaning more than 100,000 passengers per year.

In the ordinance imposing the tax, the Authority may provide for the administration and enforcement of the tax and the collection of the tax from persons subject to the tax as the Authority determines to be necessary or practicable for the effective administration of the tax. The Authority may enter into agreements as it deems appropriate with any governmental agency providing for that agency to act as the Authority's agent to collect the tax.

In the ordinance imposing the tax, the Authority may designate a method or methods for persons subject to the tax to reimburse themselves for the tax liability arising under the ordinance (i) by separately stating the full amount of the tax liability as an additional charge to passengers departing the airports, (ii) by separately stating one-half of the tax liability as an additional charge to both passengers departing from and to passengers arriving at the airports, or (iii) by some other method determined by the Authority.

All taxes, penalties, and interest collected under any ordinance adopted under this subsection, less any amounts determined to be necessary for the payment of refunds and less the taxes, penalties, and interest attributable to any increase in the rate of tax authorized by Public Act 96-898, shall be paid forthwith to the State Treasurer, ex officio, for deposit into a trust fund held outside the State Treasury and shall be administered by the State Treasurer as provided in subsection (g) of this Section. All taxes, penalties, and interest attributable to any increase in the rate of tax authorized by Public Act 96-898 shall be paid by the State Treasurer as follows: 25% for deposit into the Convention Center Support Fund, to be used by the Village of Rosemont for the repair, maintenance, and improvement of the Donald E. Stephens Convention Center and for debt service on debt instruments issued for those purposes by the village and 75% to the Authority to be used for grants to an organization meeting the qualifications set out in Section 5.6 of this Act, provided the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority has entered into a marketing agreement with such an organization.

(g) Amounts deposited from the proceeds of taxes imposed by the Authority under subsections (b), (c), (d), (e), and (f) of this Section and amounts deposited under Section 19 of the Illinois Sports Facilities Authority Act shall be held in a trust fund outside the State Treasury and shall be administered by the Treasurer as follows:

- (1) An amount necessary for the payment of refunds with respect to those taxes shall be retained in the trust fund and used for those payments.

(2) On July 20 and on the 20th of each month thereafter, provided that the amount requested in the annual certificate of the Chairman of the Authority filed under Section 8.25f of the State Finance Act has been appropriated for payment to the Authority, or, for the 2016 fiscal year, if the amount requested has not yet been appropriated, the Chief Executive Officer of the Authority shall file with the State Treasurer and the State Comptroller the certificate referred to in subparagraph (4) of this subsection (g), 1/8 of the local tax transfer amount, together with any cumulative deficiencies in the amounts transferred into the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund under this subparagraph (2) during the fiscal year for which the certificate has been filed, shall be transferred from the trust fund into the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund in the State treasury until 100% of the local tax transfer amount has been so transferred. "Local tax transfer amount" shall mean the amount requested in the annual certificate, minus the reduction amount. "Reduction amount" shall mean \$41.7 million in fiscal year 2011, \$36.7 million in fiscal year 2012, \$36.7 million in fiscal year 2013, \$36.7 million in fiscal year 2014, and \$31.7 million in each fiscal year thereafter until 2032, provided that the reduction amount shall be reduced by (i) the amount certified by the Authority to the State Comptroller and State Treasurer under Section 8.25 of the State Finance Act, as amended, with respect to that fiscal year and (ii) in any fiscal year in which the amounts deposited in the trust fund under this Section exceed \$318.3 million, exclusive of amounts set aside for refunds and for the reserve account, one dollar for each dollar of the deposits in the trust fund above \$318.3 million with respect to that year, exclusive of amounts set aside for refunds and for the reserve account.

(3) On July 20, 2010, the Comptroller shall certify to the Governor, the Treasurer, and the Chairman of the Authority the 2010 deficiency amount, which means the cumulative amount of transfers that were due from the trust fund to the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund in fiscal years 2008, 2009, and 2010 under Section 13(g) of this Act, as it existed prior to May 27, 2010 (the effective date of Public Act 96-898), but not made. On July 20, 2011 and on July 20 of each year through July 20, 2014, the Treasurer shall calculate for the previous fiscal year the surplus revenues in the trust fund and pay that amount to the Authority. On July 20, 2015 and on July 20 of each year thereafter, as long as bonds and notes issued under Section 13.2 or bonds and notes issued to refund those bonds and notes are outstanding, the Treasurer shall calculate for the previous fiscal year the surplus revenues in the trust fund and pay one-half of that amount to the State Treasurer for deposit into the General Revenue Fund until the 2010 deficiency amount has been paid and shall pay the balance of the surplus revenues to the Authority. "Surplus revenues" means the amounts remaining in the trust fund on June 30 of the previous fiscal year (A) after the State Treasurer has set aside in the trust fund (i) amounts retained for refunds under subparagraph (1) and (ii) any amounts necessary to meet the reserve account amount and (B) after the State Treasurer has transferred from the trust fund to the General Revenue Fund 100% of any post-2010 deficiency amount. "Reserve account amount" means \$15 million in fiscal year 2011 and \$30 million in each fiscal year thereafter. The reserve account amount shall be set aside in the trust fund and used as a reserve to be transferred to the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund in the event the proceeds of taxes imposed under this Section 13 are not sufficient to fund the transfer required in subparagraph (2). "Post-2010 deficiency amount" means any deficiency in transfers from the trust fund to the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund with respect to fiscal years 2011 and thereafter. It is the intention of this subparagraph (3) that no surplus revenues shall be paid to the Authority with respect to any year in which a post-2010 deficiency amount has not been satisfied by the Authority.

