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HJR 0170

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Senator Terry Link, Waukegan, Illinois, presiding.

Prayer by Pastor Steve Patzia, Cherry Hills Baptist Church, Springfield, Illinois.

Senator Cunningham led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Journal of Wednesday, April 20, 2016, was being read when on motion of Senator Hunter, further reading of same was dispensed with, and unless some Senator had corrections to offer, the Journal would stand approved. No corrections being offered, the Journal was ordered to stand approved.

The Journal of Thursday, April 21, 2016, was being read when on motion of Senator Hunter, further reading of same was dispensed with, and unless some Senator had corrections to offer, the Journal would stand approved. No corrections being offered, the Journal was ordered to stand approved.

The Journal of Friday, April 22, 2016, was being read when on motion of Senator Hunter, further reading of same was dispensed with, and unless some Senator had corrections to offer, the Journal would stand approved. No corrections being offered, the Journal was ordered to stand approved.

The Journal of Monday, April 25, 2016, was being read when on motion of Senator Hunter, further reading of same was dispensed with, and unless some Senator had corrections to offer, the Journal would stand approved. No corrections being offered, the Journal was ordered to stand approved.

The Journal of Wednesday, April 27, 2016, was being read when on motion of Senator Hunter, further reading of same was dispensed with, and unless some Senator had corrections to offer, the Journal would stand approved. No corrections being offered, the Journal was ordered to stand approved.

The Journal of Thursday, April 28, 2016, was being read when on motion of Senator Hunter, further reading of same was dispensed with, and unless some Senator had corrections to offer, the Journal would stand approved. No corrections being offered, the Journal was ordered to stand approved.

Senator Hunter moved that reading and approval of the Journal of Monday, January 9, 2017, be postponed, pending arrival of the printed Journal.

The motion prevailed.

#### PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2591**

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators: Mourns the death of Regina A. "Gina" Helfer of Deerfield.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2592**

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators: Mourns the death of Diana D. Suckow of Lake Bluff.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2593**

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Kenneth Chisholm Bennett of Lake Forest.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2594**

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donald Dorge of Lake Forest.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2595

Offered by Senator McConchie and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Mary Virginia "Ginny" Segerson of Glen Ellyn.

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

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

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2590

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that a Committee of three members of the Senate be appointed, two members to be appointed by the President and one member to be appointed by the Minority Leader, to approve the final Journals of the Senate of the Ninety-Ninth General Assembly where such journals have not, prior to the adjournment sine die, been approved by the body as a whole.

#### MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 550

A bill for AN ACT concerning safety.

Together with the following amendments which are attached, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

House Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 550

House Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 550

House Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 550

Passed the House, as amended, January 9, 2017.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO SENATE BILL 550

AMENDMENT NO. 2. Amend Senate Bill 550 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Illinois Municipal Code is amended by adding Division heading 150.1 of Article 11 and Section 11-150.1-1 as follows:

(65 ILCS 5/Art. 11 Div. 150.1 heading new)

DIVISION 150.1. LEAD HAZARD COST RECOVERY FEE

(65 ILCS 5/11-150.1-1 new)

Sec. 11-150.1-1. Lead hazard cost recovery fee. The corporate authorities of any municipality that operates a waterworks system and that incurs reasonable costs to comply with Section 17.11 of the Environmental Protection Act shall have the authority, by ordinance, to collect a fair and reasonable fee from users of the system in order to recover those reasonable costs. Fees collected pursuant to this Section shall be used exclusively for the purpose of complying with Section 17.11 of the Environmental Protection Act.

Section 10. The School Code is amended by changing Section 17-2.11 as follows:

(105 ILCS 5/17-2.11) (from Ch. 122, par. 17-2.11)

Sec. 17-2.11. School board power to levy a tax or to borrow money and issue bonds for fire prevention, safety, energy conservation, accessibility, school security, and specified repair purposes.

(a) Whenever, as a result of any lawful order of any agency, other than a school board, having authority to enforce any school building code applicable to any facility that houses students, or any law or regulation for the protection and safety of the environment, pursuant to the Environmental Protection Act, any school district having a population of less than 500,000 inhabitants is required to alter or reconstruct any school building or permanent, fixed equipment; the district may, by proper resolution, levy a tax for the purpose of making such alteration or reconstruction, based on a survey report by an architect or engineer licensed in this State, upon all of the taxable property of the district at the value as assessed by the Department of

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Revenue and at a rate not to exceed 0.05% per year for a period sufficient to finance such alteration or reconstruction, upon the following conditions:

- (1) When there are not sufficient funds available in the operations and maintenance fund of the school district, the school facility occupation tax fund of the district, or the fire prevention and safety fund of the district, as determined by the district on the basis of rules adopted by the State Board of Education, to make such alteration or reconstruction or to purchase and install such permanent, fixed equipment so ordered or determined as necessary. Appropriate school district records must be made available to the State Superintendent of Education, upon request, to confirm this insufficiency.
- (2) When a certified estimate of an architect or engineer licensed in this State stating the estimated amount necessary to make the alteration or reconstruction or to purchase and install the equipment so ordered has been secured by the school district, and the estimate has been approved by the regional superintendent of schools having jurisdiction over the district and the State Superintendent of Education. Approval must not be granted for any work that has already started without the prior express authorization of the State Superintendent of Education. If the estimate is not approved or is denied approval by the regional superintendent of schools within 3 months after the date on which it is submitted to him or her, the school board of the district may submit the estimate directly to the State Superintendent of Education for approval or denial.

In the case of an emergency situation, where the estimated cost to effectuate emergency repairs is less than the amount specified in Section 10-20.21 of this Code, the school district may proceed with such repairs prior to approval by the State Superintendent of Education, but shall comply with the provisions of subdivision (2) of this subsection (a) as soon thereafter as may be as well as Section 10-20.21 of this Code. If the estimated cost to effectuate emergency repairs is greater than the amount specified in Section 10-20.21 of this Code and with rules established by the State Board of Education to address such situations. The rules adopted by the State Board of Education to deal with these situations shall stipulate that emergency situations must be expedited and given priority consideration. For purposes of this paragraph, an emergency is a situation that presents an imminent and continuing threat to the health and safety of students or other occupants of a facility, requires complete or partial evacuation of a building or part of a building, or consumes one or more of the 5 emergency days built into the adopted calendar of the school or schools or would otherwise be expected to cause such school or schools to fall short of the minimum school calendar requirements.

- (b) Whenever any such district determines that it is necessary for energy conservation purposes that any school building or permanent, fixed equipment should be altered or reconstructed and that such alterations or reconstruction will be made with funds not necessary for the completion of approved and recommended projects contained in any safety survey report or amendments thereto authorized by Section 2-3.12 of this Act; the district may levy a tax or issue bonds as provided in subsection (a) of this Section.
- (c) Whenever any such district determines that it is necessary for accessibility purposes and to comply with the school building code that any school building or equipment should be altered or reconstructed and that such alterations or reconstruction will be made with funds not necessary for the completion of approved and recommended projects contained in any safety survey report or amendments thereto authorized under Section 2-3.12 of this Act, the district may levy a tax or issue bonds as provided in subsection (a) of this Section.
- (d) Whenever any such district determines that it is necessary for school security purposes and the related protection and safety of pupils and school personnel that any school building or property should be altered or reconstructed or that security systems and equipment (including but not limited to intercom, early detection and warning, access control and television monitoring systems) should be purchased and installed, and that such alterations, reconstruction or purchase and installation of equipment will be made with funds not necessary for the completion of approved and recommended projects contained in any safety survey report or amendment thereto authorized by Section 2-3.12 of this Act and will deter and prevent unauthorized entry or activities upon school property by unknown or dangerous persons, assure early detection and advance warning of any such actual or attempted unauthorized entry or activities and help assure the continued safety of pupils and school staff if any such unauthorized entry or activity is attempted or occurs; the district may levy a tax or issue bonds as provided in subsection (a) of this Section.
- (e) If a school district does not need funds for other fire prevention and safety projects, including the completion of approved and recommended projects contained in any safety survey report or amendments thereto authorized by Section 2-3.12 of this Act, and it is determined after a public hearing (which is preceded by at least one published notice (i) occurring at least 7 days prior to the hearing in a newspaper of general circulation within the school district and (ii) setting forth the time, date, place, and general subject matter of the hearing) that there is a substantial, immediate, and otherwise unavoidable threat to

the health, safety, or welfare of pupils due to disrepair of school sidewalks, playgrounds, parking lots, or school bus turnarounds and repairs must be made; then the district may levy a tax or issue bonds as provided in subsection (a) of this Section.

- (f) For purposes of this Section a school district may replace a school building or build additions to replace portions of a building when it is determined that the effectuation of the recommendations for the existing building will cost more than the replacement costs. Such determination shall be based on a comparison of estimated costs made by an architect or engineer licensed in the State of Illinois. The new building or addition shall be equivalent in area (square feet) and comparable in purpose and grades served and may be on the same site or another site. Such replacement may only be done upon order of the regional superintendent of schools and the approval of the State Superintendent of Education.
- (g) The filing of a certified copy of the resolution levying the tax when accompanied by the certificates of the regional superintendent of schools and State Superintendent of Education shall be the authority of the county clerk to extend such tax.
- (h) The county clerk of the county in which any school district levying a tax under the authority of this Section is located, in reducing raised levies, shall not consider any such tax as a part of the general levy for school purposes and shall not include the same in the limitation of any other tax rate which may be extended.

Such tax shall be levied and collected in like manner as all other taxes of school districts, subject to the provisions contained in this Section.

- (i) The tax rate limit specified in this Section may be increased to .10% upon the approval of a proposition to effect such increase by a majority of the electors voting on that proposition at a regular scheduled election. Such proposition may be initiated by resolution of the school board and shall be certified by the secretary to the proper election authorities for submission in accordance with the general election law.
- (j) When taxes are levied by any school district for fire prevention, safety, energy conservation, and school security purposes as specified in this Section, and the purposes for which the taxes have been levied are accomplished and paid in full, and there remain funds on hand in the Fire Prevention and Safety Fund from the proceeds of the taxes levied, including interest earnings thereon, the school board by resolution shall use such excess and other board restricted funds, excluding bond proceeds and earnings from such proceeds, as follows:
  - (1) for other authorized fire prevention, safety, energy conservation, and school security purposes for repair and mitigation due to lead levels in the drinking water supply as described in Section 17.11 of the Environmental Protection Act and for required safety inspections; or
  - (2) for transfer to the Operations and Maintenance Fund for the purpose of abating an equal amount of operations and maintenance purposes taxes.

Notwithstanding subdivision (2) of this subsection (j) and subsection (k) of this Section, through June 30, 2019, the school board may, by proper resolution following a public hearing set by the school board or the president of the school board (that is preceded (i) by at least one published notice over the name of the clerk or secretary of the board, occurring at least 7 days and not more than 30 days prior to the hearing, in a newspaper of general circulation within the school district and (ii) by posted notice over the name of the clerk or secretary of the board, at least 48 hours before the hearing, at the principal office of the school board or at the building where the hearing is to be held if a principal office does not exist, with both notices setting forth the time, date, place, and subject matter of the hearing), transfer surplus life safety taxes and interest earnings thereon to the Operations and Maintenance Fund for building repair work.

- (k) If any transfer is made to the Operation and Maintenance Fund, the secretary of the school board shall within 30 days notify the county clerk of the amount of that transfer and direct the clerk to abate the taxes to be extended for the purposes of operations and maintenance authorized under Section 17-2 of this Act by an amount equal to such transfer.
- (1) If the proceeds from the tax levy authorized by this Section are insufficient to complete the work approved under this Section, the school board is authorized to sell bonds without referendum under the provisions of this Section in an amount that, when added to the proceeds of the tax levy authorized by this Section, will allow completion of the approved work.
- (m) Any bonds issued pursuant to this Section shall bear interest at a rate not to exceed the maximum rate authorized by law at the time of the making of the contract, shall mature within 20 years from date, and shall be signed by the president of the school board and the treasurer of the school district.
- (n) In order to authorize and issue such bonds, the school board shall adopt a resolution fixing the amount of bonds, the date thereof, the maturities thereof, rates of interest thereof, place of payment and denomination, which shall be in denominations of not less than \$100 and not more than \$5,000, and provide for the levy and collection of a direct annual tax upon all the taxable property in the school district

sufficient to pay the principal and interest on such bonds to maturity. Upon the filing in the office of the county clerk of the county in which the school district is located of a certified copy of the resolution, it is the duty of the county clerk to extend the tax therefor in addition to and in excess of all other taxes heretofore or hereafter authorized to be levied by such school district.

- (o) After the time such bonds are issued as provided for by this Section, if additional alterations or reconstructions are required to be made because of surveys conducted by an architect or engineer licensed in the State of Illinois, the district may levy a tax at a rate not to exceed .05% per year upon all the taxable property of the district or issue additional bonds, whichever action shall be the most feasible.
- (p) This Section is cumulative and constitutes complete authority for the issuance of bonds as provided in this Section notwithstanding any other statute or law to the contrary.
- (q) With respect to instruments for the payment of money issued under this Section either before, on, or after the effective date of Public Act 86-004 (June 6, 1989), it is, and always has been, the intention of the General Assembly (i) that the Omnibus Bond Acts are, and always have been, supplementary grants of power to issue instruments in accordance with the Omnibus Bond Acts, regardless of any provision of this Act that may appear to be or to have been more restrictive than those Acts, (ii) that the provisions of this Section are not a limitation on the supplementary authority granted by the Omnibus Bond Acts, and (iii) that instruments issued under this Section within the supplementary authority granted by the Omnibus Bond Acts are not invalid because of any provision of this Act that may appear to be or to have been more restrictive than those Acts.
- (r) When the purposes for which the bonds are issued have been accomplished and paid for in full and there remain funds on hand from the proceeds of the bond sale and interest earnings therefrom, the board shall, by resolution, use such excess funds in accordance with the provisions of Section 10-22.14 of this Act.
- (s) Whenever any tax is levied or bonds issued for fire prevention, safety, energy conservation, and school security purposes, such proceeds shall be deposited and accounted for separately within the Fire Prevention and Safety Fund.

(Source: P.A. 98-26, eff. 6-21-13; 98-1066, eff. 8-26-14; 99-143, eff. 7-27-15; 99-713, eff. 8-5-16.)

Section 15. The Public Utilities Act is amended by adding Section 9-246 as follows: (220 ILCS 5/9-246 new)

Sec. 9-246. Rates; lead hazard cost recovery by investor-owned water utilities. In determining the rates for an investor-owned public utility engaged in providing water service, the Commission shall allow the utility to recover annually any reasonable costs incurred by the utility to comply with Section 17.11 of the Environmental Protection Act.

Section 20. The Child Care Act of 1969 is amended by adding Section 5.9 as follows: (225 ILCS 10/5.9 new)

Sec. 5.9. Lead testing of water in licensed day care centers, day care homes and group day care homes. (a) On or before January 1, 2018, the Department, in consultation with the Department of Public Health, shall adopt rules that prescribe the procedures and standards to be used by the Department in assessing levels of lead in water in licensed day care centers, day care homes, and group day care homes constructed on or before January 1, 2000 that serve children under the age of 6. Such rules shall, at a minimum, include provisions regarding testing parameters, the notification of sampling results, training requirements for lead exposure and mitigation.

(b) After adoption of the rules required by subsection (a) of this Section 5.9, and as part of an initial application or application for renewal of a license for day care centers, day care homes, and group day care homes, the Department shall require proof that the applicant has complied with all such promulgated rules.

Section 25. The Environmental Protection Act is amended by changing Sections 19.3 and 19.4 and by adding Section 17.11 as follows:

(415 ILCS 5/17.11 new)

Sec. 17.11. Lead in drinking water prevention.

(a) The General Assembly finds that lead has been detected in the drinking water of schools and residences in this State. The General Assembly also finds that infants and young children may suffer adverse health effects and developmental delays as a result of exposure to even low levels of lead. The General Assembly further finds that it is in the best interests of the people of the State to require school districts or chief school administrators, or the designees of school districts or chief school administrators, and the owners and operators of community water systems to test for lead in drinking water in school

buildings and provide written notification of the test results and for the owners and operators of community water systems to create a comprehensive lead service line inventory.

The purpose of this Section is to require (i) school districts or chief school administrators, or the designees of school districts or chief school administrators, and the owners and operators of community water systems to test for lead with the goal of providing school building occupants with an adequate supply of safe, potable water for consumption that is free of lead; (ii) school districts or chief school administrators, or the designees of school districts or chief school administrator, to notify the parents and legal guardians of enrolled students of the sampling results from their respective school buildings; (iii) the owners and operators of community water systems to notify occupants of residences and water bill recipients, if different from the occupants, of their individual tap sampling results; (iv) the owners and operators of community water systems to provide notice to occupants of potentially affected residences of construction or repair work on water mains, lead service lines, or water meters; and (v) owners and operators of community water systems to create a comprehensive lead service line inventory.

(b) For the purposes of this Section:

"Community water system" has the meaning ascribed to that term in 35 Ill. Adm. Code 611.101.

"Potentially affected residence" means any residence where water service is or may be temporarily interrupted or shut off by or on behalf of an owner or operator of a community water system because construction or repair work is to be performed by or on behalf of the owner or operator of a community water system on or affecting a water main, service line, or water meter.

"School building" means any facility or portion thereof that was constructed on or before January 1, 2000 and may be occupied by more than 10 children or students, pre-kindergarten through grade 5, within (a) a school district or (b) a public, private, charter, or nonpublic day or residential educational institution, that receives water from a community water system.

"Source of potable water" means the point at which non-bottled water that may be ingested by children or used for food preparation exits any tap, faucet, drinking fountain, wash basin in a classroom occupied by children or students under grade 1, or similar point of use provided, however, that all (a) bathroom sinks and (b) wash basins used by janitorial staff are excluded from this definition.

- (c) Each school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, and the corresponding owner and operator of a community water system shall test each source of potable water in a school building for lead contamination as required in this subsection.
- (1) Each school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, shall collect a minimum of three 250 milliliter sequential samples of water from each source of potable water located at each corresponding school building; provided, however, that to the extent that multiple sources of potable water utilize the same drain, (a) a minimum of three 250 milliliter sequential samples of water is required from one such source of potable water, and (b) only one 250 milliliter sample of water is required from the remaining such sources of potable water. The water corresponding to the first 250 milliliter sample from each source of potable water shall have been standing in the plumbing pipes for at least 8 hours, but not more than 18 hours, without any flushing of the source of potable water before sample collection. Samples shall be collected pursuant to such other specifications as the Agency may determine appropriate.
- (2) Each school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, shall submit (A) the samples to an Agency-accredited laboratory for analysis for lead in accordance with the instructions supplied by the owners and operators of the community water system and (B) the written sampling results to the Agency and the Department of Public Health within 7 business days of receipt of the results.
- (3) If any sample tests positive for lead, the school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, shall promptly provide an individual notification of the sampling results, via written or electronic communication, to the parents or legal guardians of all enrolled students of the sampling results and include the following information: the corresponding sampling location within the school building and the United States Environmental Protection Agency's website for information about lead in drinking water.
- (4) Sampling and analysis shall be completed by the following applicable deadlines: for school buildings constructed through January 1, 1987, by December 31, 2017; and for school buildings constructed between January 2, 1987 and January 1, 2000, by December 31, 2018.
- (5) The school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, shall provide the corresponding owner and operator of the community water supply with a written list of all sources of potable water that are required to be sampled in each school building. Within 20 days of receipt of the written list, the owner and operator of the community water system shall (A) provide each corresponding school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school

district or chief school administrator, with the (i) sampling instructions, (ii) equipment necessary to collect all samples required under this subsection from the school buildings of each such school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, and (iii) instructions for delivering the samples to an Agency-accredited laboratory; and (B) pay for the total cost of the laboratory analysis of all such required samples. The obligation of each owner and operator of the community water system to pay the total cost of the laboratory analysis expires if the corresponding school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, fails to submit the samples for analysis prior to the applicable corresponding deadline in subsection 4 of Section 17.11(c).

- (6) The school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, may provide written notice to the owner and operator of the corresponding community water system that it will undertake all responsibilities under this subsection. If the school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, provides such written notice, the owner and operator of the corresponding community water system shall be exempt from the requirements of this subsection.
- (7) A school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, may seek a waiver of the requirements of this subsection from the Agency, in consultation with the Department of Public Health, if (A) the school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, collected at least one 250 milliliter sample of water from each source of potable water that had been standing in the plumbing pipes for at least 6 hours and that was collected without flushing the source of potable water before collection, (B) an Agency-accredited laboratory analyzed the samples, (C) test results were obtained prior to the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly, but after January 1, 2013, and (D) test results were submitted to the Agency and the Department of Public Health within 120 days of the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly.
- (8) Lead sampling results obtained shall not be used for purposes of determining compliance with the Board's rules that implement the national primary drinking water regulations for lead and copper.
- (d) By no later than June 30, 2019, the Agency, in consultation with the Department of Public Health, shall determine whether it is necessary and appropriate to protect public health to require schools constructed in whole or in part after January 1, 2000 to conduct testing for lead from sources of potable water, taking into account, among other relevant information, the results of testing conducted pursuant to Section 17.11(c).
- (e) The owner or operator of each community water system in the State shall develop a water distribution system material inventory that shall be submitted to the Agency and the Department of Public Health an annual basis commencing on April 15, 2018 and continuing on each April 15 thereafter until the water distribution system material inventory is completed. In addition to meeting the requirements for water distribution system material inventories that are mandated by the United States Environmental Protection Agency, each water distribution system material inventory shall identify: provided, however, that, nothing in this subsection shall be construed to require that privately owned lead service lines be unearthed:
- (1) all known lead service lines within or connected to its community water system distribution system, including privately owned lead service lines;
  - (2) the lead service lines that were added to the inventory after the previous year's submission;
  - (3) the total number of service lines within the community water supply distribution system;
  - (4) the percentage of service lines that are known to contain lead;
  - (5) the percentage of service lines that are known to be of a material other than lead; and
- (6) the percentage of service lines added to the inventory after the previous submission of the annual lead service line inventory.
- (f) Beginning January 1, 2017, when conducting routine inspections of community water systems as required under this Act, the Agency may conduct a separate audit to identify progress that the community water system has made toward completing the water distribution system material inventories required under subsection (d) of this Section.
- (g) The owner or operator of a community water system shall provide a notice of the individual tap sampling results to the persons served by the water system at the specific sampling site from which the sample was taken (e.g., the occupants of the residence where the tap was tested) and to the persons who receive the water bills for each residence. In preparing such notice and providing it to the persons required under this subsection, the owner or operator of a community water system shall comply with the requirements set forth in 35 Ill. Adm. Code 611.355(d)(2)-(4). The notification described in this subsection (f) is in addition to any other notification that may be required.

- (h) The owner or operator of the community water system shall provide notice of construction or repair work on a water main service line, or water meter in accordance with the following requirements:
- (1) Within 14 days prior to beginning planned work to repair or replace any water mains or lead service lines, the owner or operator of a community water system shall notify, through an individual written notice, each occupant of each potentially affected residence of the planned work. In cases where a community water system must perform construction or repair work on an emergency basis or where such work is not scheduled at least 14 days prior to work taking place, the community water system shall notify each occupant of each potentially affected residence as soon as reasonably possible. When work is to repair or replace a water meter, the notification shall be provided at the time the work is initiated.
  - (2) Such notification shall include, at a minimum:
- (A) a warning that the work may result in sediment, possibly containing lead, in the residence's water supply; and
- (B) information concerning best practices for preventing the consumption of any lead in drinking water, including a recommendation to flush water lines during and after the completion of the repair or replacement work and to clean faucet aerator screens; and
  - (C) information regarding the dangers of lead in young children.
- (3) To the extent that the owner or operator of a community water system serves a significant proportion of non-English speaking consumers, the notification must contain information in the appropriate languages regarding the importance of the notice, and it must contain a telephone number or address where a person served may contact the owner or operator of the community water system to obtain a translated copy of the notification or to request assistance in the appropriate language.
- (4) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in this section, to the extent that notification is required for the entire community served by a community water system, publication notification, through a local newspaper, social media or other similar means, may be utilized in lieu of an individual written notification.
- (5) The notification requirements in this subsection (g) do not apply to work performed on water mains that are used to transmit treated water between community water systems and have no service connections.
  - (415 ILCS 5/19.3) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 1019.3)
  - Sec. 19.3. Water Revolving Fund.
- (a) There is hereby created within the State Treasury a Water Revolving Fund, consisting of 3 interestbearing special programs to be known as the Water Pollution Control Loan Program, the Public Water Supply Loan Program, and the Loan Support Program, which shall be used and administered by the Agency.
- (b) The Water Pollution Control Loan Program shall be used and administered by the Agency to provide assistance for the following purposes:
  - (1) to accept and retain funds from grant awards, appropriations, transfers, and payments of interest and principal;
  - (2) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates and to provide additional subsidization, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants, to any eligible local government unit to finance the construction of treatments works, including storm water treatment systems that are treatment works, and projects that fulfill federal State Revolving Fund grant requirements for a green project reserve;
  - (2.5) with respect to funds provided under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009:
    - (A) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates to any eligible local government unit and to provide additional subsidization to any eligible local government unit, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants;
    - (B) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates to any eligible local government unit to buy or refinance debt obligations for treatment works incurred on or after October 1, 2008; and
    - (C) to provide additional subsidization, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants for treatment works incurred on or after October 1, 2008.
  - (3) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates and to provide additional subsidization, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants, to any eligible local government unit to buy or refinance debt obligations for costs incurred after March 7, 1985, for the construction of treatment works, including storm water treatment systems that are

treatment works, and projects that fulfill federal State Revolving Fund grant requirements for a green project reserve;

- (3.5) to make loans, including, but not limited to, loans through a linked deposit program, at or below market interest rates for the implementation of a management program established under Section 319 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended;
- (4) to guarantee or purchase insurance for local obligations where such action would improve credit market access or reduce interest rates;
- (5) as a source of revenue or security for the payment of principal and interest on revenue or general obligation bonds issued by the State or any political subdivision or instrumentality thereof, if the proceeds of such bonds will be deposited in the Fund;
- (6) to finance the reasonable costs incurred by the Agency in the administration of the Fund:
  - (7) to transfer funds to the Public Water Supply Loan Program; and
- (8) notwithstanding any other provision of this subsection (b), to provide, in accordance with rules adopted under this Title, any other financial assistance that may be provided under Section 603 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act for any other projects or activities eligible for assistance under that Section or federal rules adopted to implement that Section.
- (c) The Loan Support Program shall be used and administered by the Agency for the following purposes:
  - (1) to accept and retain funds from grant awards and appropriations;
- (2) to finance the reasonable costs incurred by the Agency in the administration of the Fund, including activities under Title III of this Act, including the administration of the State construction grant program;
- (3) to transfer funds to the Water Pollution Control Loan Program and the Public Water Supply Loan Program;
  - (4) to accept and retain a portion of the loan repayments;
- (5) to finance the development of the low interest loan programs for water pollution control and public water supply projects;
- (6) to finance the reasonable costs incurred by the Agency to provide technical assistance for public water supplies; and
- (7) to finance the reasonable costs incurred by the Agency for public water system supervision programs, to administer or provide for technical assistance through source water protection programs, to develop and implement a capacity development strategy, to delineate and assess source water protection areas, and for an operator certification program in accordance with Section 1452 of the federal Safe Drinking Water Act.
- (d) The Public Water Supply Loan Program shall be used and administered by the Agency to provide assistance to local government units and privately owned community water supplies for public water systems as defined in 40 CFR 141.2 and 40 CFR 35.3505 supplies for the following public purposes:
  - (1) to accept and retain funds from grant awards, appropriations, transfers, and payments of interest and principal;
  - (2) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates and to provide additional subsidization, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants, to any eligible local government unit or to any eligible privately owned community water supply to finance the construction of water supplies and projects that fulfill federal State Revolving Fund grant requirements for a green project reserve;
  - (2.5) with respect to funds provided under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009:
    - (A) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates to any eligible local government unit or to any eligible privately owned community water supply, and to provide additional subsidization to any eligible local government unit or to any eligible privately owned community water supply, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants;
    - (B) to buy or refinance the debt obligation of a local government unit for costs incurred on or after October 1, 2008; and
    - (C) to provide additional subsidization, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants for a local government unit for costs incurred on or after October 1, 2008;
  - (3) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates and to provide additional subsidization, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants, to any eligible local government unit or to any eligible privately owned community water supply to buy

or refinance debt obligations for costs incurred on or after July 17, 1997, for the construction of water supplies and projects that fulfill federal State Revolving Fund requirements for a green project reserve;

- (4) to guarantee local obligations where such action would improve credit market access or reduce interest rates;
- (5) as a source of revenue or security for the payment of principal and interest on revenue or general obligation bonds issued by the State or any political subdivision or instrumentality thereof, if the proceeds of such bonds will be deposited into the Fund; and
  - (6) to transfer funds to the Water Pollution Control Loan Program; and -
- (7) notwithstanding any other provision of this subsection (d), to provide any other financial assistance that may be provided under Section 1452 of the federal Safe Drinking Water Act for any expenditures eligible for assistance under that Section or federal rules adopted to implement that Section.
- (e) The Agency is designated as the administering agency of the Fund. The Agency shall submit to the Regional Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency an intended use plan which outlines the proposed use of funds available to the State. The Agency shall take all actions necessary to secure to the State the benefits of the federal Water Pollution Control Act and the federal Safe Drinking Water Act, as now or hereafter amended.
- (f) The Agency shall have the power to enter into intergovernmental agreements with the federal government or the State, or any instrumentality thereof, for purposes of capitalizing the Water Revolving Fund. Moneys on deposit in the Water Revolving Fund may be used for the creation of reserve funds or pledged funds that secure the obligations of repayment of loans made pursuant to this Section. For the purpose of obtaining capital for deposit into the Water Revolving Fund, the Agency may also enter into agreements with financial institutions and other persons for the purpose of selling loans and developing a secondary market for such loans. The Agency shall have the power to create and establish such reserve funds and accounts as may be necessary or desirable to accomplish its purposes under this subsection and to allocate its available moneys into such funds and accounts. Investment earnings on moneys held in the Water Revolving Fund, including any reserve fund or pledged fund, shall be deposited into the Water Revolving Fund.

(Source: P.A. 98-782, eff. 7-23-14; 99-187, eff. 7-29-15.)

(415 ILCS 5/19.4) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 1019.4)

Sec. 19.4. Regulations; priorities.

- (a) The Agency shall have the authority to promulgate regulations for the administration of this Title, including, but not limited to, rules setting forth procedures and criteria concerning loan applications and the issuance of loans. For loans to units of local government, the regulations shall include, but need not be limited to, the following elements:
  - (1) loan application requirements;
  - (2) determination of credit worthiness of the loan applicant;
  - (3) special loan terms, as necessary, for securing the repayment of the loan;
  - (4) assurance of payment;
  - (5) interest rates;
  - (6) loan support rates;
  - (7) impact on user charges;
  - (8) eligibility of proposed construction;
  - (9) priority of needs;
  - (10) special loan terms for disadvantaged communities;
  - (11) maximum limits on annual distributions of funds to applicants or groups of applicants;
  - (12) penalties for noncompliance with loan requirements and conditions, including stop-work orders, termination, and recovery of loan funds; and
    - (13) indemnification of the State of Illinois and the Agency by the loan recipient.
- (b) The Agency shall have the authority to promulgate regulations to set forth procedures and criteria concerning loan applications for loan recipients other than units of local government. In addition to all of the elements required for units of local government under subsection (a), the regulations shall include, but need not be limited to, the following elements:
  - (1) types of security required for the loan;
  - (2) types of collateral, as necessary, that can be pledged for the loan; and
  - (3) staged access to fund privately owned community water supplies.
- (c) Rules adopted under this Title shall also include, but shall not be limited to, criteria for prioritizing the issuance of loans under this Title according to applicant need. Priority in making loans from the Public Water Supply Loan Program must first be given to local government units and privately owned community

water supplies that need to make capital improvements to protect human health and to achieve compliance with the State and federal primary drinking water standards adopted pursuant to this Act and the federal Safe Drinking Water Act, as now and hereafter amended. Rules for prioritizing loans from the Water Pollution Control Loan Program may include, but shall not be limited to, criteria designed to encourage green infrastructure, water efficiency, environmentally innovative projects, and nutrient pollution removal.

- (d) The Agency shall have the authority to promulgate regulations to set forth procedures and criteria concerning loan applications for funds provided under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. In addition, due to time constraints in the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, the Agency shall adopt emergency rules as necessary to allow the timely administration of funds provided under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. Emergency rules adopted under this subsection (d) shall be adopted in accordance with Section 5-45 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act.
- (e) The Agency may adopt rules to create a linked deposit loan program through which loans made pursuant to paragraph (3.5) of subsection (b) of Section 19.3 may be made through private lenders. Rules adopted under this subsection (e) shall include, but shall not be limited to, provisions requiring private lenders, prior to disbursing loan proceeds through the linked deposit loan program, to verify that the loan recipients have been approved by the Agency for financing under paragraph (3.5) of subsection (b) of Section 19.3.

(Source: P.A. 98-782, eff. 7-23-14.)

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

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3 TO SENATE BILL 550

AMENDMENT NO. <u>3</u>. Amend Senate Bill 550, AS AMENDED, by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Illinois Municipal Code is amended by adding Division 150.1 to Article 11 as follows:

(65 ILCS 5/Art. 11 Div. 150.1 heading new)

DIVISION 150.1. LEAD HAZARD COST RECOVERY FEE

(65 ILCS 5/11-150.1-1 new)

Sec. 11-150.1-1. Lead hazard cost recovery fee. The corporate authorities of any municipality that operates a waterworks system and that incurs reasonable costs to comply with Section 35.5 of the Illinois Plumbing License Law shall have the authority, by ordinance, to collect a fair and reasonable fee from users of the system in order to recover those reasonable costs. Fees collected pursuant to this Section shall be used exclusively for the purpose of complying with Section 35.5 of the Illinois Plumbing License Law.

Section 10. The School Code is amended by changing Sections 17-2.11 and 17-2A as follows: (105 ILCS 5/17-2.11) (from Ch. 122, par. 17-2.11)

Sec. 17-2.11. School board power to levy a tax or to borrow money and issue bonds for fire prevention, safety, energy conservation, accessibility, school security, and specified repair purposes.

- (a) Whenever, as a result of any lawful order of any agency, other than a school board, having authority to enforce any school building code applicable to any facility that houses students, or any law or regulation for the protection and safety of the environment, pursuant to the Environmental Protection Act, any school district having a population of less than 500,000 inhabitants is required to alter or reconstruct any school building or permanent, fixed equipment; the district may, by proper resolution, levy a tax for the purpose of making such alteration or reconstruction, based on a survey report by an architect or engineer licensed in this State, upon all of the taxable property of the district at the value as assessed by the Department of Revenue and at a rate not to exceed 0.05% per year for a period sufficient to finance such alteration or reconstruction, upon the following conditions:
  - (1) When there are not sufficient funds available in the operations and maintenance fund of the school district, the school facility occupation tax fund of the district, or the fire prevention and safety fund of the district, as determined by the district on the basis of rules adopted by the State Board of Education, to make such alteration or reconstruction or to purchase and install such permanent, fixed equipment so ordered or determined as necessary. Appropriate school district records must be made available to the State Superintendent of Education, upon request, to confirm this insufficiency.
  - (2) When a certified estimate of an architect or engineer licensed in this State stating the estimated amount necessary to make the alteration or reconstruction or to purchase and install the equipment so ordered has been secured by the school district, and the estimate has been approved by

the regional superintendent of schools having jurisdiction over the district and the State Superintendent of Education. Approval must not be granted for any work that has already started without the prior express authorization of the State Superintendent of Education. If the estimate is not approved or is denied approval by the regional superintendent of schools within 3 months after the date on which it is submitted to him or her, the school board of the district may submit the estimate directly to the State Superintendent of Education for approval or denial.

In the case of an emergency situation, where the estimated cost to effectuate emergency repairs is less than the amount specified in Section 10-20.21 of this Code, the school district may proceed with such repairs prior to approval by the State Superintendent of Education, but shall comply with the provisions of subdivision (2) of this subsection (a) as soon thereafter as may be as well as Section 10-20.21 of this Code. If the estimated cost to effectuate emergency repairs is greater than the amount specified in Section 10-20.21 of this Code and with rules established by the State Board of Education to address such situations. The rules adopted by the State Board of Education to deal with these situations shall stipulate that emergency situations must be expedited and given priority consideration. For purposes of this paragraph, an emergency is a situation that presents an imminent and continuing threat to the health and safety of students or other occupants of a facility, requires complete or partial evacuation of a building or part of a building, or consumes one or more of the 5 emergency days built into the adopted calendar of the school or schools or would otherwise be expected to cause such school or schools to fall short of the minimum school calendar requirements.

- (b) Whenever any such district determines that it is necessary for energy conservation purposes that any school building or permanent, fixed equipment should be altered or reconstructed and that such alterations or reconstruction will be made with funds not necessary for the completion of approved and recommended projects contained in any safety survey report or amendments thereto authorized by Section 2-3.12 of this Act; the district may levy a tax or issue bonds as provided in subsection (a) of this Section.
- (c) Whenever any such district determines that it is necessary for accessibility purposes and to comply with the school building code that any school building or equipment should be altered or reconstructed and that such alterations or reconstruction will be made with funds not necessary for the completion of approved and recommended projects contained in any safety survey report or amendments thereto authorized under Section 2-3.12 of this Act, the district may levy a tax or issue bonds as provided in subsection (a) of this Section.
- (d) Whenever any such district determines that it is necessary for school security purposes and the related protection and safety of pupils and school personnel that any school building or property should be altered or reconstructed or that security systems and equipment (including but not limited to intercom, early detection and warning, access control and television monitoring systems) should be purchased and installed, and that such alterations, reconstruction or purchase and installation of equipment will be made with funds not necessary for the completion of approved and recommended projects contained in any safety survey report or amendment thereto authorized by Section 2-3.12 of this Act and will deter and prevent unauthorized entry or activities upon school property by unknown or dangerous persons, assure early detection and advance warning of any such actual or attempted unauthorized entry or activities and help assure the continued safety of pupils and school staff if any such unauthorized entry or activity is attempted or occurs; the district may levy a tax or issue bonds as provided in subsection (a) of this Section.
- (e) If a school district does not need funds for other fire prevention and safety projects, including the completion of approved and recommended projects contained in any safety survey report or amendments thereto authorized by Section 2-3.12 of this Act, and it is determined after a public hearing (which is preceded by at least one published notice (i) occurring at least 7 days prior to the hearing in a newspaper of general circulation within the school district and (ii) setting forth the time, date, place, and general subject matter of the hearing) that there is a substantial, immediate, and otherwise unavoidable threat to the health, safety, or welfare of pupils due to disrepair of school sidewalks, playgrounds, parking lots, or school bus turnarounds and repairs must be made; then the district may levy a tax or issue bonds as provided in subsection (a) of this Section.
- (f) For purposes of this Section a school district may replace a school building or build additions to replace portions of a building when it is determined that the effectuation of the recommendations for the existing building will cost more than the replacement costs. Such determination shall be based on a comparison of estimated costs made by an architect or engineer licensed in the State of Illinois. The new building or addition shall be equivalent in area (square feet) and comparable in purpose and grades served and may be on the same site or another site. Such replacement may only be done upon order of the regional superintendent of schools and the approval of the State Superintendent of Education.

- (g) The filing of a certified copy of the resolution levying the tax when accompanied by the certificates of the regional superintendent of schools and State Superintendent of Education shall be the authority of the county clerk to extend such tax.
- (h) The county clerk of the county in which any school district levying a tax under the authority of this Section is located, in reducing raised levies, shall not consider any such tax as a part of the general levy for school purposes and shall not include the same in the limitation of any other tax rate which may be extended.

Such tax shall be levied and collected in like manner as all other taxes of school districts, subject to the provisions contained in this Section.

- (i) The tax rate limit specified in this Section may be increased to .10% upon the approval of a proposition to effect such increase by a majority of the electors voting on that proposition at a regular scheduled election. Such proposition may be initiated by resolution of the school board and shall be certified by the secretary to the proper election authorities for submission in accordance with the general election law.
- (j) When taxes are levied by any school district for fire prevention, safety, energy conservation, and school security purposes as specified in this Section, and the purposes for which the taxes have been levied are accomplished and paid in full, and there remain funds on hand in the Fire Prevention and Safety Fund from the proceeds of the taxes levied, including interest earnings thereon, the school board by resolution shall use such excess and other board restricted funds, excluding bond proceeds and earnings from such proceeds, as follows:
- (1) for other authorized fire prevention, safety, energy conservation, <u>required safety inspections</u>, and school security

purposes, sampling for lead in drinking water in schools, and for repair and mitigation due to lead levels in the drinking water supply and for required safety inspections; or

(2) for transfer to the Operations and Maintenance Fund for the purpose of abating an equal amount of operations and maintenance purposes taxes.

Notwithstanding subdivision (2) of this subsection (j) and subsection (k) of this Section, through June 30, 2019, the school board may, by proper resolution following a public hearing set by the school board or the president of the school board (that is preceded (i) by at least one published notice over the name of the clerk or secretary of the board, occurring at least 7 days and not more than 30 days prior to the hearing, in a newspaper of general circulation within the school district and (ii) by posted notice over the name of the clerk or secretary of the board, at least 48 hours before the hearing, at the principal office of the school board or at the building where the hearing is to be held if a principal office does not exist, with both notices setting forth the time, date, place, and subject matter of the hearing), transfer surplus life safety taxes and interest earnings thereon to the Operations and Maintenance Fund for building repair work.

- (k) If any transfer is made to the Operation and Maintenance Fund, the secretary of the school board shall within 30 days notify the county clerk of the amount of that transfer and direct the clerk to abate the taxes to be extended for the purposes of operations and maintenance authorized under Section 17-2 of this Act by an amount equal to such transfer.
- (1) If the proceeds from the tax levy authorized by this Section are insufficient to complete the work approved under this Section, the school board is authorized to sell bonds without referendum under the provisions of this Section in an amount that, when added to the proceeds of the tax levy authorized by this Section, will allow completion of the approved work.
- (m) Any bonds issued pursuant to this Section shall bear interest at a rate not to exceed the maximum rate authorized by law at the time of the making of the contract, shall mature within 20 years from date, and shall be signed by the president of the school board and the treasurer of the school district.
- (n) In order to authorize and issue such bonds, the school board shall adopt a resolution fixing the amount of bonds, the date thereof, the maturities thereof, rates of interest thereof, place of payment and denomination, which shall be in denominations of not less than \$100 and not more than \$5,000, and provide for the levy and collection of a direct annual tax upon all the taxable property in the school district sufficient to pay the principal and interest on such bonds to maturity. Upon the filing in the office of the county clerk of the county in which the school district is located of a certified copy of the resolution, it is the duty of the county clerk to extend the tax therefor in addition to and in excess of all other taxes heretofore or hereafter authorized to be levied by such school district.
- (o) After the time such bonds are issued as provided for by this Section, if additional alterations or reconstructions are required to be made because of surveys conducted by an architect or engineer licensed in the State of Illinois, the district may levy a tax at a rate not to exceed .05% per year upon all the taxable property of the district or issue additional bonds, whichever action shall be the most feasible.

- (p) This Section is cumulative and constitutes complete authority for the issuance of bonds as provided in this Section notwithstanding any other statute or law to the contrary.
- (q) With respect to instruments for the payment of money issued under this Section either before, on, or after the effective date of Public Act 86-004 (June 6, 1989), it is, and always has been, the intention of the General Assembly (i) that the Omnibus Bond Acts are, and always have been, supplementary grants of power to issue instruments in accordance with the Omnibus Bond Acts, regardless of any provision of this Act that may appear to be or to have been more restrictive than those Acts, (ii) that the provisions of this Section are not a limitation on the supplementary authority granted by the Omnibus Bond Acts, and (iii) that instruments issued under this Section within the supplementary authority granted by the Omnibus Bond Acts are not invalid because of any provision of this Act that may appear to be or to have been more restrictive than those Acts.
- (r) When the purposes for which the bonds are issued have been accomplished and paid for in full and there remain funds on hand from the proceeds of the bond sale and interest earnings therefrom, the board shall, by resolution, use such excess funds in accordance with the provisions of Section 10-22.14 of this Act
- (s) Whenever any tax is levied or bonds issued for fire prevention, safety, energy conservation, and school security purposes, such proceeds shall be deposited and accounted for separately within the Fire Prevention and Safety Fund.

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(Source: P.A. 98-26, eff. 6-21-13; 98-1066, eff. 8-26-14; 99-143, eff. 7-27-15; 99-713, eff. 8-5-16.) (105 ILCS 5/17-2A) (from Ch. 122, par. 17-2A)
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Sec. 17-2A. Interfund transfers.

- (a) The school board of any district having a population of less than 500,000 inhabitants may, by proper resolution following a public hearing set by the school board or the president of the school board (that is preceded (i) by at least one published notice over the name of the clerk or secretary of the board, occurring at least 7 days and not more than 30 days prior to the hearing, in a newspaper of general circulation within the school district and (ii) by posted notice over the name of the clerk or secretary of the board, at least 48 hours before the hearing, at the principal office of the school board or at the building where the hearing is to be held if a principal office does not exist, with both notices setting forth the time, date, place, and subject matter of the hearing), transfer money from (1) the Educational Fund to the Operations and Maintenance Fund or the Transportation Fund, (2) the Operations and Maintenance Fund to the Educational Fund or the Transportation Fund, or (3) the Transportation Fund to the Educational Fund or the Operations and Maintenance Fund , or (4) the Tort Immunity Fund to the Operations and Maintenance Fund of said district, provided that, except during the period from July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2019, such transfer is made solely for the purpose of meeting one-time, non-recurring expenses. Except during the period from July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2019 and except as otherwise provided in subsection (b) of this Section, any other permanent interfund transfers authorized by any provision or judicial interpretation of this Code for which the transferee fund is not precisely and specifically set forth in the provision of this Code authorizing such transfer shall be made to the fund of the school district most in need of the funds being transferred, as determined by resolution of the school board.
- (b) (Blank). Notwithstanding subsection (a) of this Section or any other provision of this Code to the contrary, the school board of any school district (i) that is subject to the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law, (ii) that has a population of less than 500,000 inhabitants, (iii) that is levying at its maximum tax rate, (iv) whose total equalized assessed valuation has declined 20% in the prior 2 years, (v) in which 80% or more of its students receive free or reduced price lunch, and (vi) that had an equalized assessed valuation of less than \$207 million but more than \$203 million in the 2011 levy year may annually, until July 1, 2016, transfer money from any fund of the district, other than the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund and the Bonds and Interest Fund, to the educational fund, the operations and maintenance fund, or the transportation fund of the district by proper resolution following a public hearing set by the school board or the president of the school board, with notice as provided in subsection (a) of this Section, so long as the district meets the qualifications set forth in this subsection (b) on the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly even if the district does not meet those qualifications at the time a given transfer is made.

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(Source: P.A. 98-26, eff. 6-21-13; 98-131, eff. 1-1-14; 99-713, eff. 8-5-16.)
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Section 15. The Public Utilities Act is amended by adding Section 9-246 as follows: (220 ILCS 5/9-246 new)

Sec. 9-246. Rates; lead hazard cost recovery by investor-owned water utilities. In determining the rates for an investor-owned public utility engaged in providing water service, the Commission shall allow the

utility to recover annually any reasonable costs incurred by the utility to comply with Section 35.5 of the Illinois Plumbing License Law.