(4) For the 2016 fiscal year, if the amount requested in the annual certificate of the Chairman of the Authority filed under Section 8.25f of the State Finance Act has not been appropriated for payment to the Authority, the Chief Executive Officer of the Authority shall file with the State Treasurer and the State Comptroller a certificate stating that such transfers are required to fund monthly deposits for the payment of the principal of and interest on bonds of the Authority payable from the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund. Upon the filing of the certificate the State Treasurer shall make the transfers to the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund as set forth in subparagraph (2) of this subsection (g).

Moneys received by the Authority as surplus revenues may be used (i) for the purposes of paying debt service on the bonds and notes issued by the Authority, including early redemption of those bonds or notes, (ii) for the purposes of repair, replacement, and improvement of the grounds, buildings, and facilities of the Authority, and (iii) for the corporate purposes of the Authority in fiscal years 2011 through 2015 in an amount not to exceed \$20,000,000 annually or \$80,000,000 total, which amount shall be reduced \$0.75 for each dollar of the receipts of the Authority in that year from any contract entered into with respect to naming rights at McCormick Place under Section 5(m) of this Act. When bonds and notes issued under Section 13.2, or bonds or notes issued to refund those bonds and notes, are no longer outstanding, the balance in the trust fund shall be paid to the Authority.

(h) The ordinances imposing the taxes authorized by this Section shall be repealed when bonds and notes issued under Section 13.2 or bonds and notes issued to refund those bonds and notes are no longer outstanding.

(Source: P.A. 97-333, eff. 8-12-11; 98-463, eff. 8-16-13.)

(70 ILCS 210/13.2) (from Ch. 85, par. 1233.2)

Sec. 13.2. The McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund is created in the State Treasury. All moneys in the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund are allocated to and shall be appropriated and used only for the purposes authorized by and subject to the limitations and conditions of this Section. Those amounts may be appropriated by law to the Authority for the purposes of paying the debt service requirements on all bonds and notes, including bonds and notes issued to refund or advance refund bonds and notes issued under this Section, Section 13.1, or issued to refund or advance refund bonds and notes otherwise issued under this Act, (collectively referred to as "bonds") to be issued by the Authority under this Section in an aggregate original principal amount (excluding the amount of any bonds and notes issued to refund or advance refund bonds or notes issued under this Section and Section 13.1) not to exceed \$2,557,000,000 for the purposes of carrying out and performing its duties and exercising its powers under this Act. The increased debt authorization provided by this amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly shall be used solely for the purpose of: (i) hotel construction and related necessary capital improvements; (ii) other needed capital improvements to existing facilities; and (iii) land acquisition for and construction of one multi-use facility on property bounded by East Cermak Road on the south, East 21st Street on the north, South Indiana Avenue on the west, and South Prairie Avenue on the east in the City of Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. No bonds issued to refund or advance refund bonds issued under this Section may mature later than 40 years from the date of issuance of the refunding or advance refunding bonds. After the aggregate original principal amount of bonds authorized in this Section has been issued, the payment of any principal amount of such bonds does not authorize the issuance of additional bonds (except refunding bonds). Any bonds and notes issued under this Section in any year in which there is an outstanding "post-2010 deficiency amount" as that term is defined in Section 13 (g)(3) of this Act shall provide for the payment to the State Treasurer of the amount of that deficiency.

On the first day of each month commencing after July 1, 1993, amounts, if any, on deposit in the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund shall, subject to appropriation, be paid in full to the Authority or, upon its direction, to the trustee or trustees for bondholders of bonds that by their terms are payable from the moneys received from the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund, until an amount equal to 100% of the aggregate amount of the principal and interest in the fiscal year, including that pursuant to sinking fund requirements, has been so paid and deficiencies in reserves shall have been remedied. For the 2016 fiscal year, if the amounts on deposit in the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund have not yet been appropriated for the payment of bonds, such amounts shall nevertheless be paid in full to the Authority or, upon its direction, to the trustee or trustees for bondholders, provided that the certificate of the Chief Executive Officer of the Authority referred to in subparagraph (4) of subsection (g) of Section 13 has been filed with the State Treasurer and the State Comptroller.