Section 20. The Child Care Act of 1969 is amended by adding Section 5.9 as follows: (225 ILCS 10/5.9 new)

Sec. 5.9. Lead testing of water in licensed day care centers, day care homes and group day care homes. (a) On or before January 1, 2018, the Department, in consultation with the Department of Public Health, shall adopt rules that prescribe the procedures and standards to be used by the Department in assessing levels of lead in water in licensed day care centers, day care homes, and group day care homes constructed on or before January 1, 2000 that serve children under the age of 6. Such rules shall, at a minimum, include provisions regarding testing parameters, the notification of sampling results, training requirements for lead exposure and mitigation.

(b) After adoption of the rules required by subsection (a), and as part of an initial application or application for renewal of a license for day care centers, day care homes, and group day care homes, the Department shall require proof that the applicant has complied with all such rules.

Section 25. The Illinois Plumbing License Law is amended by adding Section 35.5 as follows: (225 ILCS 320/35.5 new)

Sec. 35.5. Lead in drinking water prevention.

(a) The General Assembly finds that lead has been detected in the drinking water of schools in this State. The General Assembly also finds that infants and young children may suffer adverse health effects and developmental delays as a result of exposure to even low levels of lead. The General Assembly further finds that it is in the best interests of the people of the State to require school districts or chief school administrators, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, to test for lead in drinking water in school buildings and provide written notification of the test results.

The purpose of this Section is to require (i) school districts or chief school administrators, or the designees of the school districts or chief school administrators, to test for lead with the goal of providing school building occupants with an adequate supply of safe, potable water; and (ii) school districts or chief school administrators, or the designees of the school districts or chief school administrators, to notify the parents and legal guardians of enrolled students of the sampling results from their respective school buildings.

(b) For the purposes of this Section:

"Community water system" has the meaning provided in 35 Ill. Adm. Code 611.101.

"School building" means any facility or portion thereof that was constructed on or before January 1, 2000 and may be occupied by more than 10 children or students, pre-kindergarten through grade 5, under the control of (a) a school district or (b) a public, private, charter, or nonpublic day or residential educational institution.

"Source of potable water" means the point at which non-bottled water that may be ingested by children or used for food preparation exits any tap, faucet, drinking fountain, wash basin in a classroom occupied by children or students under grade 1, or similar point of use; provided, however, that all (a) bathroom sinks and (b) wash basins used by janitorial staff are excluded from this definition.

(c) Each school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of each school district or chief school administrator, shall test each source of potable water in a school building for lead contamination as required in this subsection.

(1) Each school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of each school district or chief school administrator, shall (a) collect a first-draw 250 milliliter sample of water, (b) flush for 30 seconds, and (c) collect a second draw 250 milliliter sample from each source of potable water located at each corresponding school building; provided, however, that to the extent that multiple sources of potable water utilize the same drain, (i) the foregoing collection protocol is required for one such source of potable water, and (ii) only a first-draw 250 milliliter sample of water is required from the remaining such sources of potable water. The water corresponding to the first-draw 250 milliliter sample from each source of potable water shall have been standing in the plumbing pipes for at least 8 hours, but not more than 18 hours, without any flushing of the source of potable water before sample collection.

(2) Each school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of each school district or chief school administrator, shall submit or cause to be submitted (A) the samples to an Illinois Environmental Protection Agency-accredited laboratory for analysis for lead in accordance with the instructions supplied by an Illinois Environmental Protection Agency-accredited laboratory and (B) the written sampling results to the Department within 7 business days of receipt of the results.

- (3) If any of the samples taken in the school exceed 5 parts per billion, the school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, shall promptly provide an individual notification of the sampling results, via written or electronic communication, to the parents or legal guardians of all enrolled students and include the following information: the corresponding sampling location within the school building and the United States Environmental Protection Agency's website for information about lead in drinking water. If any of the samples taken at the school are at or below 5 parts per billion, notification may be made as provided in this paragraph or by posting on the school's website.
- (4) Sampling and analysis required under this Section shall be completed by the following applicable deadlines: for school buildings constructed prior to January 1, 1987, by December 31, 2017; and for school buildings constructed between January 2, 1987 and January 1, 2000, by December 31, 2018.
- (5) A school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, may seek a waiver of the requirements of this subsection from the Department, if (A) the school district or chief school administrator, or the designee of the school district or chief school administrator, collected at least one 250 milliliter or greater sample of water from each source of potable water that had been standing in the plumbing pipes for at least 6 hours and that was collected without flushing the source of potable water before collection, (B) an Illinois Environmental Protection Agency-accredited laboratory analyzed the samples, (C) test results were obtained prior to the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly, but after January 1, 2013, and (D) test results were submitted to the Department within 120 days of the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly.
- (6) The owner or operator of a community water system may agree to pay for the cost of the laboratory analysis of the samples required under this Section and may utilize the lead hazard cost recovery fee under Section 11-150.1-1 of the Illinois Municipal Code or other available funds to defray said costs.
- (7) Lead sampling results obtained shall not be used for purposes of determining compliance with the Board's rules that implement the national primary drinking water regulations for lead and copper.
- (d) By no later than June 30, 2019, the Department shall determine whether it is necessary and appropriate to protect public health to require schools constructed in whole or in part after January 1, 2000 to conduct testing for lead from sources of potable water, taking into account, among other relevant information, the results of testing conducted pursuant to this Section.
- (e) Within 90 days of the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly, the Department shall post on its website guidance on mitigation actions for lead in drinking water, and ongoing water management practices, in schools. In preparing such guidance, the Department may, in part, reference the United States Environmental Protection Agency's 3Ts for Reducing Lead in Drinking Water in Schools.

Section 30. The Environmental Protection Act is amended by changing Section 19.3 and by adding Section 17.11 as follows:

(415 ILCS 5/17.11 new)

Sec. 17.11. Lead in drinking water notifications and inventories.

(a) The purpose of this Section is to require the owners and operators of community water systems to (i) create a comprehensive lead service line inventory; and (ii) provide notice to occupants of potentially affected residences of construction or repair work on water mains, lead service lines, or water meters.

(b) For the purposes of this Section:

"Community water system" has the meaning provided in 35 Ill. Adm. Code 611.101.

"Potentially affected residence" means any residence where water service is or may be temporarily interrupted or shut off by or on behalf of an owner or operator of a community water system because construction or repair work is to be performed by or on behalf of the owner or operator of a community water system on or affecting a water main, service line, or water meter.

"Small system" has the meaning provided in 35 Ill. Adm. Code 611.350.

- (c) The owner or operator of each community water system in the State shall develop a water distribution system material inventory that shall be submitted in written or electronic form to the Agency on an annual basis commencing on April 15, 2018 and continuing on each April 15 thereafter until the water distribution system material inventory is completed. In addition to meeting the requirements for water distribution system material inventories that are mandated by the United States Environmental Protection Agency, each water distribution system material inventory shall identify:
- (1) the total number of service lines within or connected to the distribution system, including privately owned service lines;

- (2) the number of all known lead service lines within or connected to the distribution system, including privately owned lead service lines; and
- (3) the number of the lead service lines that were added to the inventory after the previous year's submission.

Nothing in this subsection shall be construed to require that service lines be unearthed.

- (d) Beginning on January 1, 2018, when conducting routine inspections of community water systems as required under this Act, the Agency may conduct a separate audit to identify progress that the community water system has made toward completing the water distribution system material inventories required under subsection (c) of this Section.
- (e) The owner or operator of the community water system shall provide notice of construction or repair work on a water main service line, or water meter in accordance with the following requirements:
- (1) At least 14 days prior to beginning planned work to repair or replace any water mains or lead service lines, the owner or operator of a community water system shall notify, through an individual written notice, each potentially affected residence of the planned work. In cases where a community water system must perform construction or repair work on an emergency basis or where such work is not scheduled at least 14 days prior to work taking place, the community water system shall notify each potentially affected residence as soon as reasonably possible. When work is to repair or replace a water meter, the notification shall be provided at the time the work is initiated.
  - (2) Such notification shall include, at a minimum:
  - (A) a warning that the work may result in sediment, possibly containing lead, in the residence's ater supply; and
- (B) information concerning best practices for preventing the consumption of any lead in drinking water, including a recommendation to flush water lines during and after the completion of the repair or replacement work and to clean faucet aerator screens; and
  - (C) information regarding the dangers of lead in young children.
- (3) To the extent that the owner or operator of a community water system serves a significant proportion of non-English speaking consumers, the notification must contain information in the appropriate languages regarding the importance of the notice, and it must contain a telephone number or address where a person served may contact the owner or operator of the community water system to obtain a translated copy of the notification or to request assistance in the appropriate language.
- (4) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in this Section, to the extent that (a) notification is required for the entire community served by a community water system, (b) notification is required for construction or repairs occurring on an emergency basis, or (c) the community water system is a small system, publication notification, through a local media, social media or other similar means, may be utilized in lieu of an individual written notification.
- (5) If an owner or operator is required to provide an individual written notification to a residence that is a multidwelling building, posting a written notification on the primary entrance way to the building shall be sufficient.
- (6) The notification requirements in this subsection (e) do not apply to work performed on water mains that are used to transmit treated water between community water systems and have no service connections.
- (7) The owner or operator of a community water system may seek a full or partial waiver of the requirements of this subsection from the Agency if (i) the community water system was originally constructed without lead, (ii) the residential structures were constructed under local building codes that categorically prohibited lead construction materials or the owner or operator of a community water system certifies that any residential structures requiring notification were constructed without lead, and (iii) no lead sediment is likely to be present within the community water system or residential structures. The owner or operator of a community water system may seek a time-limited or permanent waiver.
- (8) The owner and operator of a community water system shall not be required to comply with this subsection (e) to the extent that the corresponding water distribution system material inventory has been completed that demonstrates the water distribution system does not contain any lead.
  - (415 ILCS 5/19.3) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 1019.3)
  - Sec. 19.3. Water Revolving Fund.
- (a) There is hereby created within the State Treasury a Water Revolving Fund, consisting of 3 interest-bearing special programs to be known as the Water Pollution Control Loan Program, the Public Water Supply Loan Program, and the Loan Support Program, which shall be used and administered by the Agency.
- (b) The Water Pollution Control Loan Program shall be used and administered by the Agency to provide assistance for the following purposes:

- (1) to accept and retain funds from grant awards, appropriations, transfers, and payments of interest and principal;
- (2) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates and to provide additional subsidization, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants, to any eligible local government unit to finance the construction of treatments works, including storm water treatment systems that are treatment works, and projects that fulfill federal State Revolving Fund grant requirements for a green project reserve;
- (2.5) with respect to funds provided under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009:
  - (A) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates to any eligible local government unit and to provide additional subsidization to any eligible local government unit, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants;
  - (B) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates to any eligible local government unit to buy or refinance debt obligations for treatment works incurred on or after October 1, 2008; and
  - (C) to provide additional subsidization, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants for treatment works incurred on or after October 1, 2008:
- (3) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates and to provide additional subsidization, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants, to any eligible local government unit to buy or refinance debt obligations for costs incurred after March 7, 1985, for the construction of treatment works, including storm water treatment systems that are treatment works, and projects that fulfill federal State Revolving Fund grant requirements for a green project reserve;
- (3.5) to make loans, including, but not limited to, loans through a linked deposit program, at or below market interest rates for the implementation of a management program established under Section 319 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended;
- (4) to guarantee or purchase insurance for local obligations where such action would improve credit market access or reduce interest rates;
- (5) as a source of revenue or security for the payment of principal and interest on revenue or general obligation bonds issued by the State or any political subdivision or instrumentality thereof, if the proceeds of such bonds will be deposited in the Fund;
- (6) to finance the reasonable costs incurred by the Agency in the administration of the Fund;
  - (7) to transfer funds to the Public Water Supply Loan Program; and
- (8) notwithstanding any other provision of this subsection (b), to provide, in accordance with rules adopted under this Title, any other financial assistance that may be provided under Section 603 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act for any other projects or activities eligible for assistance under that Section or federal rules adopted to implement that Section.
- (c) The Loan Support Program shall be used and administered by the Agency for the following purposes:
  - (1) to accept and retain funds from grant awards and appropriations;
- (2) to finance the reasonable costs incurred by the Agency in the administration of the Fund, including activities under Title III of this Act, including the administration of the State construction grant program;
- (3) to transfer funds to the Water Pollution Control Loan Program and the Public Water Supply Loan Program;
  - (4) to accept and retain a portion of the loan repayments;
- (5) to finance the development of the low interest loan programs for water pollution control and public water supply projects;
- (6) to finance the reasonable costs incurred by the Agency to provide technical assistance for public water supplies; and
- (7) to finance the reasonable costs incurred by the Agency for public water system supervision programs, to administer or provide for technical assistance through source water protection programs, to develop and implement a capacity development strategy, to delineate and assess source water protection areas, and for an operator certification program in accordance with Section 1452 of the federal Safe Drinking Water Act.
- (d) The Public Water Supply Loan Program shall be used and administered by the Agency to provide assistance to local government units and privately owned community water supplies for public water supplies for the following public purposes:

- (1) to accept and retain funds from grant awards, appropriations, transfers, and payments of interest and principal;
- (2) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates and to provide additional subsidization, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants, to any eligible local government unit or to any eligible privately owned community water supply to finance the construction of water supplies and projects that fulfill federal State Revolving Fund grant requirements for a green project reserve;
- (2.5) with respect to funds provided under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009:
  - (A) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates to any eligible local government unit or to any eligible privately owned community water supply, and to provide additional subsidization to any eligible local government unit or to any eligible privately owned community water supply, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants;
  - (B) to buy or refinance the debt obligation of a local government unit for costs incurred on or after October 1, 2008; and
  - (C) to provide additional subsidization, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants for a local government unit for costs incurred on or after October 1, 2008;
- (3) to make direct loans at or below market interest rates and to provide additional subsidization, including, but not limited to, forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, and grants, to any eligible local government unit or to any eligible privately owned community water supply to buy or refinance debt obligations for costs incurred on or after July 17, 1997, for the construction of water supplies and projects that fulfill federal State Revolving Fund requirements for a green project reserve;
- (4) to guarantee local obligations where such action would improve credit market access or reduce interest rates;
- (5) as a source of revenue or security for the payment of principal and interest on revenue or general obligation bonds issued by the State or any political subdivision or instrumentality thereof, if the proceeds of such bonds will be deposited into the Fund; and
  - (6) to transfer funds to the Water Pollution Control Loan Program; and -
- (7) notwithstanding any other provision of this subsection (d), to provide to local government units and privately owned community water supplies any other financial assistance that may be provided under Section 1452 of the federal Safe Drinking Water Act for any expenditures eligible for assistance under that Section or federal rules adopted to implement that Section.
- (e) The Agency is designated as the administering agency of the Fund. The Agency shall submit to the Regional Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency an intended use plan which outlines the proposed use of funds available to the State. The Agency shall take all actions necessary to secure to the State the benefits of the federal Water Pollution Control Act and the federal Safe Drinking Water Act, as now or hereafter amended.
- (f) The Agency shall have the power to enter into intergovernmental agreements with the federal government or the State, or any instrumentality thereof, for purposes of capitalizing the Water Revolving Fund. Moneys on deposit in the Water Revolving Fund may be used for the creation of reserve funds or pledged funds that secure the obligations of repayment of loans made pursuant to this Section. For the purpose of obtaining capital for deposit into the Water Revolving Fund, the Agency may also enter into agreements with financial institutions and other persons for the purpose of selling loans and developing a secondary market for such loans. The Agency shall have the power to create and establish such reserve funds and accounts as may be necessary or desirable to accomplish its purposes under this subsection and to allocate its available moneys into such funds and accounts. Investment earnings on moneys held in the Water Revolving Fund, including any reserve fund or pledged fund, shall be deposited into the Water Revolving Fund.

(Source: P.A. 98-782, eff. 7-23-14; 99-187, eff. 7-29-15.)

Section 35. The Local Governmental and Governmental Employees Tort Immunity Act is amended by changing Section 9-107 as follows:

(745 ILCS 10/9-107) (from Ch. 85, par. 9-107)

Sec. 9-107. Policy; tax levy.

(a) The General Assembly finds that the purpose of this Section is to provide an extraordinary tax for funding expenses relating to (i) tort liability, (ii) liability relating to actions brought under the federal Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 or the Environmental

Protection Act, but only until December 31, 2010, (iii) insurance, and (iv) risk management programs. Thus, the tax has been excluded from various limitations otherwise applicable to tax levies. Notwithstanding the extraordinary nature of the tax authorized by this Section, however, it has become apparent that some units of local government are using the tax revenue to fund expenses more properly paid from general operating funds. These uses of the revenue are inconsistent with the limited purpose of the tax authorization.

Therefore, the General Assembly declares, as a matter of policy, that (i) the use of the tax revenue authorized by this Section for purposes not expressly authorized under this Act is improper and (ii) the provisions of this Section shall be strictly construed consistent with this declaration and the Act's express purposes.

(b) A local public entity may annually levy or have levied on its behalf taxes upon all taxable property within its territory at a rate that will produce a sum that will be sufficient to: (i) pay the cost of insurance, individual or joint self-insurance (including reserves thereon), including all operating and administrative costs and expenses directly associated therewith, claims services and risk management directly attributable to loss prevention and loss reduction, legal services directly attributable to the insurance, self-insurance, or joint self-insurance program, and educational, inspectional, and supervisory services directly relating to loss prevention and loss reduction, participation in a reciprocal insurer as provided in Sections 72, 76, and 81 of the Illinois Insurance Code, or participation in a reciprocal insurer, all as provided in settlements or judgments under Section 9-102, including all costs and reserves directly attributable to being a member of an insurance pool, under Section 9-103; (ii) pay the costs of and principal and interest on bonds issued under Section 9-105; (iii) pay judgments and settlements under Section 9-104 of this Act; (iv) discharge obligations under Section 34-18.1 of the School Code or make transfers under Section 17-2A of the School <u>Code</u>; (v) pay judgments and settlements under the federal Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 and the Environmental Protection Act, but only until December 31, 2010; (vi) pay the costs authorized by the Metro-East Sanitary District Act of 1974 as provided in subsection (a) of Section 5-1 of that Act (70 ILCS 2905/5-1); and (vii) pay the cost of risk management programs. Provided it complies with any other applicable statutory requirements, the local public entity may self-insure and establish reserves for expected losses for any property damage or for any liability or loss for which the local public entity is authorized to levy or have levied on its behalf taxes for the purchase of insurance or the payment of judgments or settlements under this Section. The decision of the board to establish a reserve shall be based on reasonable actuarial or insurance underwriting evidence and subject to the limits and reporting provisions in Section 9-103.

If a school district was a member of a joint-self-health-insurance cooperative that had more liability in outstanding claims than revenue to pay those claims, the school board of that district may by resolution make a one-time transfer from any fund in which tort immunity moneys are maintained to the fund or funds from which payments to a joint-self-health-insurance cooperative can be or have been made of an amount not to exceed the amount of the liability claim that the school district owes to the joint-self-health-insurance cooperative or that the school district paid within the 2 years immediately preceding the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly.

Funds raised pursuant to this Section shall, unless lawfully transferred as provided in Section 17-2A of the School Code, only be used for the purposes specified in this Act, including protection against and reduction of any liability or loss described hereinabove and under Federal or State common or statutory law, the Workers' Compensation Act, the Workers' Occupational Diseases Act and the Unemployment Insurance Act. Funds raised pursuant to this Section may be invested in any manner in which other funds of local public entities may be invested under Section 2 of the Public Funds Investment Act. Interest on such funds shall be used only for purposes for which the funds can be used or, if surplus, must be used for abatement of property taxes levied by the local taxing entity.

A local public entity may enter into intergovernmental contracts with a term of not to exceed 12 years for the provision of joint self-insurance which contracts may include an obligation to pay a proportional share of a general obligation or revenue bond or other debt instrument issued by a local public entity which is a party to the intergovernmental contract and is authorized by the terms of the contract to issue the bond or other debt instrument. Funds due under such contracts shall not be considered debt under any constitutional or statutory limitation and the local public entity may levy or have levied on its behalf taxes to pay for its proportional share under the contract. Funds raised pursuant to intergovernmental contracts for the provision of joint self-insurance may only be used for the payment of any cost, liability or loss against which a local public entity may protect itself or self-insure pursuant to Section 9-103 or for the payment of which such entity may levy a tax pursuant to this Section, including tort judgments or settlements, costs associated with the issuance, retirement or refinancing of the bonds or other debt instruments, the repayment of the principal or interest of the bonds or other debt instruments, the costs of

the administration of the joint self-insurance fund, consultant, and risk care management programs or the costs of insurance. Any surplus returned to the local public entity under the terms of the intergovernmental contract shall be used only for purposes set forth in subsection (a) of Section 9-103 and Section 9-107 or for abatement of property taxes levied by the local taxing entity.

Any tax levied under this Section shall be levied and collected in like manner with the general taxes of the entity and shall be exclusive of and in addition to the amount of tax that entity is now or may hereafter be authorized to levy for general purposes under any statute which may limit the amount of tax which that entity may levy for general purposes. The county clerk of the county in which any part of the territory of the local taxing entity is located, in reducing tax levies under the provisions of any Act concerning the levy and extension of taxes, shall not consider any tax provided for by this Section as a part of the general tax levy for the purposes of the entity nor include such tax within any limitation of the percent of the assessed valuation upon which taxes are required to be extended for such entity.

With respect to taxes levied under this Section, either before, on, or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1994:

- (1) Those taxes are excepted from and shall not be included within the rate limitation imposed by law on taxes levied for general corporate purposes by the local public entity authorized to levy a tax under this Section.
- (2) Those taxes that a local public entity has levied in reliance on this Section and that are excepted under paragraph (1) from the rate limitation imposed by law on taxes levied for general corporate purposes by the local public entity are not invalid because of any provision of the law authorizing the local public entity's tax levy for general corporate purposes that may be construed or may have been construed to restrict or limit those taxes levied, and those taxes are hereby validated. This validation of taxes levied applies to all cases pending on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1994.
- (3) Paragraphs (1) and (2) do not apply to a hospital organized under Article 170 or 175 of the Township Code, under the Town Hospital Act, or under the Township Non-Sectarian Hospital Act and do not give any authority to levy taxes on behalf of such a hospital in excess of the rate limitation imposed by law on taxes levied for general corporate purposes. A hospital organized under Article 170 or 175 of the Township Code, under the Town Hospital Act, or under the Township Non-Sectarian Hospital Act is not prohibited from levying taxes in support of tort liability bonds if the taxes do not cause the hospital's aggregate tax rate from exceeding the rate limitation imposed by law on taxes levied for general corporate purposes.

Revenues derived from such tax shall be paid to the treasurer of the local taxing entity as collected and used for the purposes of this Section and of Section 9-102, 9-103, 9-104 or 9-105, as the case may be. If payments on account of such taxes are insufficient during any year to meet such purposes, the entity may issue tax anticipation warrants against the current tax levy in the manner provided by statute. (Source: P.A. 95-244, eff. 8-17-07; 95-723, eff. 6-23-08.)

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

#### AMENDMENT NO. 4 TO SENATE BILL 550

AMENDMENT NO. <u>4</u>. Amend Senate Bill 550, AS AMENDED, with reference to page and line numbers of House Amendment No. 3, on page 17, line 17, after "shall", by inserting "<u>, at a minimum</u>,".

Under the rules, the foregoing **Senate Bill No. 550**, with House Amendments numbered 2, 3 and 4, was referred to the Secretary's Desk.

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

Mr. President  $\,$  -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 2051

A bill for AN ACT concerning appropriations.

Together with the following amendments which are attached, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

House Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 2051

House Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 2051

Passed the House, as amended, January 9, 2017.

#### TIMOTHY D. MAPES. Clerk of the House

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1 SENATE BILL 2051

AMENDMENT NO.  $\underline{1}$ . Amend Senate Bill 2051, by deleting everything after the enacting clause and inserting the following:

"Section 5. The amount of \$2, or so much of that amount as may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue Fund to the Illinois Student Assistance Commission for its ordinary and contingent expenses.

Section 999. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1, 2016."

#### **AMENDMENT NO. 2 SENATE BILL 2051**

AMENDMENT NO. 2. Amend Senate Bill 2051, by deleting everything after the enacting clause and inserting the following:

#### "ARTICLE 1

(P.A.99-0524, Art. 147, Sec. 15 rep.)

Section 5. Section 15 of Article 147 of Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is repealed.

(P.A.99-0524, Art. 148, Sec. 35 rep.)

Section 10. Section 35 of Article 148 of Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is repealed.

(P.A.99-0524, Art. 149, Sec. 15 rep.)

Section 15. Section 15 of Article 149 of Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is repealed.

(P.A.99-0524, Art. 152, Sec. 55 rep.)

Section 20. Section 55 of Article 152 of Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is repealed.

Section 25. "AN ACT concerning appropriations", Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is amended by changing Section 5 of Article 155 as follows:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 155, Sec. 5)

Sec. 5. The amount of \$13,133,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the State Pensions Fund to the Office of the State Treasurer to meet its operational expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017, including the administration of Unclaimed Property, the Secure Choice Savings Program Act and the Achieving a Better Life Experience (ABLE) account program.

Section 30. "AN ACT concerning appropriations", Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is amended by changing Section 1 of Article 997 as follows:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 997, Sec. 1)

Sec. 1. Appropriations in Article 174 through  $\underline{214}$   $\underline{223}$ \_are for costs incurred through December 31 of 2016.

#### ARTICLE 2

Section 5. "AN ACT concerning appropriations", Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is amended by adding Sections 12, 13, and 14 to Article 147 as follows:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 147, Sec. 12 new)

Sec. 12. The sum of \$191,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated to the Illinois Student Assistance Commission from the Education Assistance Fund for grant awards to students eligible for the Monetary Award Program, as provided by law, and for agency administrative and operational costs not to exceed 2 percent of the total appropriation in this Section.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 147, Sec. 13 new)

Sec. 13. The sum of \$3,249,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Illinois Student Assistance Commission to the Golden Apple Scholars of Illinois program, as provided by law.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 147, Sec. 14 new)

Sec. 14. The following named sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Illinois Student Assistance Commission for the following purposes:

#### GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

For the payment of scholarships to students who are children of policemen or firemen killed in the line of duty, or who are dependents of correctional officers

killed or permanently disabled in the line

Total

Section 10. "AN ACT concerning appropriations", Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is amended by adding Sections 27, 31, 32, 33, and 34 to Article 148 as follows:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 148, Sec. 27 new)

Sec. 27. The following amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated to the Illinois Community College Board for distribution of base operating and equalization grants to qualifying public community colleges and the City Colleges of Chicago for educational related expenses. Allocations shall be made using the fiscal year 2016 data:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 148, Sec. 31 new)

Sec. 31. The sum of \$3,397,200, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Illinois Community College Board for the following purposes:

#### GRANTS

For the payment of grants to the Alternative

For the payment of grants to other

providers for educational purposes or

bridge programs 1,989,700

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 148, Sec. 32 new)

Sec. 32. The sum of \$30,100, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Illinois Community College Board for awarding scholarships to qualifying graduates of the Lincoln's Challenge Program.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 148, Sec. 33 new)

Sec. 33. The sum of \$244,400, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Illinois Community College Board for costs associated with the development, support or administration of the Illinois Longitudinal Data System.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 148, Sec. 34 new)

Sec. 34. The sum of \$629,700, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Illinois Community College Board to reimburse colleges for tuition and fees for costs associated with the Illinois Veterans' Grant.

Section 15. "AN ACT concerning appropriations", Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is amended by adding Sections 6, 7, 8, and 9 to Article 149 as follows:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 149, Sec. 6 new)

Sec. 6. The following named sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Illinois Board of Education for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (S.T.E.M.) diversity initiatives to enhance S.T.E.M. programs for students from underrepresented groups:

Chicago Area Health and Medical

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 149, Sec. 7 new)

Sec. 7. The sum of \$586,500, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Illinois Board of Higher Education for a grant to the Board of Trustees of the University Center of Lake County for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Center.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 149, Sec. 8 new)

Sec. 8. The sum of \$728,300, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Illinois Board of Higher Education for the administration and distribution of grants authorized by the Diversifying Higher Education Faculty in Illinois Program.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 149, Sec. 9 new)

Sec. 9. The sum of \$733,200, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Illinois Board of Higher Education for the Grow Your Own Teachers Program.

Section 20. "AN ACT concerning appropriations", Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is amended by adding Section 10 to Article 150 as follows:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 150, Sec. 10 new)

Sec. 10. The amount of \$2,381,200, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy to meet its operational expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017.

Section 25. "AN ACT concerning appropriations", Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is amended by changing Sections 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, and 50 of Article 152 and by adding Section 47 to Article 152 as follows:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 152, Sec. 5)

Sec. 5. The amount of \$31,897,400 \$26,222,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Board of Trustees of Eastern Illinois University to meet its operational expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 152, Sec. 10)

Sec. 10. The amount of  $\underline{\$47,829,300}$   $\underline{\$38,291,000}$ , or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Board of Trustees of Illinois State University to meet its operational expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 152, Sec. 15)

Sec. 15. The amount of  $\underline{\$60,322,800}$   $\underline{\$48,293,000}$ , or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Board of Trustees of Northern Illinois University to meet its operational expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 152, Sec. 20)

Sec. 20. The amount of \$132,509,900 \$106,156,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Board of Trustees of Southern Illinois University to meet its operational expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 152, Sec. 25)

Sec. 25. The amount of \$17,387,800 \$12,590,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Board of Trustees of Chicago State University to meet its operational expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 152, Sec. 30)

Sec. 30. The amount of \$15,934,700 \$12,757,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Board of Trustees of Governors State University to meet its operational expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 152, Sec. 35)

Sec. 35. The amount of  $\underline{\$24,434,900}$   $\underline{\$19,562,000}$ , or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Board of Trustees of Northeastern Illinois University to meet its operational expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 152, Sec. 40)

Sec. 40. The amount of \$434,672,800 \$349,204,700, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois to meet its operational expenses, costs and expenses related to or in support of the Prairie Research Institute, and operating costs and expenses related to or in support of the University of Illinois Hospital for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 152, Sec. 45)

Sec. 45. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes hereinafter named, are appropriated to the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois to meet ordinary and contingent expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30,  $\underline{2017}$   $\underline{2016}$ :

Payable from the Education Assistance Fund:

For costs associated with the School of

Labor and Employment Relations:

 For degree programs
 641,600

 For certificate programs
 752,700

 Total
 \$1,394,300

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 152, Sec. 47 new)

Sec. 47. The amount of \$367,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois for costs associated with the Hispanic Center for Excellence at the Chicago campus.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 152, Sec. 50)

Sec. 50. The amount of \$38.182,900 \$31,389,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Education Assistance Fund to the Board of Trustees of Western Illinois University to meet its operational expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017.

#### ARTICLE 3

Section 5. "AN ACT concerning appropriations", Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is amended by changing Sections 5, 10, 15, and 20 of Article 216 and by adding Section 25 to Article 216 as follows:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 216, Sec. 5)

Sec. 5. The sum of \$10,309,600 \$7,809,300 or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Commitment to Human Services Fund to the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority for administrative costs, awards and grants for the Adult Redeploy and Diversion programs.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 216, Sec. 10)

Sec. 10. The amount of  $\frac{\$6,102,300}{\$4,479,400}$ , or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Commitment to Human Services Fund to Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority for grants and administrative expenses related to Operation CeaseFire.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 216, Sec. 15)

Sec. 15. The amount of \$603,500 \$443,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Commitment to Human Services Fund to the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority for all costs associated with Bullying Prevention.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 216, Sec. 20)

Sec. 20. The amount of  $\frac{$1,558,000}{$1,143,700}$ , or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Commitment to Human Services Fund to the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority for grants and administrative expenses for Franklin County Juvenile Detention Center for Methamphetamine Pilot Program.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 216, Sec. 25 new)

Sec. 25. The sum of \$434,800, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Commitment to Human Services Fund to the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority for the purpose of awarding grants, contracts, administrative expenses and all related costs for the Safe From the Start Program.

Section 10. "AN ACT concerning appropriations", Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is amended by changing Sections 5, 10, 15, 20, and 25 of Article 218 as follows:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 218, Sec. 5)

Sec. 5. 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 Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For expenses of Sudden Infant Death Syndrome

(SIDS) Program 324,600 <del>238,300</del> (P.A. 99-0524, Art. 218, Sec. 10)

Sec. 10. 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 Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For Expenses for the University of

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 218, Sec. 15)

Sec. 15. 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 Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For Expenses of AIDS/HIV Education,

Drugs, Services, Counseling, Testing,

Outreach to Minority populations, costs

associated with correctional facilities

Referral and Partner Notification

(CTRPN), and Patient and Worker

Notification pursuant to Public

For grants and other expenses for

the prevention and treatment of

HIV/AIDS and the creation of an HIV/AIDS

service delivery system to reduce the

disparity of HIV infection and AIDS cases

between African-Americans and other

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 218, Sec. 20)

Sec. 20. 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 Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For Expenses for Breast and Cervical

Cancer Screenings, minority outreach,

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 218, Sec. 25)

Sec. 25. 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 Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For Expenses associated with School Health

Centers <u>1,529,000</u> <del>1,122,300</del>

Section 15. "AN ACT concerning appropriations", Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is amended by changing Sections 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, and 55 of Article 220 as follows:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 220, Sec. 5)

Sec. 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 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 the Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For Funeral and Burial Expenses under

Articles III, IV, and V, including

For costs associated with the

For Grants and Administrative

Expenses associated with Immigrant

Integration Services and for other

Immigrant Services pursuant to 305 ILCS

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 220, Sec. 10)

Sec. 10. The following named amount, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated to the Department of Human Services:

#### HOME SERVICES PROGRAM

#### GRANTS-IN-AID

Payable from the Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For all costs and administrative expenses

associated with Community Reintegration

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 220, Sec. 15)

Sec. 15. 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

Payable from the Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For all costs and administrative expenses for Community Service Programs for Persons with Mental Illness; Child and Adolescent Mental Health Programs; Community Hospital Inpatient & Psych Services: Evaluation Determination. Disposition, & Assessment; Jail Data Link Project; Juvenile Justice Trauma Program; Regions Special Consumer Supports & Mental Health Services; Rural Behavioral Health Access; Supported Residential; the Living Room; Psychiatric Leadership Grants: and all other Services to For costs and administrative expenses for Evaluation Determination, Disposition, & Assessment 543,400 For costs associated with the Purchase and Disbursement of Psychotropic Medications for Mentally Ill Clients 

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 220, Sec. 20)
Sec. 20. 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:

Health Balancing Incentive Programs 5,816,000 3,586,600

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

Payable from the Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For a grant to the Autism Program for an

For the costs associated with Mental

Autism Diagnosis Education Program

For Dental Grants for People

Sec. 25. 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

Payable from the Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For costs associated with Community

Based Addiction Treatment

For costs associated with Addiction

Treatment Services for Special

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 220, Sec. 30)

Sec. 30. The sum of \$664,100 \$487,500, or as much thereof is necessary is appropriated from the Commitment to Human Services Fund to the Department of Human Services for a pilot program to study uses and effects of medication assisted treatments for addiction and for the prevention of relapse to opioid dependence in publicly-funded treatment program.

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 220, Sec. 35)

Sec. 35. 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 the Commitment to Human Services Fund:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 220, Sec. 40)

Sec. 40. 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**

Payable from the Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For all costs associated with the Rehabilitation

Services Balancing Incentive

For Grants to Independent Living

Sec. 45. 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 the Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For Expenses for the Development and

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 220, Sec. 50)

Sec. 50. 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 the Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For Emergency Food Program,

including Operating and Administrative

For a grant to Children's Place for costs

associated with specialized child care

For Grants and administrative expenses

for Programs to Reduce

Infant Mortality, provide

Case Management and Outreach

Services, and for the

Intensive Prenatal Performance

For Costs Associated with

For Grants for Community Services.

Including operating and administrative

For Grants and Administrative Expenses

of the Westside Health Authority Crisis

For Grants and Administrative Expenses	
of Addiction Prevention and related	
services	<u>1,367,500</u> <del>1,003,800</del>
For Grants and Administrative Expenses	
of Supportive Housing Services	<u>11,797,400</u> <del>6,964,600</del>
For Grants and Administrative Expenses	
of the Comprehensive Community-Based	
Services to Youth	
For Grants and Administrative Expenses	
of Redeploy Illinois	<u>6,488,600</u> 4 <del>,763,000</del>
For Grants and Administrative Expenses	
for Homeless Youth Services	<u>6,043,600</u> 4,4 <del>36,300</del>
For grants to provide Assistance to Sexual	
Assault Victims and for Sexual Assault	
Prevention Activities	<u>8,181,600</u> 6,005,700
For Costs Associated with the	
Domestic Violence Shelters and	
Services Program	
For Grants and Administrative Expenses	
for After School Youth Support	
Programs	<u>17,917,400</u> <u>13,152,300</u>
For Grants and Administrative Expenses	
Related to the Healthy Families	
Program	<u>12,890,700</u> 9 <del>,462,500</del>
	<u>9,125,300</u> 6,698,500
(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 220, Sec. 55)	

Sec. 55. The sum of \$17,202,900 \$12,187,500, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Commitment to Human Services Fund to the Department of Human Services for grants to community providers and local governments for youth employment programs.

Section 20. "AN ACT concerning appropriations", Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is amended by changing Section 5 of Article 221 as follows:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 221, Sec. 5)

Sec. 5. The following named amount, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively is appropriated to the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity:

#### OFFICE OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

#### **GRANTS**

Payable from the Commitment to Human Services Fund:

For a grant to the Illinois African

American Family Commission for the

costs associated with assisting

State agencies in developing programs,

services, public policies and research

strategies that will expand and enhance

the social and economic well-being of

For grants, contracts, and

administrative expenses associated

with the Northeast DuPage

Section 25. "AN ACT concerning appropriations", Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is amended by changing Section 5 of Article 222 as follows:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 222, Sec. 5)

Sec. 5. The sum of \$996,200 \$731,300, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Commitment to Human Services Fund to the Department of Transportation for a grant to the Illinois Latino Family Commission for the costs associated with the assisting State agencies in developing programs, services, public policies and research strategies that will expand and enhance the social and economic well-being of Latino children and families.

Section 30. "AN ACT concerning appropriations", Public Act 99-0524, approved June 30, 2016, is amended by changing Sections 5, 10, and 15 of Article 223 as follows:

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 223, Sec. 5)

(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 223, Sec. 10)

Sec. 5. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are appropriated for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department on Aging:

### DISTRIBUTIVE ITEMS

#### OPERATIONS

Payable from the Commitment to Human Services Fund:
For Expenses of the Senior
Employment Specialist Program
For Expenses of the Grandparents
Raising Grandchildren Program398,400 292,500
For Specialized Training Program
For Expenses of the Illinois
Department on Aging for Monitoring
and Support Services
For Expenses of the Illinois Council
on Aging <u>34,600</u> <u>25,400</u>
For Administrative Expenses
of the Senior Meal Program
For Benefits, Eligibility,
Assistance and Monitoring
For the expenses of the Senior Helpline
Total \$2,067,000 \$1,857,000

Sec. 10. The following named amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary, respectively, are appropriated from the Commitment to Human Services Fund for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department on Aging:

# DISTRIBUTIVE ITEMS

GRANTS-IN-AID	
For Grants for Retired Senior Volunteer	
Program	<u>732,900</u> <del>538,000</del>
For Planning and Service Grants	
to Area Agencies on Aging	<u>10,256,800</u> <del>7,529,000</del>
For Grants for the Foster Grandparent	
Program	320,700 235,400
For Expenses to the Area	
Agencies on Aging for Long-Term	
Care Systems Development	359,000 267,000
For the Ombudsman Program	1,724,500 <del>1,285,100</del>
For Grants for Community	
Based Services for equal	
distribution to each of the	
13 Area Agencies on Aging	
Total	\$14,716,300 \$10,911,900
(P.A. 99-0524, Art. 223, Sec. 15)	<del></del>

Sec. 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:

#### DISTRIBUTIVE ITEMS

#### COMMUNITY CARE

Payable from Commitment to Human Services Fund: For grants and for administrative

expenses associated with the purchase

of services covered by the

Community Care Program, including

 prior year costs
 409,009,700
 309,374,000

 For the Balancing Incentive Program
 6,263,600
 4,947,800

For grants and for administrative

expenses associated with

Comprehensive Case Coordination,

#### ARTICLE 99

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

Under the rules, the foregoing **Senate Bill No. 2051**, with House Amendments numbered 1 and 2, was referred to the Secretary's Desk.

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

#### SENATE BILL NO. 2872

A bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

Together with the following amendment which is attached, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

House Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 2872

Passed the House, as amended, January 9, 2017.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO SENATE BILL 2872

AMENDMENT NO. 2\_. Amend Senate Bill 2872 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Illinois Criminal Justice Information Act is amended by changing Section 7 as follows: (20 ILCS 3930/7) (from Ch. 38, par. 210-7)

- Sec. 7. Powers and Duties. The Authority shall have the following powers, duties and responsibilities:
- (a) To develop and operate comprehensive information systems for the improvement and coordination of all aspects of law enforcement, prosecution and corrections;
- (b) To define, develop, evaluate and correlate State and local programs and projects associated with the improvement of law enforcement and the administration of criminal justice;
- (c) To act as a central repository and clearing house for federal, state and local research studies, plans, projects, proposals and other information relating to all aspects of criminal justice system improvement and to encourage educational programs for citizen support of State and local efforts to make such improvements;
  - (d) To undertake research studies to aid in accomplishing its purposes;
- (e) To monitor the operation of existing criminal justice information systems in order to protect the constitutional rights and privacy of individuals about whom criminal history record information has been collected;
- (f) To provide an effective administrative forum for the protection of the rights of individuals concerning criminal history record information;
- (g) To issue regulations, guidelines and procedures which ensure the privacy and security of criminal history record information consistent with State and federal laws;
- (h) To act as the sole administrative appeal body in the State of Illinois to conduct hearings and make final determinations concerning individual challenges to the completeness and accuracy of criminal history record information;
- (i) To act as the sole, official, criminal justice body in the State of Illinois to conduct annual and periodic audits of the procedures, policies, and practices of the State central repositories for criminal history record information to verify compliance with federal and state laws and regulations governing such information;
  - (j) To advise the Authority's Statistical Analysis Center;
- (k) To apply for, receive, establish priorities for, allocate, disburse and spend grants of funds that are made available by and received on or after January 1, 1983 from private sources or from the United States pursuant to the federal Crime Control Act of 1973, as amended, and similar federal legislation, and to enter into agreements with the United States government to further the purposes of this Act, or as may be required as a condition of obtaining federal funds;
- (l) To receive, expend and account for such funds of the State of Illinois as may be made available to further the purposes of this Act;
  - (m) To enter into contracts and to cooperate with units of general local government or

combinations of such units, State agencies, and criminal justice system agencies of other states for the purpose of carrying out the duties of the Authority imposed by this Act or by the federal Crime Control Act of 1973, as amended;

- (n) To enter into contracts and cooperate with units of general local government outside of Illinois, other states' agencies, and private organizations outside of Illinois to provide computer software or design that has been developed for the Illinois criminal justice system, or to participate in the cooperative development or design of new software or systems to be used by the Illinois criminal justice system. Revenues received as a result of such arrangements shall be deposited in the Criminal Justice Information Systems Trust Fund; -
- (o) To establish general policies concerning criminal justice information systems and to promulgate such rules, regulations and procedures as are necessary to the operation of the Authority and to the uniform consideration of appeals and audits;
- (p) To advise and to make recommendations to the Governor and the General Assembly on policies relating to criminal justice information systems;
- (q) To direct all other agencies under the jurisdiction of the Governor to provide whatever assistance and information the Authority may lawfully require to carry out its functions;
- (r) To exercise any other powers that are reasonable and necessary to fulfill the responsibilities of the Authority under this Act and to comply with the requirements of applicable federal law or regulation;
- (s) To exercise the rights, powers and duties which have been vested in the Authority by the "Illinois Uniform Conviction Information Act", enacted by the 85th General Assembly, as hereafter amended:
- (t) To exercise the rights, powers and duties which have been vested in the Authority by the Illinois Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Act;
- (u) To exercise the rights, powers, and duties vested in the Authority by the Illinois Public Safety Agency Network Act; and
- (v) To provide technical assistance in the form of training to local governmental entities within Illinois requesting such assistance for the purposes of procuring grants for gang intervention and gang prevention programs or other criminal justice programs from the United States Department of Justice; and -
- (w) To conduct strategic planning and provide technical assistance to implement comprehensive trauma recovery services for violent crime victims in underserved communities with high-levels of violent crime, with the goal of providing a safe, community-based, culturally competent environment in which to access services necessary to facilitate recovery from the effects of chronic and repeat exposure to trauma. Services may include, but are not limited to, behavioral health treatment, financial recovery, family support and relocation assistance, and support in navigating the legal system.

The requirement for reporting to the General Assembly shall be satisfied by filing copies of the report with the Speaker, the Minority Leader and the Clerk of the House of Representatives and the President, the Minority Leader and the Secretary of the Senate and the Legislative Research Unit, as required by Section 3.1 of "An Act to revise the law in relation to the General Assembly", approved February 25, 1874, as amended, and filing such additional copies with the State Government Report Distribution Center for the General Assembly as is required under paragraph (t) of Section 7 of the State Library Act. (Source: P.A. 97-435, eff. 1-1-12.)

Section 10. The Unified Code of Corrections is amended by changing Sections 3-6-3, 5-4-1, and 5-5-3 as follows:

(730 ILCS 5/3-6-3) (from Ch. 38, par. 1003-6-3)

Sec. 3-6-3. Rules and regulations for sentence credit.