The State of Illinois pledges to and agrees with the holders of the bonds of the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority issued under this Section that the State will not limit or alter the rights and powers vested in the Authority by this Act so as to impair the terms of any contract made by the Authority with those holders or in any way impair the rights and remedies of those holders until the bonds, together with interest thereon, interest on any unpaid installments of interest, and all costs and expenses in connection with any action or proceedings by or on behalf of those holders are fully met and discharged; provided that any increase in the Tax Act Amounts specified in Section 3 of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, Section 9 of the Use Tax Act, Section 9 of the Service Use Tax Act, and Section 9 of the Service Occupation Tax Act required to be deposited into the Build Illinois Bond Account in the Build Illinois Fund pursuant to any law hereafter enacted shall not be deemed to impair the rights of such holders so long as the increase does not result in the aggregate debt service payable in the current or any future fiscal year of the State on all bonds issued pursuant to the Build Illinois Bond Act and the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority Act and payable from tax revenues specified in Section 3 of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, Section 9 of the Use Tax Act, Section 9 of the Service Use Tax Act, and Section 9 of the Service Occupation Tax Act exceeding 33 1/3% of such tax revenues for the most recently completed fiscal year of the State at the time of such increase. In addition, the State pledges to and agrees with the holders of the bonds of the Authority issued under this Section that the State will not limit or alter the basis on which State funds are to be paid to the Authority as provided in this Act or the use of those funds so as to impair the terms of any such contract; provided that any increase in the Tax Act Amounts specified in Section 3 of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, Section 9 of the Use Tax Act, Section 9 of the Service Use Tax Act, and Section 9 of the Service Occupation Tax Act required to be deposited into the Build Illinois Bond

Account in the Build Illinois Fund pursuant to any law hereafter enacted shall not be deemed to impair the terms of any such contract so long as the increase does not result in the aggregate debt service payable in the current or any future fiscal year of the State on all bonds issued pursuant to the Build Illinois Bond Act and the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority Act and payable from tax revenues specified in Section 3 of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, Section 9 of the Use Tax Act, Section 9 of the Service Use Tax Act, and Section 9 of the Service Occupation Tax Act exceeding 33 1/3% of such tax revenues for the most recently completed fiscal year of the State at the time of such increase. The Authority is authorized to include these pledges and agreements with the State in any contract with the holders of bonds issued under this Section.

The State shall not be liable on bonds of the Authority issued under this Section those bonds shall not be a debt of the State, and this Act shall not be construed as a guarantee by the State of the debts of the Authority. The bonds shall contain a statement to this effect on the face of the bonds.
(Source: P.A. 98-109, eff. 7-25-13.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law."

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment was adopted and ordered printed.

There being no further amendments, the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

READING BILL FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES A THIRD TIME

On motion of Senator J. Cullerton, **House Bill No. 745** having been printed as received from the House of Representatives, together with all Senate Amendments adopted thereto, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

YEAS 51; NAYS 6.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff	Delgado	Lightford	Nybo
Anderson	Forby	Link	Radogno
Bennett	Haine	Luechtefeld	Raoul
Bertino-Tarrant	Harmon	Manar	Sandoval
Biss	Harris	Martinez	Silverstein
Bivins	Hastings	McCann	Stadelman
Brady	Holmes	McConnaughay	Steans
Bush	Hunter	McGuire	Sullivan
Clayborne	Hutchinson	Morrison	Syverson
Collins	Jones, E.	Mulroe	Trotter
Connelly	Koehler	Muñoz	Van Pelt
Cullerton, T.	Kotowski	Murphy	Mr. President
Cunningham	Landek	Noland	

The following voted in the negative:

Barickman	McCarter	Righter
Duffy	Rezin	Rose

This bill, having received the vote of three-fifths of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES A SECOND TIME

[August 4, 2015]

On motion of Senator J. Cullerton, **House Bill No. 576** was taken up, read by title a second time and ordered to a third reading.

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT FOR AUGUST 5, 2015

The Chair announced the following committee to meet at 9:00 o'clock a.m.:

Human Services in Room 409

LEGISLATIVE MEASURE FILED

The following Floor amendment to the Senate Bill listed below has been filed with the Secretary and referred to the Committee on Assignments:

Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 570

At the hour of 5:52 o'clock p.m., the Chair announced that the Senate stand at recess subject to the call of the Chair.

AFTER RECESS

At the hour of 6:07 o'clock p.m., the Senate resumed consideration of business.
Senator Harmon, presiding.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its August 4, 2015 meeting, reported the following Legislative Measure has been assigned to the indicated Standing Committee of the Senate:

Human Services: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 570.**

At the hour of 6:09 o'clock p.m., the Chair announced the Senate stand adjourned until Wednesday, August 5, 2015, at 10:00 o'clock a.m.