- (a)(1) The Department of Corrections shall prescribe rules and regulations for awarding and revoking sentence credit for persons committed to the Department which shall be subject to review by the Prisoner Review Board.
  - (1.5) As otherwise provided by law, sentence credit may be awarded for the following:
  - (A) successful completion of programming while in custody of the Department or while in custody prior to sentencing;
    - (B) compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department; or
    - (C) service to the institution, service to a community, or service to the State.
- (2) The rules and regulations on sentence credit shall provide, with respect to offenses listed in clause (i), (ii), or (iii) of this paragraph (2) committed on or after June 19, 1998 or with respect to the offense listed in clause (iv) of this paragraph (2) committed on or after June 23, 2005 (the effective date of Public

Act 94-71) or with respect to offense listed in clause (vi) committed on or after June 1, 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 95-625) or with respect to the offense of being an armed habitual criminal committed on or after August 2, 2005 (the effective date of Public Act 94-398) or with respect to the offenses listed in clause (v) of this paragraph (2) committed on or after August 13, 2007 (the effective date of Public Act 95-134) or with respect to the offense of aggravated domestic battery committed on or after July 23, 2010 (the effective date of Public Act 96-1224) or with respect to the offense of attempt to commit terrorism committed on or after January 1, 2013 (the effective date of Public Act 97-990), the following:

- (i) that a prisoner who is serving a term of imprisonment for first degree murder or for the offense of terrorism shall receive no sentence credit and shall serve the entire sentence imposed by the court:
- (ii) that a prisoner serving a sentence for attempt to commit terrorism, attempt to commit first degree murder, solicitation of murder, solicitation of murder for hire, intentional homicide of an unborn child, predatory criminal sexual assault of a child, aggravated criminal sexual assault, criminal sexual assault, aggravated kidnapping, aggravated battery with a firearm as described in Section 12-4.2 or subdivision (e)(1), (e)(2), (e)(3), or (e)(4) of Section 12-3.05, heinous battery as described in Section 12-4.1 or subdivision (a)(2) of Section 12-3.05, being an armed habitual criminal, aggravated battery of a senior citizen as described in Section 12-4.6 or subdivision (a)(4) of Section 12-3.05, or aggravated battery of a child as described in Section 12-4.3 or subdivision (b)(1) of Section 12-3.05 shall receive no more than 4.5 days of sentence credit for each month of his or her sentence of imprisonment;
- (iii) that a prisoner serving a sentence for home invasion, armed robbery, aggravated vehicular hijacking, aggravated discharge of a firearm, or armed violence with a category I weapon or category II weapon, when the court has made and entered a finding, pursuant to subsection (c-1) of Section 5-4-1 of this Code, that the conduct leading to conviction for the enumerated offense resulted in great bodily harm to a victim, shall receive no more than 4.5 days of sentence credit for each month of his or her sentence of imprisonment;
- (iv) that a prisoner serving a sentence for aggravated discharge of a firearm, whether or not the conduct leading to conviction for the offense resulted in great bodily harm to the victim, shall receive no more than 4.5 days of sentence credit for each month of his or her sentence of imprisonment;
- (v) that a person serving a sentence for gunrunning, narcotics racketeering, controlled substance trafficking, methamphetamine trafficking, drug-induced homicide, aggravated methamphetamine-related child endangerment, money laundering pursuant to clause (c) (4) or (5) of Section 29B-1 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012, or a Class X felony conviction for delivery of a controlled substance, possession of a controlled substance with intent to manufacture or deliver, calculated criminal drug conspiracy, criminal drug conspiracy, street gang criminal drug conspiracy, participation in methamphetamine manufacturing, delivery of methamphetamine, possession with intent to deliver methamphetamine, aggravated delivery of methamphetamine, aggravated possession with intent to deliver methamphetamine, methamphetamine conspiracy when the substance containing the controlled substance or methamphetamine is 100 grams or more shall receive no more than 7.5 days sentence credit for each month of his or her sentence of imprisonment;
- (vi) that a prisoner serving a sentence for a second or subsequent offense of luring a minor shall receive no more than 4.5 days of sentence credit for each month of his or her sentence of imprisonment; and
- (vii) that a prisoner serving a sentence for aggravated domestic battery shall receive no more than 4.5 days of sentence credit for each month of his or her sentence of imprisonment.
- (2.1) For all offenses, other than those enumerated in subdivision (a)(2)(i), (ii), or (iii) committed on or after June 19, 1998 or subdivision (a)(2)(iv) committed on or after June 23, 2005 (the effective date of Public Act 94-71) or subdivision (a)(2)(v) committed on or after August 13, 2007 (the effective date of Public Act 95-134) or subdivision (a)(2)(vi) committed on or after June 1, 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 95-625) or subdivision (a)(2)(vii) committed on or after Jule 23, 2010 (the effective date of Public Act 96-1224), and other than the offense of aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol, other drug or drugs, or intoxicating compound or compounds, or any combination thereof as defined in subparagraph (F) of paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of Section 11-501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, and other than the offense of aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol, other drug or drugs, or intoxicating compound or compounds, or any combination thereof as defined in subparagraph (C) of paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of Section 11-501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code committed on or after January 1, 2011 (the effective date of Public Act 96-1230), the rules and regulations shall provide that a prisoner who is serving a term of imprisonment shall receive one day of sentence credit for each day of

his or her sentence of imprisonment or recommitment under Section 3-3-9. Each day of sentence credit shall reduce by one day the prisoner's period of imprisonment or recommitment under Section 3-3-9.

- (2.2) A prisoner serving a term of natural life imprisonment or a prisoner who has been sentenced to death shall receive no sentence credit.
- (2.3) The rules and regulations on sentence credit shall provide that a prisoner who is serving a sentence for aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol, other drug or drugs, or intoxicating compound or compounds, or any combination thereof as defined in subparagraph (F) of paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of Section 11-501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, shall receive no more than 4.5 days of sentence credit for each month of his or her sentence of imprisonment.
- (2.4) The rules and regulations on sentence credit shall provide with respect to the offenses of aggravated battery with a machine gun or a firearm equipped with any device or attachment designed or used for silencing the report of a firearm or aggravated discharge of a machine gun or a firearm equipped with any device or attachment designed or used for silencing the report of a firearm, committed on or after July 15, 1999 (the effective date of Public Act 91-121), that a prisoner serving a sentence for any of these offenses shall receive no more than 4.5 days of sentence credit for each month of his or her sentence of imprisonment.
- (2.5) The rules and regulations on sentence credit shall provide that a prisoner who is serving a sentence for aggravated arson committed on or after July 27, 2001 (the effective date of Public Act 92-176) shall receive no more than 4.5 days of sentence credit for each month of his or her sentence of imprisonment.
- (2.6) The rules and regulations on sentence credit shall provide that a prisoner who is serving a sentence for aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol, other drug or drugs, or intoxicating compound or compounds or any combination thereof as defined in subparagraph (C) of paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of Section 11-501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code committed on or after January 1, 2011 (the effective date of Public Act 96-1230) shall receive no more than 4.5 days of sentence credit for each month of his or her sentence of imprisonment.
- (3) The rules and regulations shall also provide that the Director may award up to 180 days of earned additional sentence credit for good conduct in specific instances as the Director deems proper. The good conduct may include, but is not limited to, compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department, service to the Department, service to a community, or service to the State. However, the Director shall not award more than 90 days of sentence credit for good conduct to any prisoner who is serving a sentence for conviction of first degree murder, reckless homicide while under the influence of alcohol or any other drug, or aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol, other drug or drugs, or intoxicating compound or compounds, or any combination thereof as defined in subparagraph (F) of paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of Section 11-501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, aggravated kidnapping, kidnapping, predatory criminal sexual assault of a child, aggravated criminal sexual assault, criminal sexual assault, deviate sexual assault, aggravated criminal sexual abuse, aggravated indecent liberties with a child, indecent liberties with a child, ehild pornography, heinous battery as described in Section 12-4.1 or subdivision (a)(2) of Section 12-3.05, aggravated battery of a spouse, aggravated battery of a spouse with a firearm, stalking, aggravated stalking, aggravated battery of a child as described in Section 12-4.3 or subdivision (b)(1) of Section 12-3.05, endangering the life or health of a child, or cruelty to a child. Notwithstanding the foregoing, sentence eredit for good conduct shall not be awarded on a sentence of imprisonment imposed for conviction of: (i) one of the offenses enumerated in subdivision (a)(2)(i), (ii), or (iii) when the offense is committed on or after June 19, 1998 or subdivision (a)(2)(iv) when the offense is committed on or after June 23, 2005 (the effective date of Public Act 94-71) or subdivision (a)(2)(v) when the offense is committed on or after August 13, 2007 (the effective date of Public Act 95-134) or subdivision (a)(2)(vi) when the offense is committed on or after June 1, 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 95-625) or subdivision (a)(2)(vii) when the offense is committed on or after July 23, 2010 (the effective date of Public Act 96-1224), (ii) aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol, other drug or drugs, or intoxicating compound or compounds, or any combination thereof as defined in subparagraph (F) of paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of Section 11-501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, (iii) one of the offenses enumerated in subdivision (a)(2.4) when the offense is committed on or after July 15, 1999 (the effective date of Public Act 91-121), (iv) aggravated arson when the offense is committed on or after July 27, 2001 (the effective date of Public Act 92-176), (v) offenses that may subject the offender to commitment under the Sexually Violent Persons Commitment Act, or (vi) aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol, other drug or drugs, or intoxicating compound or compounds or any combination thereof as defined in subparagraph (C) of paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of Section 11-501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code committed on or after January 1, 2011 (the effective date of Public Act 96-1230).

Eligible inmates for an award of <u>earned</u> sentence credit under this paragraph (3) may be selected to receive the credit at the Director's or his or her designee's sole discretion. <u>Eligibility for the additional</u>

earned sentence credit under this paragraph (3) shall be based on, but is not limited to, the results of any available risk/needs assessment or other relevant assessments or evaluations administered by the Department using a validated instrument, the circumstances of the crime, any history of conviction for a forcible felony enumerated in Section 2-8 of the Criminal Code of 2012, the inmate's behavior and disciplinary history while incarcerated, and the inmate's commitment to rehabilitation, including participation in programming offered by the Department. Consideration may be based on, but not limited to, any available risk assessment analysis on the inmate, any history of conviction for violent crimes as defined by the Rights of Crime Victims and Witnesses Act, facts and circumstances of the inmate's holding offense or offenses, and the potential for rehabilitation.

The Director shall not award sentence credit under this paragraph (3) to an inmate unless the inmate has served a minimum of 60 days of the sentence; except nothing in this paragraph shall be construed to permit the Director to extend an inmate's sentence beyond that which was imposed by the court. Prior to awarding credit under this paragraph (3), the Director shall make a written determination that the inmate:

- (A) is eligible for the earned sentence credit;
- (B) has served a minimum of 60 days, or as close to 60 days as the sentence will allow; and
- (B-1) has received a risk/needs assessment or other relevant evaluation or assessment administered by the Department using a validated instrument; and
- (C) has met the eligibility criteria established <u>under paragraph (4) of this subsection (a) and</u> by rule for earned sentence credit.

The Director shall determine the form and content of the written determination required in this subsection.

- (3.5) The Department shall provide annual written reports to the Governor and the General Assembly on the award of <u>earned</u> sentence credit <u>no later than February 1 of each year</u> for good conduct, with the <u>first report due January 1, 2014</u>. The Department must publish both reports on its website within 48 hours of transmitting the reports to the Governor and the General Assembly. The reports must include:
  - (A) the number of inmates awarded earned sentence credit for good conduct;
  - (B) the average amount of earned sentence credit for good conduct awarded;
  - (C) the holding offenses of inmates awarded earned sentence credit for good conduct; and
  - (D) the number of <u>earned</u> sentence credit <del>for good conduct</del> revocations.
- (4) The rules and regulations shall also provide that the sentence credit accumulated and retained under paragraph (2.1) of subsection (a) of this Section by any inmate during specific periods of time in which such inmate is engaged full-time in substance abuse programs, correctional industry assignments, educational programs, behavior modification programs, life skills courses, or re-entry planning provided by the Department under this paragraph (4) and satisfactorily completes the assigned program as determined by the standards of the Department, shall be multiplied by a factor of 1.25 for program participation before August 11, 1993 and 1.50 for program participation on or after that date. The rules and regulations shall also provide that sentence credit, subject to the same offense limits and multiplier provided in this paragraph, may be provided to an inmate who was held in pre-trial detention prior to his or her current commitment to the Department of Corrections and successfully completed a full-time, 60day or longer substance abuse program, educational program, behavior modification program, life skills course, or re-entry planning provided by the county department of corrections or county jail. Calculation of this county program credit shall be done at sentencing as provided in Section 5-4.5-100 of this Code and shall be included in the sentencing order. However, no inmate shall be eligible for the additional sentence credit under this paragraph (4) or (4.1) of this subsection (a) while assigned to a boot camp or electronic detention, or if convicted of an offense enumerated in subdivision (a)(2)(i), (ii), or (iii) of this Section that is committed on or after June 19, 1998 or subdivision (a)(2)(iv) of this Section that is committed on or after June 23, 2005 (the effective date of Public Act 94-71) or subdivision (a)(2)(v) of this Section that is committed on or after August 13, 2007 (the effective date of Public Act 95-134) or subdivision (a)(2)(vi) when the offense is committed on or after June 1, 2008 (the effective date of Public Act 95-625) or subdivision (a)(2)(vii) when the offense is committed on or after July 23, 2010 (the effective date of Public Act 96-1224), or if convicted of aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol, other drug or drugs, or intoxicating compound or compounds or any combination thereof as defined in subparagraph (F) of paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of Section 11-501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, or if convicted of aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol, other drug or drugs, or intoxicating compound or compounds or any combination thereof as defined in subparagraph (C) of paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of Section 11-501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code committed on or after January 1, 2011 (the effective date of Public Act 96-1230), or if convicted of an offense enumerated in paragraph (a)(2.4) of this Section that is committed on or after July 15, 1999 (the effective date of Public Act 91-121), or first degree murder, a Class X felony, criminal sexual assault, felony criminal sexual abuse, aggravated criminal

sexual abuse, aggravated battery with a firearm as described in Section 12-4.2 or subdivision (e)(1), (e)(2), (e)(3), or (e)(4) of Section 12-3.05, or any predecessor or successor offenses with the same or substantially the same elements, or any inchoate offenses relating to the foregoing offenses. No inmate shall be eligible for the additional good conduct credit under this paragraph (4) who (i) has previously received increased good conduct credit under this paragraph (4) and has subsequently been convicted of a felony, or (ii) has previously served more than one prior sentence of imprisonment for a felony in an adult correctional facility.

Educational, vocational, substance abuse, behavior modification programs, life skills courses, re-entry planning, and correctional industry programs under which sentence credit may be increased under this paragraph (4) and paragraph (4.1) of this subsection (a) shall be evaluated by the Department on the basis of documented standards. The Department shall report the results of these evaluations to the Governor and the General Assembly by September 30th of each year. The reports shall include data relating to the recidivism rate among program participants.

Availability of these programs shall be subject to the limits of fiscal resources appropriated by the General Assembly for these purposes. Eligible inmates who are denied immediate admission shall be placed on a waiting list under criteria established by the Department. The inability of any inmate to become engaged in any such programs by reason of insufficient program resources or for any other reason established under the rules and regulations of the Department shall not be deemed a cause of action under which the Department or any employee or agent of the Department shall be liable for damages to the inmate.

- (4.1) The rules and regulations shall also provide that an additional 90 days of sentence credit shall be awarded to any prisoner who passes high school equivalency testing while the prisoner is committed to the Department of Corrections. The sentence credit awarded under this paragraph (4.1) shall be in addition to, and shall not affect, the award of sentence credit under any other paragraph of this Section, but shall also be pursuant to the guidelines and restrictions set forth in paragraph (4) of subsection (a) of this Section. The sentence credit provided for in this paragraph shall be available only to those prisoners who have not previously earned a high school diploma or a high school equivalency certificate. If, after an award of the high school equivalency testing sentence credit has been made, the Department determines that the prisoner was not eligible, then the award shall be revoked. The Department may also award 90 days of sentence credit to any committed person who passed high school equivalency testing while he or she was held in pre-trial detention prior to the current commitment to the Department of Corrections.
- (4.5) The rules and regulations on sentence credit shall also provide that when the court's sentencing order recommends a prisoner for substance abuse treatment and the crime was committed on or after September 1, 2003 (the effective date of Public Act 93-354), the prisoner shall receive no sentence credit awarded under clause (3) of this subsection (a) unless he or she participates in and completes a substance abuse treatment program. The Director may waive the requirement to participate in or complete a substance abuse treatment program and award the sentence credit in specific instances if the prisoner is not a good candidate for a substance abuse treatment program for medical, programming, or operational reasons. Availability of substance abuse treatment shall be subject to the limits of fiscal resources appropriated by the General Assembly for these purposes. If treatment is not available and the requirement to participate and complete the treatment has not been waived by the Director, the prisoner shall be placed on a waiting list under criteria established by the Department. The Director may allow a prisoner placed on a waiting list to participate in and complete a substance abuse education class or attend substance abuse self-help meetings in lieu of a substance abuse treatment program. A prisoner on a waiting list who is not placed in a substance abuse program prior to release may be eligible for a waiver and receive sentence credit under clause (3) of this subsection (a) at the discretion of the Director.
- (4.6) The rules and regulations on sentence credit shall also provide that a prisoner who has been convicted of a sex offense as defined in Section 2 of the Sex Offender Registration Act shall receive no sentence credit unless he or she either has successfully completed or is participating in sex offender treatment as defined by the Sex Offender Management Board. However, prisoners who are waiting to receive treatment, but who are unable to do so due solely to the lack of resources on the part of the Department, may, at the Director's sole discretion, be awarded sentence credit at a rate as the Director shall determine.
- (5) Whenever the Department is to release any inmate earlier than it otherwise would because of a grant of <u>earned</u> sentence credit <u>for good conduct</u> under paragraph (3) of subsection (a) of this Section given at any time during the term, the Department shall give reasonable notice of the impending release not less than 14 days prior to the date of the release to the State's Attorney of the county where the prosecution of the inmate took place, and if applicable, the State's Attorney of the county into which the inmate will be released. The Department must also make identification information and a recent photo of the inmate being

released accessible on the Internet by means of a hyperlink labeled "Community Notification of Inmate Early Release" on the Department's World Wide Web homepage. The identification information shall include the inmate's: name, any known alias, date of birth, physical characteristics, commitment offense and county where conviction was imposed. The identification information shall be placed on the website within 3 days of the inmate's release and the information may not be removed until either: completion of the first year of mandatory supervised release or return of the inmate to custody of the Department.

- (b) Whenever a person is or has been committed under several convictions, with separate sentences, the sentences shall be construed under Section 5-8-4 in granting and forfeiting of sentence credit.
- (c) The Department shall prescribe rules and regulations for revoking sentence credit, including revoking sentence credit awarded for good conduct under paragraph (3) of subsection (a) of this Section. The Department shall prescribe rules and regulations for suspending or reducing the rate of accumulation of sentence credit for specific rule violations, during imprisonment. These rules and regulations shall provide that no inmate may be penalized more than one year of sentence credit for any one infraction.

When the Department seeks to revoke, suspend or reduce the rate of accumulation of any sentence credits for an alleged infraction of its rules, it shall bring charges therefor against the prisoner sought to be so deprived of sentence credits before the Prisoner Review Board as provided in subparagraph (a)(4) of Section 3-3-2 of this Code, if the amount of credit at issue exceeds 30 days or when during any 12 month period, the cumulative amount of credit revoked exceeds 30 days except where the infraction is committed or discovered within 60 days of scheduled release. In those cases, the Department of Corrections may revoke up to 30 days of sentence credit. The Board may subsequently approve the revocation of additional sentence credit, if the Department seeks to revoke sentence credit in excess of 30 days. However, the Board shall not be empowered to review the Department's decision with respect to the loss of 30 days of sentence credit within any calendar year for any prisoner or to increase any penalty beyond the length requested by the Department.

The Director of the Department of Corrections, in appropriate cases, may restore up to 30 days of sentence credits which have been revoked, suspended or reduced. Any restoration of sentence credits in excess of 30 days shall be subject to review by the Prisoner Review Board. However, the Board may not restore sentence credit in excess of the amount requested by the Director.

Nothing contained in this Section shall prohibit the Prisoner Review Board from ordering, pursuant to Section 3-3-9(a)(3)(i)(B), that a prisoner serve up to one year of the sentence imposed by the court that was not served due to the accumulation of sentence credit.

(d) If a lawsuit is filed by a prisoner in an Illinois or federal court against the State, the Department of Corrections, or the Prisoner Review Board, or against any of their officers or employees, and the court makes a specific finding that a pleading, motion, or other paper filed by the prisoner is frivolous, the Department of Corrections shall conduct a hearing to revoke up to 180 days of sentence credit by bringing charges against the prisoner sought to be deprived of the sentence credits before the Prisoner Review Board as provided in subparagraph (a)(8) of Section 3-3-2 of this Code. If the prisoner has not accumulated 180 days of sentence credit at the time of the finding, then the Prisoner Review Board may revoke all sentence credit accumulated by the prisoner.

For purposes of this subsection (d):

- (1) "Frivolous" means that a pleading, motion, or other filing which purports to be a legal document filed by a prisoner in his or her lawsuit meets any or all of the following criteria:
  - (A) it lacks an arguable basis either in law or in fact;
  - (B) it is being presented for any improper purpose, such as to harass or to cause unnecessary delay or needless increase in the cost of litigation;
  - (C) the claims, defenses, and other legal contentions therein are not warranted by existing law or by a nonfrivolous argument for the extension, modification, or reversal of existing law or the establishment of new law;
    - (D) the allegations and other factual contentions do not have evidentiary support
  - or, if specifically so identified, are not likely to have evidentiary support after a reasonable opportunity for further investigation or discovery; or
  - (E) the denials of factual contentions are not warranted on the evidence, or if specifically so identified, are not reasonably based on a lack of information or belief.
- (2) "Lawsuit" means a motion pursuant to Section 116-3 of the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1963, a habeas corpus action under Article X of the Code of Civil Procedure or under federal law (28 U.S.C. 2254), a petition for claim under the Court of Claims Act, an action under the federal Civil Rights Act (42 U.S.C. 1983), or a second or subsequent petition for post-conviction relief under Article 122 of the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1963 whether filed with or without leave of court or a second or subsequent petition for relief from judgment under Section 2-1401 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

- (e) Nothing in Public Act 90-592 or 90-593 affects the validity of Public Act 89-404.
- (f) Whenever the Department is to release any inmate who has been convicted of a violation of an order of protection under Section 12-3.4 or 12-30 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012, earlier than it otherwise would because of a grant of sentence credit, the Department, as a condition of release, shall require that the person, upon release, be placed under electronic surveillance as provided in Section 5-8A-7 of this Code.

(Source: P.A. 98-718, eff. 1-1-15; 99-241, eff. 1-1-16; 99-275, eff. 1-1-16; 99-642, eff. 7-28-16.) (730 ILCS 5/5-4-1) (from Ch. 38, par. 1005-4-1)

Sec. 5-4-1. Sentencing Hearing.

- (a) Except when the death penalty is sought under hearing procedures otherwise specified, after a determination of guilt, a hearing shall be held to impose the sentence. However, prior to the imposition of sentence on an individual being sentenced for an offense based upon a charge for a violation of Section 11-501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code or a similar provision of a local ordinance, the individual must undergo a professional evaluation to determine if an alcohol or other drug abuse problem exists and the extent of such a problem. Programs conducting these evaluations shall be licensed by the Department of Human Services. However, if the individual is not a resident of Illinois, the court may, in its discretion, accept an evaluation from a program in the state of such individual's residence. The court may in its sentencing order approve an eligible defendant for placement in a Department of Corrections impact incarceration program as provided in Section 5-8-1.1 or 5-8-1.3. The court may in its sentencing order recommend a defendant for placement in a Department of Corrections substance abuse treatment program as provided in paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of Section 3-2-2 conditioned upon the defendant being accepted in a program by the Department of Corrections. At the hearing the court shall:
  - (1) consider the evidence, if any, received upon the trial;
  - (2) consider any presentence reports;
  - (3) consider the financial impact of incarceration based on the financial impact statement filed with the clerk of the court by the Department of Corrections;
  - (4) consider evidence and information offered by the parties in aggravation and mitigation:
  - (4.5) consider substance abuse treatment, eligibility screening, and an assessment, if any, of the defendant by an agent designated by the State of Illinois to provide assessment services for the Illinois courts;
    - (5) hear arguments as to sentencing alternatives;
    - (6) afford the defendant the opportunity to make a statement in his own behalf;
    - (7) afford the victim of a violent crime or a violation of Section 11-501 of the
  - Illinois Vehicle Code, or a similar provision of a local ordinance, or a qualified individual affected by: (i) a violation of Section 405, 405.1, 405.2, or 407 of the Illinois Controlled Substances Act or a violation of Section 55 or Section 65 of the Methamphetamine Control and Community Protection Act, or (ii) a Class 4 felony violation of Section 11-14, 11-14.3 except as described in subdivisions (a)(2)(A) and (a)(2)(B), 11-15, 11-17, 11-18, 11-18.1, or 11-19 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012, committed by the defendant the opportunity to make a statement concerning the impact on the victim and to offer evidence in aggravation or mitigation; provided that the statement and evidence offered in aggravation or mitigation must first be prepared in writing in conjunction with the State's Attorney before it may be presented orally at the hearing. Any sworn testimony offered by the victim is subject to the defendant's right to cross-examine. All statements and evidence offered under this paragraph (7) shall become part of the record of the court. For the purpose of this paragraph (7), "qualified individual" means any person who (i) lived or worked within the territorial jurisdiction where the offense took place when the offense took place; and (ii) is familiar with various public places within the territorial jurisdiction where the offense took place when the offense took place. For the purposes of this paragraph (7), "qualified individual" includes any peace officer, or any member of any duly organized State, county, or municipal peace unit assigned to the territorial jurisdiction where the offense took place when the offense took place;
  - (8) in cases of reckless homicide afford the victim's spouse, guardians, parents or other immediate family members an opportunity to make oral statements;
  - (9) in cases involving a felony sex offense as defined under the Sex Offender Management Board Act, consider the results of the sex offender evaluation conducted pursuant to Section 5-3-2 of this Act; and
  - (10) make a finding of whether a motor vehicle was used in the commission of the offense for which the defendant is being sentenced.

- (b) All sentences shall be imposed by the judge based upon his independent assessment of the elements specified above and any agreement as to sentence reached by the parties. The judge who presided at the trial or the judge who accepted the plea of guilty shall impose the sentence unless he is no longer sitting as a judge in that court. Where the judge does not impose sentence at the same time on all defendants who are convicted as a result of being involved in the same offense, the defendant or the State's Attorney may advise the sentencing court of the disposition of any other defendants who have been sentenced.
- (b-1) In imposing a sentence of imprisonment or periodic imprisonment for a Class 3 or Class 4 felony for which a sentence of probation or conditional discharge is an available sentence, if the defendant has no prior sentence of probation or conditional discharge and no prior conviction for a violent crime, the defendant shall not be sentenced to imprisonment before review and consideration of a presentence report and determination and explanation of why the particular evidence, information, factor in aggravation, factual finding, or other reasons support a sentencing determination that one or more of the factors under subsection (a) of Section 5-6-1 of this Code apply and that probation or conditional discharge is not an appropriate sentence.
- (c) In imposing a sentence for a violent crime or for an offense of operating or being in physical control of a vehicle while under the influence of alcohol, any other drug or any combination thereof, or a similar provision of a local ordinance, when such offense resulted in the personal injury to someone other than the defendant, the trial judge shall specify on the record the particular evidence, information, factors in mitigation and aggravation or other reasons that led to his sentencing determination. The full verbatim record of the sentencing hearing shall be filed with the clerk of the court and shall be a public record.
- (c-1) In imposing a sentence for the offense of aggravated kidnapping for ransom, home invasion, armed robbery, aggravated vehicular hijacking, aggravated discharge of a firearm, or armed violence with a category I weapon or category II weapon, the trial judge shall make a finding as to whether the conduct leading to conviction for the offense resulted in great bodily harm to a victim, and shall enter that finding and the basis for that finding in the record.
- (c-2) If the defendant is sentenced to prison, other than when a sentence of natural life imprisonment or a sentence of death is imposed, at the time the sentence is imposed the judge shall state on the record in open court the approximate period of time the defendant will serve in custody according to the then current statutory rules and regulations for sentence credit found in Section 3-6-3 and other related provisions of this Code. This statement is intended solely to inform the public, has no legal effect on the defendant's actual release, and may not be relied on by the defendant on appeal.

The judge's statement, to be given after pronouncing the sentence, other than when the sentence is imposed for one of the offenses enumerated in paragraph  $(\underline{a})(4)$  (a)(3) of Section 3-6-3, shall include the following:

"The purpose of this statement is to inform the public of the actual period of time this defendant is likely to spend in prison as a result of this sentence. The actual period of prison time served is determined by the statutes of Illinois as applied to this sentence by the Illinois Department of Corrections and the Illinois Prisoner Review Board. In this case, assuming the defendant receives all of his or her sentence credit, the period of estimated actual custody is ... years and ... months, less up to 180 days additional <u>earned</u> sentence credit <u>for good conduct</u>. If the defendant, because of his or her own misconduct or failure to comply with the institutional regulations, does not receive those credits, the actual time served in prison will be longer. The defendant may also receive an additional one-half day sentence credit for each day of participation in vocational, industry, substance abuse, and educational programs as provided for by Illinois statute."

When the sentence is imposed for one of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (a)(3) of Section 3-6-3, other than when the sentence is imposed for one of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (a)(2) of Section 3-6-3 committed on or after June 19, 1998, and other than when the sentence is imposed for reckless homicide as defined in subsection (e) of Section 9-3 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012 if the offense was committed on or after January 1, 1999, and other than when the sentence is imposed for aggravated arson if the offense was committed on or after July 27, 2001 (the effective date of Public Act 92-176), and other than when the sentence is imposed for aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol, other drug or drugs, or intoxicating compound or compounds, or any combination thereof as defined in subparagraph (C) of paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of Section 11-501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code committed on or after January 1, 2011 (the effective date of Public Act 96-1230), the judge's statement, to be given after pronouncing the sentence, shall include the following:

"The purpose of this statement is to inform the public of the actual period of time this defendant is likely to spend in prison as a result of this sentence. The actual period of prison time served is determined by the statutes of Illinois as applied to this sentence by the Illinois Department of Corrections and the Illinois Prisoner Review Board. In this case, assuming the defendant receives all of his or her sentence credit, the period of estimated actual custody is ... years and ... months, less up to 90 days additional sentence credit

for good conduct. If the defendant, because of his or her own misconduct or failure to comply with the institutional regulations, does not receive those credits, the actual time served in prison will be longer. The defendant may also receive an additional one-half day sentence credit for each day of participation in vocational, industry, substance abuse, and educational programs as provided for by Illinois statute."

When the sentence is imposed for one of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (a)(2) of Section 3-6-3, other than first degree murder, and the offense was committed on or after June 19, 1998, and when the sentence is imposed for reckless homicide as defined in subsection (e) of Section 9-3 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012 if the offense was committed on or after January 1, 1999, and when the sentence is imposed for aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol, other drug or drugs, or intoxicating compound or compounds, or any combination thereof as defined in subparagraph (F) of paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of Section 11-501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, and when the sentence is imposed for aggravated arson if the offense was committed on or after July 27, 2001 (the effective date of Public Act 92-176), and when the sentence is imposed for aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol, other drug or drugs, or intoxicating compound or compounds, or any combination thereof as defined in subparagraph (C) of paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of Section 11-501 of the Illinois Vehicle Code committed on or after January 1, 2011 (the effective date of Public Act 96-1230), the judge's statement, to be given after pronouncing the sentence, shall include the following:

"The purpose of this statement is to inform the public of the actual period of time this defendant is likely to spend in prison as a result of this sentence. The actual period of prison time served is determined by the statutes of Illinois as applied to this sentence by the Illinois Department of Corrections and the Illinois Prisoner Review Board. In this case, the defendant is entitled to no more than 4 1/2 days of sentence credit for each month of his or her sentence of imprisonment. Therefore, this defendant will serve at least 85% of his or her sentence. Assuming the defendant receives 4 1/2 days credit for each month of his or her sentence, the period of estimated actual custody is ... years and ... months. If the defendant, because of his or her own misconduct or failure to comply with the institutional regulations receives lesser credit, the actual time served in prison will be longer."

When a sentence of imprisonment is imposed for first degree murder and the offense was committed on or after June 19, 1998, the judge's statement, to be given after pronouncing the sentence, shall include the following:

"The purpose of this statement is to inform the public of the actual period of time this defendant is likely to spend in prison as a result of this sentence. The actual period of prison time served is determined by the statutes of Illinois as applied to this sentence by the Illinois Department of Corrections and the Illinois Prisoner Review Board. In this case, the defendant is not entitled to sentence credit. Therefore, this defendant will serve 100% of his or her sentence."

When the sentencing order recommends placement in a substance abuse program for any offense that results in incarceration in a Department of Corrections facility and the crime was committed on or after September 1, 2003 (the effective date of Public Act 93-354), the judge's statement, in addition to any other judge's statement required under this Section, to be given after pronouncing the sentence, shall include the following:

"The purpose of this statement is to inform the public of the actual period of time this defendant is likely to spend in prison as a result of this sentence. The actual period of prison time served is determined by the statutes of Illinois as applied to this sentence by the Illinois Department of Corrections and the Illinois Prisoner Review Board. In this case, the defendant shall receive no <u>earned</u> sentence credit for good conduct under clause (3) of subsection (a) of Section 3-6-3 until he or she participates in and completes a substance abuse treatment program or receives a waiver from the Director of Corrections pursuant to clause (4.5) of subsection (a) of Section 3-6-3."

- (c-4) Before the sentencing hearing and as part of the presentence investigation under Section 5-3-1, the court shall inquire of the defendant whether the defendant is currently serving in or is a veteran of the Armed Forces of the United States. If the defendant is currently serving in the Armed Forces of the United States or is a veteran of the Armed Forces of the United States and has been diagnosed as having a mental illness by a qualified psychiatrist or clinical psychologist or physician, the court may:
  - (1) order that the officer preparing the presentence report consult with the United States Department of Veterans Affairs, Illinois Department of Veterans' Affairs, or another agency or person with suitable knowledge or experience for the purpose of providing the court with information regarding treatment options available to the defendant, including federal, State, and local programming; and
  - (2) consider the treatment recommendations of any diagnosing or treating mental health professionals together with the treatment options available to the defendant in imposing sentence.

For the purposes of this subsection (c-4), "qualified psychiatrist" means a reputable physician licensed in Illinois to practice medicine in all its branches, who has specialized in the diagnosis and treatment of mental and nervous disorders for a period of not less than 5 years.

- (c-6) In imposing a sentence, the trial judge shall specify, on the record, the particular evidence and other reasons which led to his or her determination that a motor vehicle was used in the commission of the offense.
- (d) When the defendant is committed to the Department of Corrections, the State's Attorney shall and counsel for the defendant may file a statement with the clerk of the court to be transmitted to the department, agency or institution to which the defendant is committed to furnish such department, agency or institution with the facts and circumstances of the offense for which the person was committed together with all other factual information accessible to them in regard to the person prior to his commitment relative to his habits, associates, disposition and reputation and any other facts and circumstances which may aid such department, agency or institution during its custody of such person. The clerk shall within 10 days after receiving any such statements transmit a copy to such department, agency or institution and a copy to the other party, provided, however, that this shall not be cause for delay in conveying the person to the department, agency or institution to which he has been committed.
- (e) The clerk of the court shall transmit to the department, agency or institution, if any, to which the defendant is committed, the following:
  - (1) the sentence imposed;
  - (2) any statement by the court of the basis for imposing the sentence;
  - (3) any presentence reports;
  - (3.5) any sex offender evaluations;
  - (3.6) any substance abuse treatment eligibility screening and assessment of the

defendant by an agent designated by the State of Illinois to provide assessment services for the Illinois courts;

- (4) the number of days, if any, which the defendant has been in custody and for which he is entitled to credit against the sentence, which information shall be provided to the clerk by the sheriff;
- (4.1) any finding of great bodily harm made by the court with respect to an offense enumerated in subsection (c-1);
  - (5) all statements filed under subsection (d) of this Section;
  - (6) any medical or mental health records or summaries of the defendant;
- (7) the municipality where the arrest of the offender or the commission of the offense has occurred, where such municipality has a population of more than 25,000 persons;
- (8) all statements made and evidence offered under paragraph (7) of subsection (a) of this Section; and
  - (9) all additional matters which the court directs the clerk to transmit.
- (f) In cases in which the court finds that a motor vehicle was used in the commission of the offense for which the defendant is being sentenced, the clerk of the court shall, within 5 days thereafter, forward a report of such conviction to the Secretary of State.

(Source: P.A. 99-861, eff. 1-1-17.)

(730 ILCS 5/5-5-3) (from Ch. 38, par. 1005-5-3)

Sec. 5-5-3. Disposition.

- (a) (Blank).
- (b) (Blank).
- (c) (1) (Blank).
- (2) A period of probation, a term of periodic imprisonment or conditional discharge shall not be imposed for the following offenses. The court shall sentence the offender to not less than the minimum term of imprisonment set forth in this Code for the following offenses, and may order a fine or restitution or both in conjunction with such term of imprisonment:
  - (A) First degree murder where the death penalty is not imposed.
  - (B) Attempted first degree murder.
  - (C) A Class X felony.
  - (D) A violation of Section 401.1 or 407 of the Illinois Controlled Substances Act, or a
  - violation of subdivision (c)(1.5) or (e)(2) of Section 401 of that Act which relates to more than 5 grams of a substance containing eocaine, fentanyl, or an analog thereof.
    - (D-5) A violation of subdivision (c)(1) of Section 401 of the Illinois Controlled

Substances Act which relates to 3 or more grams of a substance containing heroin or an analog thereof.

- (E) (Blank). A violation of Section 5.1 or 9 of the Cannabis Control Act.
- (F) A Class  $\underline{1}$  2 or greater felony if the offender had been convicted of a Class  $\underline{1}$  2 or greater

felony, including any state or federal conviction for an offense that contained, at the time it was committed, the same elements as an offense now (the date of the offense committed after the prior Class  $\underline{1}$  2 or greater felony) classified as a Class  $\underline{1}$  2 or greater felony, within 10 years of the date on which the offender committed the offense for which he or she is being sentenced, except as otherwise provided in Section 40-10 of the Alcoholism and Other Drug Abuse and Dependency Act.

- (F-3) A Class 2 or greater felony sex offense or felony firearm offense if the offender had been convicted of a Class 2 or greater felony, including any state or federal conviction for an offense that contained, at the time it was committed, the same elements as an offense now (the date of the offense committed after the prior Class 2 or greater felony) classified as a Class 2 or greater felony, within 10 years of the date on which the offender committed the offense for which he or she is being sentenced, except as otherwise provided in Section 40-10 of the Alcoholism and Other Drug Abuse and Dependency Act.
  - (F-5) A violation of Section 24-1, 24-1.1, or 24-1.6 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012 for which imprisonment is prescribed in those Sections.
  - (G) Residential burglary, except as otherwise provided in Section 40-10 of the Alcoholism and Other Drug Abuse and Dependency Act.
    - (H) Criminal sexual assault.
  - (I) Aggravated battery of a senior citizen as described in Section 12-4.6 or subdivision (a)(4) of Section 12-3.05 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012.
    - (J) A forcible felony if the offense was related to the activities of an organized gang.
  - Before July 1, 1994, for the purposes of this paragraph, "organized gang" means an association of 5 or more persons, with an established hierarchy, that encourages members of the association to perpetrate crimes or provides support to the members of the association who do commit crimes.

Beginning July 1, 1994, for the purposes of this paragraph, "organized gang" has the meaning ascribed to it in Section 10 of the Illinois Streetgang Terrorism Omnibus Prevention Act.

- (K) Vehicular hijacking.
- (L) A second or subsequent conviction for the offense of hate crime when the underlying offense upon which the hate crime is based is felony aggravated assault or felony mob action.
- (M) A second or subsequent conviction for the offense of institutional vandalism if the damage to the property exceeds \$300.
- (N) A Class 3 felony violation of paragraph (1) of subsection (a) of Section 2 of the Firearm Owners Identification Card Act.
- (O) A violation of Section 12-6.1 or 12-6.5 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012.
- (P) A violation of paragraph (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), or (7) of subsection (a) of Section 11-20.1 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012.
- (Q) A violation of subsection (b) or (b-5) of Section 20-1, Section 20-1.2, or Section 20-1.3 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012.
- (R) A violation of Section 24-3A of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012.
  - (S) (Blank).
- (T) (Blank). A second or subsequent violation of the Methamphetamine Control and Community Protection Act.
  - (U) A second or subsequent violation of Section 6-303 of the Illinois Vehicle Code committed while his or her driver's license, permit, or privilege was revoked because of a violation of Section 9-3 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012, relating to the offense of reckless homicide, or a similar provision of a law of another state.
    - (V) A violation of paragraph (4) of subsection (c) of Section 11-20.1B or paragraph
  - (4) of subsection (c) of Section 11-20.3 of the Criminal Code of 1961, or paragraph (6) of subsection (a) of Section 11-20.1 of the Criminal Code of 2012 when the victim is under 13 years of age and the defendant has previously been convicted under the laws of this State or any other state of the offense of child pornography, aggravated child pornography, aggravated criminal sexual assault predatory criminal sexual assault of a child, or any of the offenses formerly known as rape, deviate sexual assault, indecent liberties with a child, or aggravated indecent liberties with a child where the victim was under the age of 18 years or an offense that is substantially equivalent to those offenses.
  - (W) A violation of Section 24-3.5 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012.

- (X) A violation of subsection (a) of Section 31-1a of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012.
- (Y) A conviction for unlawful possession of a firearm by a street gang member when the firearm was loaded or contained firearm ammunition.
- (Z) A Class 1 felony committed while he or she was serving a term of probation or conditional discharge for a felony.
  - (AA) Theft of property exceeding \$500,000 and not exceeding \$1,000,000 in value.
  - (BB) Laundering of criminally derived property of a value exceeding \$500,000.
- (CC) Knowingly selling, offering for sale, holding for sale, or using 2,000 or more counterfeit items or counterfeit items having a retail value in the aggregate of \$500,000 or more.
- (DD) A conviction for aggravated assault under paragraph (6) of subsection (c) of Section 12-2 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012 if the firearm is aimed toward the person against whom the firearm is being used.
- (EE) A conviction for a violation of paragraph (2) of subsection (a) of Section 24-3B of the Criminal Code of 2012.
- (3) (Blank).
- (4) A minimum term of imprisonment of not less than 10 consecutive days or 30 days of community service shall be imposed for a violation of paragraph (c) of Section 6-303 of the Illinois Vehicle Code.
  - (4.1) (Blank).
- (4.2) Except as provided in paragraphs (4.3) and (4.8) of this subsection (c), a minimum of 100 hours of community service shall be imposed for a second violation of Section 6-303 of the Illinois Vehicle Code
- (4.3) A minimum term of imprisonment of 30 days or 300 hours of community service, as determined by the court, shall be imposed for a second violation of subsection (c) of Section 6-303 of the Illinois Vehicle Code.
- (4.4) Except as provided in paragraphs (4.5), (4.6), and (4.9) of this subsection (c), a minimum term of imprisonment of 30 days or 300 hours of community service, as determined by the court, shall be imposed for a third or subsequent violation of Section 6-303 of the Illinois Vehicle Code.
- (4.5) A minimum term of imprisonment of 30 days shall be imposed for a third violation of subsection (c) of Section 6-303 of the Illinois Vehicle Code.
- (4.6) Except as provided in paragraph (4.10) of this subsection (c), a minimum term of imprisonment of 180 days shall be imposed for a fourth or subsequent violation of subsection (c) of Section 6-303 of the Illinois Vehicle Code.
- (4.7) A minimum term of imprisonment of not less than 30 consecutive days, or 300 hours of community service, shall be imposed for a violation of subsection (a-5) of Section 6-303 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, as provided in subsection (b-5) of that Section.
- (4.8) A mandatory prison sentence shall be imposed for a second violation of subsection (a-5) of Section 6-303 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, as provided in subsection (c-5) of that Section. The person's driving privileges shall be revoked for a period of not less than 5 years from the date of his or her release from prison.
- (4.9) A mandatory prison sentence of not less than 4 and not more than 15 years shall be imposed for a third violation of subsection (a-5) of Section 6-303 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, as provided in subsection (d-2.5) of that Section. The person's driving privileges shall be revoked for the remainder of his or her life.
- (4.10) A mandatory prison sentence for a Class 1 felony shall be imposed, and the person shall be eligible for an extended term sentence, for a fourth or subsequent violation of subsection (a-5) of Section 6-303 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, as provided in subsection (d-3.5) of that Section. The person's driving privileges shall be revoked for the remainder of his or her life.
  - (5) The court may sentence a corporation or unincorporated association convicted of any offense to:
    - (A) a period of conditional discharge;
    - (B) a fine;
    - (C) make restitution to the victim under Section 5-5-6 of this Code.
- (5.1) In addition to any other penalties imposed, and except as provided in paragraph (5.2) or (5.3), a person convicted of violating subsection (c) of Section 11-907 of the Illinois Vehicle Code shall have his or her driver's license, permit, or privileges suspended for at least 90 days but not more than one year, if the violation resulted in damage to the property of another person.
- (5.2) In addition to any other penalties imposed, and except as provided in paragraph (5.3), a person convicted of violating subsection (c) of Section 11-907 of the Illinois Vehicle Code shall have his or her driver's license, permit, or privileges suspended for at least 180 days but not more than 2 years, if the violation resulted in injury to another person.

- (5.3) In addition to any other penalties imposed, a person convicted of violating subsection (c) of Section 11-907 of the Illinois Vehicle Code shall have his or her driver's license, permit, or privileges suspended for 2 years, if the violation resulted in the death of another person.
- (5.4) In addition to any other penalties imposed, a person convicted of violating Section 3-707 of the Illinois Vehicle Code shall have his or her driver's license, permit, or privileges suspended for 3 months and until he or she has paid a reinstatement fee of \$100.
- (5.5) In addition to any other penalties imposed, a person convicted of violating Section 3-707 of the Illinois Vehicle Code during a period in which his or her driver's license, permit, or privileges were suspended for a previous violation of that Section shall have his or her driver's license, permit, or privileges suspended for an additional 6 months after the expiration of the original 3-month suspension and until he or she has paid a reinstatement fee of \$100.
  - (6) (Blank).
  - (7) (Blank).
  - (8) (Blank).
- (9) A defendant convicted of a second or subsequent offense of ritualized abuse of a child may be sentenced to a term of natural life imprisonment.
  - (10) (Blank).
- (11) The court shall impose a minimum fine of \$1,000 for a first offense and \$2,000 for a second or subsequent offense upon a person convicted of or placed on supervision for battery when the individual harmed was a sports official or coach at any level of competition and the act causing harm to the sports official or coach occurred within an athletic facility or within the immediate vicinity of the athletic facility at which the sports official or coach was an active participant of the athletic contest held at the athletic facility. For the purposes of this paragraph (11), "sports official" means a person at an athletic contest who enforces the rules of the contest, such as an umpire or referee; "athletic facility" means an indoor or outdoor playing field or recreational area where sports activities are conducted; and "coach" means a person recognized as a coach by the sanctioning authority that conducted the sporting event.
- (12) A person may not receive a disposition of court supervision for a violation of Section 5-16 of the Boat Registration and Safety Act if that person has previously received a disposition of court supervision for a violation of that Section.
- (13) A person convicted of or placed on court supervision for an assault or aggravated assault when the victim and the offender are family or household members as defined in Section 103 of the Illinois Domestic Violence Act of 1986 or convicted of domestic battery or aggravated domestic battery may be required to attend a Partner Abuse Intervention Program under protocols set forth by the Illinois Department of Human Services under such terms and conditions imposed by the court. The costs of such classes shall be paid by the offender.
- (d) In any case in which a sentence originally imposed is vacated, the case shall be remanded to the trial court. The trial court shall hold a hearing under Section 5-4-1 of the Unified Code of Corrections which may include evidence of the defendant's life, moral character and occupation during the time since the original sentence was passed. The trial court shall then impose sentence upon the defendant. The trial court may impose any sentence which could have been imposed at the original trial subject to Section 5-5-4 of the Unified Code of Corrections. If a sentence is vacated on appeal or on collateral attack due to the failure of the trier of fact at trial to determine beyond a reasonable doubt the existence of a fact (other than a prior conviction) necessary to increase the punishment for the offense beyond the statutory maximum otherwise applicable, either the defendant may be re-sentenced to a term within the range otherwise provided or, if the State files notice of its intention to again seek the extended sentence, the defendant shall be afforded a new trial.
- (e) In cases where prosecution for aggravated criminal sexual abuse under Section 11-1.60 or 12-16 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012 results in conviction of a defendant who was a family member of the victim at the time of the commission of the offense, the court shall consider the safety and welfare of the victim and may impose a sentence of probation only where:
  - (1) the court finds (A) or (B) or both are appropriate:
  - (A) the defendant is willing to undergo a court approved counseling program for a minimum duration of 2 years; or
  - (B) the defendant is willing to participate in a court approved plan including but not limited to the defendant's:
    - (i) removal from the household;
    - (ii) restricted contact with the victim:
    - (iii) continued financial support of the family;
    - (iv) restitution for harm done to the victim; and

- (v) compliance with any other measures that the court may deem appropriate; and
- (2) the court orders the defendant to pay for the victim's counseling services, to the extent that the court finds, after considering the defendant's income and assets, that the defendant is financially capable of paying for such services, if the victim was under 18 years of age at the time the offense was committed and requires counseling as a result of the offense.

Probation may be revoked or modified pursuant to Section 5-6-4; except where the court determines at the hearing that the defendant violated a condition of his or her probation restricting contact with the victim or other family members or commits another offense with the victim or other family members, the court shall revoke the defendant's probation and impose a term of imprisonment.

For the purposes of this Section, "family member" and "victim" shall have the meanings ascribed to them in Section 11-0.1 of the Criminal Code of 2012.

- (f) (Blank).
- (g) Whenever a defendant is convicted of an offense under Sections 11-1.20, 11-1.30, 11-1.40, 11-1.50, 11-1.60, 11-14, 11-14.3, 11-14.4 except for an offense that involves keeping a place of juvenile prostitution, 11-15, 11-15, 1, 11-16, 11-17, 11-18, 11-18, 1, 11-19, 1, 11-19, 1, 11-19, 1, 2, 12-13, 12-14, 12-14, 1, 12-15 or 12-16 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012, the defendant shall undergo medical testing to determine whether the defendant has any sexually transmissible disease, including a test for infection with human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) or any other identified causative agent of acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS). Any such medical test shall be performed only by appropriately licensed medical practitioners and may include an analysis of any bodily fluids as well as an examination of the defendant's person. Except as otherwise provided by law, the results of such test shall be kept strictly confidential by all medical personnel involved in the testing and must be personally delivered in a sealed envelope to the judge of the court in which the conviction was entered for the judge's inspection in camera. Acting in accordance with the best interests of the victim and the public, the judge shall have the discretion to determine to whom, if anyone, the results of the testing may be revealed. The court shall notify the defendant of the test results. The court shall also notify the victim if requested by the victim, and if the victim is under the age of 15 and if requested by the victim's parents or legal guardian, the court shall notify the victim's parents or legal guardian of the test results. The court shall provide information on the availability of HIV testing and counseling at Department of Public Health facilities to all parties to whom the results of the testing are revealed and shall direct the State's Attorney to provide the information to the victim when possible. A State's Attorney may petition the court to obtain the results of any HIV test administered under this Section, and the court shall grant the disclosure if the State's Attorney shows it is relevant in order to prosecute a charge of criminal transmission of HIV under Section 12-5.01 or 12-16.2 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012 against the defendant. The court shall order that the cost of any such test shall be paid by the county and may be taxed as costs against the convicted defendant.
- (g-5) When an inmate is tested for an airborne communicable disease, as determined by the Illinois Department of Public Health including but not limited to tuberculosis, the results of the test shall be personally delivered by the warden or his or her designee in a sealed envelope to the judge of the court in which the inmate must appear for the judge's inspection in camera if requested by the judge. Acting in accordance with the best interests of those in the courtroom, the judge shall have the discretion to determine what if any precautions need to be taken to prevent transmission of the disease in the courtroom.
- (h) Whenever a defendant is convicted of an offense under Section 1 or 2 of the Hypodermic Syringes and Needles Act, the defendant shall undergo medical testing to determine whether the defendant has been exposed to human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) or any other identified causative agent of acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS). Except as otherwise provided by law, the results of such test shall be kept strictly confidential by all medical personnel involved in the testing and must be personally delivered in a sealed envelope to the judge of the court in which the conviction was entered for the judge's inspection in camera. Acting in accordance with the best interests of the public, the judge shall have the discretion to determine to whom, if anyone, the results of the testing may be revealed. The court shall notify the defendant of a positive test showing an infection with the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV). The court shall provide information on the availability of HIV testing and counseling at Department of Public Health facilities to all parties to whom the results of the testing are revealed and shall direct the State's Attorney to provide the information to the victim when possible. A State's Attorney may petition the court to obtain the results of any HIV test administered under this Section, and the court shall grant the disclosure if the State's Attorney shows it is relevant in order to prosecute a charge of criminal transmission of HIV under Section 12-5.01 or 12-16.2 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012 against the defendant. The court shall order that the cost of any such test shall be paid by the county and may be taxed as costs against the convicted defendant.

- (i) All fines and penalties imposed under this Section for any violation of Chapters 3, 4, 6, and 11 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, or a similar provision of a local ordinance, and any violation of the Child Passenger Protection Act, or a similar provision of a local ordinance, shall be collected and disbursed by the circuit clerk as provided under Section 27.5 of the Clerks of Courts Act.
- (j) In cases when prosecution for any violation of Section 11-1.20, 11-1.30, 11-1.40, 11-1.50, 11-1.60, 11-6, 11-8, 11-9, 11-11, 11-14, 11-14.3, 11-14.4, 11-15, 11-15.1, 11-16, 11-17, 11-17.1, 11-18, 11-18.1, 11-19, 11-19.1, 11-19.2, 11-20.1, 11-20.1B, 11-20.3, 11-21, 11-30, 11-40, 12-13, 12-14, 12-14.1, 12-15, or 12-16 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012, any violation of the Illinois Controlled Substances Act, any violation of the Cannabis Control Act, or any violation of the Methamphetamine Control and Community Protection Act results in conviction, a disposition of court supervision, or an order of probation granted under Section 10 of the Cannabis Control Act, Section 410 of the Illinois Controlled Substances Act, or Section 70 of the Methamphetamine Control and Community Protection Act of a defendant, the court shall determine whether the defendant is employed by a facility or center as defined under the Child Care Act of 1969, a public or private elementary or secondary school, or otherwise works with children under 18 years of age on a daily basis. When a defendant is so employed, the court shall order the Clerk of the Court to send a copy of the judgment of conviction or order of supervision or probation to the defendant's employer by certified mail. If the employer of the defendant is a school, the Clerk of the Court shall direct the mailing of a copy of the judgment of conviction or order of supervision or probation to the appropriate regional superintendent of schools. The regional superintendent of schools shall notify the State Board of Education of any notification under this subsection.
- (i-5) A defendant at least 17 years of age who is convicted of a felony and who has not been previously convicted of a misdemeanor or felony and who is sentenced to a term of imprisonment in the Illinois Department of Corrections shall as a condition of his or her sentence be required by the court to attend educational courses designed to prepare the defendant for a high school diploma and to work toward a high school diploma or to work toward passing high school equivalency testing or to work toward completing a vocational training program offered by the Department of Corrections. If a defendant fails to complete the educational training required by his or her sentence during the term of incarceration, the Prisoner Review Board shall, as a condition of mandatory supervised release, require the defendant, at his or her own expense, to pursue a course of study toward a high school diploma or passage of high school equivalency testing. The Prisoner Review Board shall revoke the mandatory supervised release of a defendant who wilfully fails to comply with this subsection (j-5) upon his or her release from confinement in a penal institution while serving a mandatory supervised release term; however, the inability of the defendant after making a good faith effort to obtain financial aid or pay for the educational training shall not be deemed a wilful failure to comply. The Prisoner Review Board shall recommit the defendant whose mandatory supervised release term has been revoked under this subsection (j-5) as provided in Section 3-3-9. This subsection (j-5) does not apply to a defendant who has a high school diploma or has successfully passed high school equivalency testing. This subsection (j-5) does not apply to a defendant who is determined by the court to be a person with a developmental disability or otherwise mentally incapable of completing the educational or vocational program.
  - (k) (Blank).
- (l) (A) Except as provided in paragraph (C) of subsection (l), whenever a defendant, who is an alien as defined by the Immigration and Nationality Act, is convicted of any felony or misdemeanor offense, the court after sentencing the defendant may, upon motion of the State's Attorney, hold sentence in abeyance and remand the defendant to the custody of the Attorney General of the United States or his or her designated agent to be deported when:
  - (1) a final order of deportation has been issued against the defendant pursuant to proceedings under the Immigration and Nationality Act, and
  - (2) the deportation of the defendant would not deprecate the seriousness of the defendant's conduct and would not be inconsistent with the ends of justice.

Otherwise, the defendant shall be sentenced as provided in this Chapter V.

- (B) If the defendant has already been sentenced for a felony or misdemeanor offense, or has been placed on probation under Section 10 of the Cannabis Control Act, Section 410 of the Illinois Controlled Substances Act, or Section 70 of the Methamphetamine Control and Community Protection Act, the court may, upon motion of the State's Attorney to suspend the sentence imposed, commit the defendant to the custody of the Attorney General of the United States or his or her designated agent when:
  - (1) a final order of deportation has been issued against the defendant pursuant to proceedings under the Immigration and Nationality Act, and
    - (2) the deportation of the defendant would not deprecate the seriousness of the

defendant's conduct and would not be inconsistent with the ends of justice.

(C) This subsection (l) does not apply to offenders who are subject to the provisions of paragraph (2) of subsection (a) of Section 3-6-3.

(D) Upon motion of the State's Attorney, if a defendant sentenced under this Section returns to the jurisdiction of the United States, the defendant shall be recommitted to the custody of the county from which he or she was sentenced. Thereafter, the defendant shall be brought before the sentencing court, which may impose any sentence that was available under Section 5-5-3 at the time of initial sentencing. In addition, the defendant shall not be eligible for additional <u>earned</u> sentence credit for good conduct as provided under Section 3-6-3.

- (m) A person convicted of criminal defacement of property under Section 21-1.3 of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012, in which the property damage exceeds \$300 and the property damaged is a school building, shall be ordered to perform community service that may include cleanup, removal, or painting over the defacement.
- (n) The court may sentence a person convicted of a violation of Section 12-19, 12-21, 16-1.3, or 17-56, or subsection (a) or (b) of Section 12-4.4a, of the Criminal Code of 1961 or the Criminal Code of 2012 (i) to an impact incarceration program if the person is otherwise eligible for that program under Section 5-8-1.1, (ii) to community service, or (iii) if the person is an addict or alcoholic, as defined in the Alcoholism and Other Drug Abuse and Dependency Act, to a substance or alcohol abuse program licensed under that Act.

(o) Whenever a person is convicted of a sex offense as defined in Section 2 of the Sex Offender Registration Act, the defendant's driver's license or permit shall be subject to renewal on an annual basis in accordance with the provisions of license renewal established by the Secretary of State. (Source: P.A. 98-718, eff. 1-1-15; 98-756, eff. 7-16-14; 99-143, eff. 7-27-15; 99-885, eff. 8-23-16.)".

Under the rules, the foregoing **Senate Bill No. 2872**, with House Amendment No. 2, was referred to the Secretary's Desk.

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 2901

A bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

Together with the following amendments which are attached, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

House Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 2901 House Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 2901

Passed the House, as amended, January 9, 2017.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES. Clerk of the House

# AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 2901

AMENDMENT NO. <u>1</u>. Amend Senate Bill 2901 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Pharmacy Practice Act is amended by changing Section 8 as follows:

(225 ILCS 85/8) (from Ch. 111, par. 4128)

(Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2018)

Sec. 8. Licensure by endorsement; emergency licensure. The The Department may, in its discretion, license as a pharmacist, without examination, on payment of the required fee, an applicant who is so licensed under the laws of another U.S. jurisdiction or another country, if the requirements for licensure in the other jurisdiction in which the applicant was licensed, were, at the date of his or her licensure deemed by the Board to be substantially equivalent to the requirements then in force in this State.

A person holding an active, unencumbered license in good standing in another jurisdiction who applies for a license pursuant to Section 7 of this Act due to a natural disaster or catastrophic event in another jurisdiction may be temporarily authorized by the Secretary to practice pharmacy pending the issuance of the license. This temporary authorization shall expire upon issuance of the license or upon notification that the Department has denied licensure.

Upon a declared Executive Order due to an emergency caused by a natural or manmade disaster or any other exceptional situation that causes an extraordinary demand for pharmacist services, the Department may issue a pharmacist who holds a license to practice pharmacy in another state an emergency license to practice in this State.

(Source: P.A. 95-689, eff. 10-29-07.)".

### AMENDMENT NO. 4 TO SENATE BILL 2901

AMENDMENT NO. <u>4</u>. Amend Senate Bill 2901, AS AMENDED, by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 2. The Illinois Insurance Code is amended by changing Sections 456, 457, and 458 and by adding Section 462a as follows:

(215 ILCS 5/456) (from Ch. 73, par. 1065.3)

Sec. 456. Making of rates. (1) All rates shall be made in accordance with the following provisions:

- (a) Due consideration shall be given to past and prospective loss experience within and outside this state, to catastrophe hazards, if any, to a reasonable margin for profit and contingencies, to dividends, savings or unabsorbed premium deposits allowed or returned by companies to their policyholders, members or subscribers, to past and prospective expenses both countrywide and those specially applicable to this state, to underwriting practice and judgment and to all other relevant factors within and outside this state;
- (b) The systems of expense provisions included in the rates for use by any company or group of companies may differ from those of other companies or groups of companies to reflect the requirements of the operating methods of any such company or group with respect to any kind of insurance, or with respect to any subdivision or combination thereof for which subdivision or combination separate expense provisions are applicable;
- (c) Risks may be grouped by classifications for the establishment of rates and minimum premiums. Classification rates may be modified to produce rates for individual risks in accordance with rating plans which measure variation in hazards or expense provisions, or both. Such rating plans may measure any differences among risks that have a probable effect upon losses or expenses;
  - (d) Rates shall not be excessive, inadequate or unfairly discriminatory.

A rate in a competitive market is not excessive. A rate in a noncompetitive market is excessive if it is likely to produce a long run profit that is unreasonably high for the insurance provided or if expenses are unreasonably high in relation to the services rendered.

A rate is not inadequate unless such rate is clearly insufficient to sustain projected losses and expenses in the class of business to which it applies and the use of such rate has or, if continued, will have the effect of substantially lessening competition or the tendency to create monopoly in any market.

Unfair discrimination exists if, after allowing for practical limitations, price differentials fail to reflect equitably the differences in expected losses and expenses. A rate is not unfairly discriminatory because different premiums result for policyholders with like exposures but different expenses, or like expenses but different loss exposures, so long as the rate reflects the differences with reasonable accuracy.

- (e) The rating plan shall contain a mandatory offer of a deductible applicable only to the medical benefit under the Workers' Compensation Act. Such deductible offer shall be in a minimum amount of at least \$1,000 per accident.
- (f) Any rating plan or program shall include a rule permitting 2 or more employers with similar risk characteristics, who participate in a loss prevention program or safety group, to pool their premium and loss experience in determining their rate or premium for such participation in the program.
- (2) Except to the extent necessary to meet the provisions of subdivision (d) of subsection (1) of this Section, uniformity among companies in any matters within the scope of this Section is neither required nor prohibited.

(Source: P.A. 82-939.)

(215 ILCS 5/457) (from Ch. 73, par. 1065.4)

Sec. 457. Rate filings. (1) Every Beginning January 1, 1983, every company shall prefile file with the Director every manual of classifications, every manual of rules and rates, every rating plan and every modification of the foregoing which it intends to use. Such filings shall be made at least not later than 30 days before after they become effective. A company may satisfy its obligation to make such filings by adopting the filing of a licensed rating organization of which it is a member or subscriber, filed pursuant to subsection (2) of this Section, in total or with the approval of the Director, by notifying the Director in what respects it intends to deviate from such filing. If a company intends to deviate from the filing of a licensed rating organization of which it is a member, the company shall provide the Director with

supporting information that specifies the basis for the requested deviation and provides justification for the deviation. Any company adopting a pure premium filed by a rating organization pursuant to subsection (2) must file with the Director the modification factor it is using for expenses and profit so that the final rates in use by such company can be determined.

- (2) Each Beginning January 1, 1983, each licensed rating organization must prefile file with the Director every manual of classification, every manual of rules and advisory rates, every pure premium which has been fully adjusted and fully developed, every rating plan and every modification of any of the foregoing which it intends to recommend for use to its members and subscribers, at least not later than 30 days before after such manual, premium, plan or modification thereof takes effect. Every licensed rating organization shall also file with the Director the rate classification system, all rating rules, rating plans, policy forms, underwriting rules or similar materials, and each modification of any of the foregoing which it requires its members and subscribers to adhere to not later than 30 days before such filings or modifications thereof are to take effect. Every such filing shall state the proposed effective date thereof and shall indicate the character and extent of the coverage contemplated.
- (3) A filing and any supporting information made pursuant to this Section shall be open to public inspection as soon as filed after the filing becomes effective.
- (4) A filing shall not be effective nor used until approved by the Director. A filing shall be deemed approved if the Director fails to disapprove within 30 days after the filing. (Source: P.A. 82-939.)

(215 ILCS 5/458) (from Ch. 73, par. 1065.5)

- Sec. 458. Disapproval of filings. (1) If within 30 thirty days of any filing the Director finds that such filing does not meet the requirements of this Article, he shall send to the company or rating organization which made such filing a written notice of disapproval of such filing, specifying therein in what respects he finds that such filing fails to meet the requirements of this Article and stating when, within a reasonable period thereafter, such filing shall be deemed no longer effective. A company or rating organization whose filing has been disapproved shall be given a hearing upon a written request made within 30 days after the disapproval order. If the company or rating organization making the filing shall, prior to the expiration of the period prescribed in the notice, request a hearing, such filings shall be effective until the expiration of a reasonable period specified in any order entered thereon. If the rate resulting from such filing be unfairly discriminatory or materially inadequate, and the difference between such rate and the approved rate equals or exceeds the cost of making an adjustment, the Director shall in such notice or order direct an adjustment of the premium to be made with the policyholder either by refund or collection of additional premium. If the policyholder does not accept the increased rate, cancellation shall be made on a pro rata basis. Any policy issued pursuant to this subsection shall contain a provision that the premium thereon shall be subject to adjustment upon the basis of the filing finally approved.
- (2) If at any time subsequent to the applicable review period provided for in subsection (1) of this Section, the Director finds that a filing does not meet the requirements of this Article, he shall, after a hearing held upon not less than ten days written notice, specifying the matters to be considered at such hearing, to every company and rating organization which made such filing, issue an order specifying in what respects he finds that such filing fails to meet the requirements of this Article, and stating when, within a reasonable period thereafter, such filings shall be deemed no longer effective. Copies of said order shall be sent to every such company and rating organization. Said order shall not affect any contract or policy made or issued prior to the expiration of the period set forth in said order.
- (3) Any person or organization aggrieved with respect to any filing which is in effect may make written application to the Director for a hearing thereon, provided, however, that the company or rating organization that made the filing shall not be authorized to proceed under this subsection. Such application shall specify the grounds to be relied upon by the applicant. If the Director shall find that the application is made in good faith, that the applicant would be so aggrieved if his grounds are established, and that such grounds otherwise justify holding such a hearing, he shall, within thirty days after receipt of such application, hold a hearing upon not less than ten days written notice to the applicant and to every company and rating organization which made such filing.

If, after such hearing, the Director finds that the filing does not meet the requirements of this Article, he shall issue an order specifying in what respects he finds that such filing fails to meet the requirements of this Article, and stating when, within a reasonable period thereafter, such filing shall be deemed no longer effective. Copies of said order shall be sent to the applicant and to every such company and rating organization. Said order shall not affect any contract or policy made or issued prior to the expiration of the period set forth in said order.

(4) Whenever an insurer has no legally effective rates as a result of the Director's disapproval of rates or other act, the Director shall on request of the insurer specify interim rates for the insurer that are high

enough to protect the interests of all parties and may order that a specified portion of the premiums be placed in an escrow account approved by him or her. When new rates become legally effective, the Director shall order the escrowed funds or any overcharge in the interim rates to be distributed appropriately, except that refunds to policyholders that are de minimis shall not be required. (Source: P.A. 82-939.)

(215 ILCS 5/462a new)

Sec. 462a. Premiums; review.

(a) Premiums shall not be excessive. A premium is excessive if it is likely to produce a profit that is unreasonably high for the insurance provided or if expenses are unreasonably high in relation to the coverage or services rendered.

(b) At any time, an insured may file a request for review of a premium with the Director. The request shall be in such form as the Director prescribes and shall specify the grounds on which the premium is excessive.

If, within 30 days of any proper request for review under this Section, the Director finds that the premium does not meet the requirements of this Section, he or she shall send to the insurer a written notice of disapproval of premium, specifying therein in what respects he or she finds that the premium fails to meet the requirements of this Section, stating when, within a reasonable period thereafter, the premium shall be deemed no longer effective, and ordering an adjustment of the premium. An insurer whose premium has been disapproved shall be given a hearing upon a written request made within 30 days after the disapproval order. If the insurer requests a hearing, the premium shall be effective until the expiration of a reasonable period specified in any order entered thereon. If, after a hearing, the premium is found to be excessive, the Director shall order an adjustment of the premium. The insurer shall refund to the insured any amount found to be excessive under this Section.

If the Director finds that a review is not warranted or a premium is not excessive, he or she shall provide notice of that decision to the insured and the insurer.

(c) An insurer shall provide all information requested by the Director as he or she determines necessary to assist in review of premiums under this Section.

(215 ILCS 5/460 rep.)

Section 3. The Illinois Insurance Code is amended by repealing Section 460.

Section 6. The Workers' Compensation Act is amended by changing Sections 1, 8, 8.1b, 8.2a, 14, 19, 25.5, and 29.2 and by adding Sections 4e, 8.1, and 29.3 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.

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) 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.

For the purposes of this subsection (d):

"In the course of employment" refers to the time, place, and circumstances surrounding the accidental injuries.

"Arising out of the employment" refers to 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.

(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 was 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 employer 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; and 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 305/4e new)

Sec. 4e. Safety programs and return to work programs; recalculation of premiums and waiver of self-insurers fee.

(a) An employer may file with the Commission a workers' compensation safety program or a workers' compensation return to work program implemented by the employer. The Commission may certify any such safety program as a bona fide safety program after reviewing the program for the following minimum requirements: adequate safety training for employees; establishment of joint employer-employee safety committees; use of safety devices; and consultation with safety organizations. The Commission may certify any such return to work program as a bona fide return to work program after reviewing the program for the following minimum requirements: light duty or restricted duty work; leave of absence policy; and full duty return to work policy. The Commission shall notify the Department of Insurance of the certification.

(b) Upon receipt of a certification notice from the Commission under this Section related to an employer that provides workers' compensation through an insurer, the Director of Insurance shall immediately direct in writing the employer's workers' compensation insurer to recalculate the workers' compensation premium rates for the employer so that those premium rates incorporate and take into account the certified program.

(c) If any workers' compensation safety program or a workers' compensation return to work program implemented by a self-insured employer is certified under this Section, the annual fee under Section 4d of this Act shall be reduced by 30% for the self-insured employer as long as the workers' compensation safety

program or a workers' compensation return to work program continues. The self-insured employer shall certify the continuation of the program by each July 1 after the waiver is obtained.

(820 ILCS 305/8) (from Ch. 48, par. 138.8)

Sec. 8. The amount of compensation which shall be paid to the employee for an accidental injury not resulting in death is:

(a) The employer shall provide and pay the negotiated rate, if applicable, or the lesser of the health care provider's actual charges or according to a fee schedule, subject to Section 8.2, in effect at the time the service was rendered for all the necessary first aid, medical and surgical services, and all necessary medical, surgical and hospital services thereafter incurred, limited, however, to that which is reasonably required to cure or relieve from the effects of the accidental injury, even if a health care provider sells, transfers, or otherwise assigns an account receivable for procedures, treatments, or services covered under this Act. If the employer does not dispute payment of first aid, medical, surgical, and hospital services, the employer shall make such payment to the provider on behalf of the employee. The employer shall also pay for treatment, instruction and training necessary for the physical, mental and vocational rehabilitation of the employee, including all maintenance costs and expenses incidental thereto. If as a result of the injury the employee is unable to be self-sufficient the employer shall further pay for such maintenance or institutional care as shall be required.

The employee may at any time elect to secure his own physician, surgeon and hospital services at the employer's expense, or,

Upon agreement between the employer and the employees, or the employees' exclusive representative, and subject to the approval of the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission, the employer shall maintain a list of physicians, to be known as a Panel of Physicians, who are accessible to the employees. The employer shall post this list in a place or places easily accessible to his employees. The employee shall have the right to make an alternative choice of physician from such Panel if he is not satisfied with the physician first selected. If, due to the nature of the injury or its occurrence away from the employer's place of business, the employee is unable to make a selection from the Panel, the selection process from the Panel shall not apply. The physician selected from the Panel may arrange for any consultation, referral or other specialized medical services outside the Panel at the employer's expense. Provided that, in the event the Commission shall find that a doctor selected by the employee is rendering improper or inadequate care, the Commission may order the employee to select another doctor certified or qualified in the medical field for which treatment is required. If the employee refuses to make such change the Commission may relieve the employer of his obligation to pay the doctor's charges from the date of refusal to the date of compliance.

Any vocational rehabilitation counselors who provide service under this Act shall have appropriate certifications which designate the counselor as qualified to render opinions relating to vocational rehabilitation. Vocational rehabilitation may include, but is not limited to, counseling for job searches, supervising a job search program, and vocational retraining including education at an accredited learning institution. The employee or employer may petition to the Commission to decide disputes relating to vocational rehabilitation and the Commission shall resolve any such dispute, including payment of the vocational rehabilitation program by the employer.

The maintenance benefit shall not be less than the temporary total disability rate determined for the employee. In addition, maintenance shall include costs and expenses incidental to the vocational rehabilitation program.

When the employee is working light duty on a part-time basis or full-time basis and earns less than he or she would be earning if employed in the full capacity of the job or jobs, then the employee shall be entitled to temporary partial disability benefits. Temporary partial disability benefits shall be equal to two-thirds of the difference between the average amount that the employee would be able to earn in the full performance of his or her duties in the occupation in which he or she was engaged at the time of accident and the gross amount which he or she is earning in the modified job provided to the employee by the employer or in any other job that the employee is working.

Every hospital, physician, surgeon or other person rendering treatment or services in accordance with the provisions of this Section shall upon written request furnish full and complete reports thereof to, and permit their records to be copied by, the employer, the employee or his dependents, as the case may be, or any other party to any proceeding for compensation before the Commission, or their attorneys.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, the employer's liability to pay for such medical services selected by the employee shall be limited to:

- (1) all first aid and emergency treatment; plus
- (2) all medical, surgical and hospital services provided by the physician, surgeon or

hospital initially chosen by the employee or by any other physician, consultant, expert, institution or other provider of services recommended by said initial service provider or any subsequent provider of medical services in the chain of referrals from said initial service provider; plus

- (3) all medical, surgical and hospital services provided by any second physician, surgeon or hospital subsequently chosen by the employee or by any other physician, consultant, expert, institution or other provider of services recommended by said second service provider or any subsequent provider of medical services in the chain of referrals from said second service provider. Thereafter the employer shall select and pay for all necessary medical, surgical and hospital treatment and the employee may not select a provider of medical services at the employer's expense unless the employer agrees to such selection. At any time the employee may obtain any medical treatment he desires at his own expense. This paragraph shall not affect the duty to pay for rehabilitation referred to above.
- (4) The following shall apply for injuries occurring on or after June 28, 2011 (the effective date of Public Act 97-18) and only when an employer has an approved preferred provider program pursuant to Section 8.1a on the date the employee sustained his or her accidental injuries:
  - (A) The employer shall, in writing, on a form promulgated by the Commission, inform the employee of the preferred provider program;
  - (B) Subsequent to the report of an injury by an employee, the employee may choose in writing at any time to decline the preferred provider program, in which case that would constitute one of the two choices of medical providers to which the employee is entitled under subsection (a)(2) or (a)(3); and
  - (C) Prior to the report of an injury by an employee, when an employee chooses non-emergency treatment from a provider not within the preferred provider program, that would constitute the employee's one choice of medical providers to which the employee is entitled under subsection (a)(2) or (a)(3).

When an employer and employee so agree in writing, nothing in this Act prevents an employee whose injury or disability has been established under this Act, from relying in good faith, on treatment by prayer or spiritual means alone, in accordance with the tenets and practice of a recognized church or religious denomination, by a duly accredited practitioner thereof, and having nursing services appropriate therewith, without suffering loss or diminution of the compensation benefits under this Act. However, the employee shall submit to all physical examinations required by this Act. The cost of such treatment and nursing care shall be paid by the employee unless the employer agrees to make such payment.

Where the accidental injury results in the amputation of an arm, hand, leg or foot, or the enucleation of an eye, or the loss of any of the natural teeth, the employer shall furnish an artificial of any such members lost or damaged in accidental injury arising out of and in the course of employment, and shall also furnish the necessary braces in all proper and necessary cases. In cases of the loss of a member or members by amputation, the employer shall, whenever necessary, maintain in good repair, refit or replace the artificial limbs during the lifetime of the employee. Where the accidental injury accompanied by physical injury results in damage to a denture, eye glasses or contact eye lenses, or where the accidental injury results in damage to an artificial member, the employer shall replace or repair such denture, glasses, lenses, or artificial member.

The furnishing by the employer of any such services or appliances is not an admission of liability on the part of the employer to pay compensation.

The furnishing of any such services or appliances or the servicing thereof by the employer is not the payment of compensation.

- (b) If the period of temporary total incapacity for work lasts more than 3 working days, weekly compensation as hereinafter provided shall be paid beginning on the 4th day of such temporary total incapacity and continuing as long as the total temporary incapacity lasts. In cases where the temporary total incapacity for work continues for a period of 14 days or more from the day of the accident compensation shall commence on the day after the accident.
  - 1. The compensation rate for temporary total incapacity under this paragraph (b) of this Section shall be equal to 66 2/3% of the employee's average weekly wage computed in accordance with Section 10, provided that it shall be not less than 66 2/3% of the sum of the Federal minimum wage under the Fair Labor Standards Act, or the Illinois minimum wage under the Minimum Wage Law, whichever is more, multiplied by 40 hours. This percentage rate shall be increased by 10% for each spouse and child, not to exceed 100% of the total minimum wage calculation, nor exceed the employee's average weekly wage computed in accordance with the provisions of Section 10, whichever is less.
  - 2. The compensation rate in all cases other than for temporary total disability under this paragraph (b), and other than for serious and permanent disfigurement under paragraph (c) and other than for permanent partial disability under subparagraph (2) of paragraph (d) or under paragraph

- (e), of this Section shall be equal to 66 2/3% of the employee's average weekly wage computed in accordance with the provisions of Section 10, provided that it shall be not less than 66 2/3% of the sum of the Federal minimum wage under the Fair Labor Standards Act, or the Illinois minimum wage under the Minimum Wage Law, whichever is more, multiplied by 40 hours. This percentage rate shall be increased by 10% for each spouse and child, not to exceed 100% of the total minimum wage calculation, nor exceed the employee's average weekly wage computed in accordance with the provisions of Section 10, whichever is less.
- 2.1. The compensation rate in all cases of serious and permanent disfigurement under paragraph (c) and of permanent partial disability under subparagraph (2) of paragraph (d) or under paragraph (e) of this Section shall be equal to 60% of the employee's average weekly wage computed in accordance with the provisions of Section 10, provided that it shall be not less than 66 2/3% of the sum of the Federal minimum wage under the Fair Labor Standards Act, or the Illinois minimum wage under the Minimum Wage Law, whichever is more, multiplied by 40 hours. This percentage rate shall be increased by 10% for each spouse and child, not to exceed 100% of the total minimum wage calculation, nor exceed the employee's average weekly wage computed in accordance with the provisions of Section 10, whichever is less.
- 3. As used in this Section the term "child" means a child of the employee including any child legally adopted before the accident or whom at the time of the accident the employee was under legal obligation to support or to whom the employee stood in loco parentis, and who at the time of the accident was under 18 years of age and not emancipated. The term "children" means the plural of "child".
- 4. All weekly compensation rates provided under subparagraphs 1, 2 and 2.1 of this paragraph (b) of this Section shall be subject to the following limitations:

The maximum weekly compensation rate from July 1, 1975, except as hereinafter provided, shall be 100% of the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act, that being the wage that most closely approximates the State's average weekly wage.

The maximum weekly compensation rate, for the period July 1, 1984, through June 30, 1987, except as hereinafter provided, shall be \$293.61. Effective July 1, 1987 and on July 1 of each year thereafter the maximum weekly compensation rate, except as hereinafter provided, shall be determined as follows: if during the preceding 12 month period there shall have been an increase in the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act, the weekly compensation rate shall be proportionately increased by the same percentage as the percentage of increase in the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act during such period.

The maximum weekly compensation rate, for the period January 1, 1981 through December 31, 1983, except as hereinafter provided, shall be 100% of the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act in effect on January 1, 1981. Effective January 1, 1984 and on January 1, of each year thereafter the maximum weekly compensation rate, except as hereinafter provided, shall be determined as follows: if during the preceding 12 month period there shall have been an increase in the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act, the weekly compensation rate shall be proportionately increased by the same percentage as the percentage of increase in the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act during such period.

From July 1, 1977 and thereafter such maximum weekly compensation rate in death cases under Section 7, and permanent total disability cases under paragraph (f) or subparagraph 18 of paragraph (3) of this Section and for temporary total disability under paragraph (b) of this Section and for amputation of a member or enucleation of an eye under paragraph (e) of this Section shall be increased to 133-1/3% of the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act.

For injuries occurring on or after February 1, 2006, the maximum weekly benefit under paragraph (d)1 of this Section shall be 100% of the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act.

- 4.1. Any provision herein to the contrary notwithstanding, the weekly compensation rate for compensation payments under subparagraph 18 of paragraph (e) of this Section and under paragraph (f) of this Section and under paragraph (a) of Section 7 and for amputation of a member or enucleation of an eye under paragraph (e) of this Section, shall in no event be less than 50% of the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act.
- 4.2. Any provision to the contrary notwithstanding, the total compensation payable under Section 7 shall not exceed the greater of \$500,000 or 25 years.

- 5. For the purpose of this Section this State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act on July 1, 1975 is hereby fixed at \$228.16 per week and the computation of compensation rates shall be based on the aforesaid average weekly wage until modified as hereinafter provided.
- 6. The Department of Employment Security of the State shall on or before the first day of December, 1977, and on or before the first day of June, 1978, and on the first day of each December and June of each year thereafter, publish the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act and the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission shall on the 15th day of January, 1978 and on the 15th day of July, 1978 and on the 15th day of each January and July of each year thereafter, post and publish the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act as last determined and published by the Department of Employment Security. The amount when so posted and published shall be conclusive and shall be applicable as the basis of computation of compensation rates until the next posting and publication as aforesaid.
- 7. The payment of compensation by an employer or his insurance carrier to an injured employee shall not constitute an admission of the employer's liability to pay compensation.
- (c) For any serious and permanent disfigurement to the hand, head, face, neck, arm, leg below the knee or the chest above the axillary line, the employee is entitled to compensation for such disfigurement, the amount determined by agreement at any time or by arbitration under this Act, at a hearing not less than 6 months after the date of the accidental injury, which amount shall not exceed 150 weeks (if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006) or 162 weeks (if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006) at the applicable rate provided in subparagraph 2.1 of paragraph (b) of this Section.

No compensation is payable under this paragraph where compensation is payable under paragraphs (d), (e) or (f) of this Section.

A duly appointed member of a fire department in a city, the population of which exceeds 500,000 according to the last federal or State census, is eligible for compensation under this paragraph only where such serious and permanent disfigurement results from burns.

- (d) 1. If, after the accidental injury has been sustained, the employee as a result thereof becomes partially incapacitated from pursuing his usual and customary line of employment, he shall, except in cases compensated under the specific schedule set forth in paragraph (e) of this Section, receive compensation for the duration of his disability, subject to the limitations as to maximum amounts fixed in paragraph (b) of this Section, equal to 66-2/3% of the difference between the average amount which he would be able to earn in the full performance of his duties in the occupation in which he was engaged at the time of the accident and the average amount which he is earning or is able to earn in some suitable employment or business after the accident. For accidental injuries that occur on or after September 1, 2011, an award for wage differential under this subsection shall be effective only until the employee reaches the age of 67 or 5 years from the date the award becomes final, whichever is later.
- 2. If, as a result of the accident, the employee sustains serious and permanent injuries not covered by paragraphs (c) and (e) of this Section or having sustained injuries covered by the aforesaid paragraphs (c) and (e), he shall have sustained in addition thereto other injuries which injuries do not incapacitate him from pursuing the duties of his employment but which would disable him from pursuing other suitable occupations, or which have otherwise resulted in physical impairment; or if such injuries partially incapacitate him from pursuing the duties of his usual and customary line of employment but do not result in an impairment of earning capacity, or having resulted in an impairment of earning capacity, the employee elects to waive his right to recover under the foregoing subparagraph 1 of paragraph (d) of this Section then in any of the foregoing events, he shall receive in addition to compensation for temporary total disability under paragraph (b) of this Section, compensation at the rate provided in subparagraph 2.1 of paragraph (b) of this Section for that percentage of 500 weeks that the partial disability resulting from the injuries covered by this paragraph bears to total disability. If the employee shall have sustained a fracture of one or more vertebra or fracture of the skull, the amount of compensation allowed under this Section shall be not less than 6 weeks for a fractured skull and 6 weeks for each fractured vertebra, and in the event the employee shall have sustained a fracture of any of the following facial bones: nasal, lachrymal, vomer, zygoma, maxilla, palatine or mandible, the amount of compensation allowed under this Section shall be not less than 2 weeks for each such fractured bone, and for a fracture of each transverse process not less than 3 weeks. In the event such injuries shall result in the loss of a kidney, spleen or lung, the amount of compensation allowed under this Section shall be not less than 10 weeks for each such organ. Compensation awarded under this subparagraph 2 shall not take into consideration injuries covered under paragraphs (c) and (e) of this Section and the compensation provided in this paragraph shall not

affect the employee's right to compensation payable under paragraphs (b), (c) and (e) of this Section for the disabilities therein covered.

(e) For accidental injuries in the following schedule, the employee shall receive compensation for the period of temporary total incapacity for work resulting from such accidental injury, under subparagraph 1 of paragraph (b) of this Section, and shall receive in addition thereto compensation for a further period for the specific loss herein mentioned, but shall not receive any compensation under any other provisions of this Act. The following listed amounts apply to either the loss of or the permanent and complete loss of use of the member specified, such compensation for the length of time as follows:

#### 1. Thumb-

70 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

76 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

2. First, or index finger-

40 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

43 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

3. Second, or middle finger-

35 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

38 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

4. Third, or ring finger-

25 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

27 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

5. Fourth, or little finger-

20 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

22 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

6. Great toe-

35 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

38 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

7. Each toe other than great toe-

12 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

13 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

8. The loss of the first or distal phalanx of the thumb or of any finger or toe shall be

considered to be equal to the loss of one-half of such thumb, finger or toe and the compensation payable shall be one-half of the amount above specified. The loss of more than one phalanx shall be considered as the loss of the entire thumb, finger or toe. In no case shall the amount received for more than one finger exceed the amount provided in this schedule for the loss of a hand.

# 9. Hand-

190 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

205 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

190 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after June 28, 2011 (the effective

date of Public Act 97-18) and if the accidental injury involves carpal tunnel syndrome due to repetitive or cumulative trauma, in which case the permanent partial disability shall not exceed 15% loss of use of the hand, except for cause shown by clear and convincing evidence and in which case the award shall not exceed 30% loss of use of the hand.

The loss of 2 or more digits, or one or more phalanges of 2 or more digits, of a hand may be compensated on the basis of partial loss of use of a hand, provided, further, that the loss of 4 digits, or the loss of use of 4 digits, in the same hand shall constitute the complete loss of a hand.

10. Arm-

235 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

253 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

Where an accidental injury results in the amputation of an arm below the elbow, such

injury shall be compensated as a loss of an arm. Where an accidental injury results in the amputation of an arm above the elbow, compensation for an additional 15 weeks (if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006) or an additional 17 weeks (if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006) shall be paid, except where the accidental injury results in the amputation of an arm at the shoulder joint, or so close to shoulder joint that an artificial arm cannot be used, or results in the disarticulation of an arm at the shoulder joint, in which case compensation for an additional 65 weeks (if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006) or an additional 70 weeks (if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006) shall be paid.

For purposes of awards under this subdivision (e), injuries to the shoulder shall be considered injuries to part of the arm.

11. Foot-

155 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

167 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

200 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

215 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

Where an accidental injury results in the amputation of a leg below the knee, such

injury shall be compensated as loss of a leg. Where an accidental injury results in the amputation of a leg above the knee, compensation for an additional 25 weeks (if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006) or an additional 27 weeks (if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006) shall be paid, except where the accidental injury results in the amputation of a leg at the hip joint, or so close to the hip joint that an artificial leg cannot be used, or results in the disarticulation of a leg at the hip joint, in which case compensation for an additional 75 weeks (if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006) or an additional 81 weeks (if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006) shall be paid.

For purposes of awards under this subdivision (e), injuries to the hip shall be considered injuries to part of the leg.

13. Eve-

150 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

162 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

Where an accidental injury results in the enucleation of an eye, compensation for an additional 10 weeks (if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006) or an additional 11 weeks (if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006) shall be paid.

14. Loss of hearing of one ear-

50 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

54 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006. Total and permanent loss of hearing of both ears-

200 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

215 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

15. Testicle-

50 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

54 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006. Both testicles-

150 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly but before February 1, 2006.

162 weeks if the accidental injury occurs on or after February 1, 2006.

16. For the permanent partial loss of use of a member or sight of an eye, or hearing of

an ear, compensation during that proportion of the number of weeks in the foregoing schedule provided for the loss of such member or sight of an eye, or hearing of an ear, which the partial loss of use thereof bears to the total loss of use of such member, or sight of eye, or hearing of an ear.

- (a) Loss of hearing for compensation purposes shall be confined to the frequencies of 1,000, 2,000 and 3,000 cycles per second. Loss of hearing ability for frequency tones above 3,000 cycles per second are not to be considered as constituting disability for hearing.
- (b) The percent of hearing loss, for purposes of the determination of compensation claims for occupational deafness, shall be calculated as the average in decibels for the thresholds of hearing for the frequencies of 1,000, 2,000 and 3,000 cycles per second. Pure tone air conduction audiometric instruments, approved by nationally recognized authorities in this field, shall be used for measuring hearing loss. If the losses of hearing average 30 decibels or less in the 3 frequencies, such losses of hearing shall not then constitute any compensable hearing disability. If the losses of hearing average 85 decibels or more in the 3 frequencies, then the same shall constitute and be total or 100% compensable hearing loss.
- (c) In measuring hearing impairment, the lowest measured losses in each of the 3 frequencies shall be added together and divided by 3 to determine the average decibel loss. For every decibel of loss exceeding 30 decibels an allowance of 1.82% shall be made up to the maximum of 100% which is reached at 85 decibels.
- (d) If a hearing loss is established to have existed on July 1, 1975 by audiometric testing the employer shall not be liable for the previous loss so established nor shall he be liable for any loss for which compensation has been paid or awarded.
- (e) No consideration shall be given to the question of whether or not the ability of an employee to understand speech is improved by the use of a hearing aid.
- (f) No claim for loss of hearing due to industrial noise shall be brought against an employer or allowed unless the employee has been exposed for a period of time sufficient to cause permanent impairment to noise levels in excess of the following:

### Sound Level DBA

Slow Response	Hours Per Day
90	8
92	6
95	4
97	3
100	2
102	1-1/2
105	1
110	1/2
115	1/4

This subparagraph (f) shall not be applied in cases of hearing loss resulting from trauma or explosion.

- 17. In computing the compensation to be paid to any employee who, before the accident for which he claims compensation, had before that time sustained an injury resulting in the loss by amputation or partial loss by amputation of any member, including hand, arm, thumb or fingers, leg, foot or any toes, such loss or partial loss of any such member shall be deducted from any award made for the subsequent injury. For the permanent loss of use or the permanent partial loss of use of any such member or the partial loss of sight of an eye, for which compensation has been paid, then such loss shall be taken into consideration and deducted from any award for the subsequent injury.
- 18. The specific case of loss of both hands, both arms, or both feet, or both legs, or both eyes, or of any two thereof, or the permanent and complete loss of the use thereof, constitutes total and permanent disability, to be compensated according to the compensation fixed by paragraph (f) of this Section. These specific cases of total and permanent disability do not exclude other cases.

Any employee who has previously suffered the loss or permanent and complete loss of the use of any of such members, and in a subsequent independent accident loses another or suffers the permanent and complete loss of the use of any one of such members the employer for whom the injured employee is working at the time of the last independent accident is liable to pay compensation only for the loss or permanent and complete loss of the use of the member occasioned by the last independent accident.

19. In a case of specific loss and the subsequent death of such injured employee from other causes than such injury leaving a widow, widower, or dependents surviving before payment or payment in full for such injury, then the amount due for such injury is payable to the widow or widower

and, if there be no widow or widower, then to such dependents, in the proportion which such dependency bears to total dependency.

Beginning July 1, 1980, and every 6 months thereafter, the Commission shall examine the Second Injury Fund and when, after deducting all advances or loans made to such Fund, the amount therein is \$500,000 then the amount required to be paid by employers pursuant to paragraph (f) of Section 7 shall be reduced by one-half. When the Second Injury Fund reaches the sum of \$600,000 then the payments shall cease entirely. However, when the Second Injury Fund has been reduced to \$400,000, payment of one-half of the amounts required by paragraph (f) of Section 7 shall be resumed, in the manner herein provided, and when the Second Injury Fund has been reduced to \$300,000, payment of the full amounts required by paragraph (f) of Section 7 shall be resumed, in the manner herein provided. The Commission shall make the changes in payment effective by general order, and the changes in payment become immediately effective for all cases coming before the Commission thereafter either by settlement agreement or final order, irrespective of the date of the accidental injury.

On August 1, 1996 and on February 1 and August 1 of each subsequent year, the Commission shall examine the special fund designated as the "Rate Adjustment Fund" and when, after deducting all advances or loans made to said fund, the amount therein is \$4,000,000, the amount required to be paid by employers pursuant to paragraph (f) of Section 7 shall be reduced by one-half. When the Rate Adjustment Fund reaches the sum of \$5,000,000 the payment therein shall cease entirely. However, when said Rate Adjustment Fund has been reduced to \$3,000,000 the amounts required by paragraph (f) of Section 7 shall be resumed in the manner herein provided.

(f) In case of complete disability, which renders the employee wholly and permanently incapable of work, or in the specific case of total and permanent disability as provided in subparagraph 18 of paragraph (e) of this Section, compensation shall be payable at the rate provided in subparagraph 2 of paragraph (b) of this Section for life.

An employee entitled to benefits under paragraph (f) of this Section shall also be entitled to receive from the Rate Adjustment Fund provided in paragraph (f) of Section 7 of the supplementary benefits provided in paragraph (g) of this Section 8.

If any employee who receives an award under this paragraph afterwards returns to work or is able to do so, and earns or is able to earn as much as before the accident, payments under such award shall cease. If such employee returns to work, or is able to do so, and earns or is able to earn part but not as much as before the accident, such award shall be modified so as to conform to an award under paragraph (d) of this Section. If such award is terminated or reduced under the provisions of this paragraph, such employees have the right at any time within 30 months after the date of such termination or reduction to file petition with the Commission for the purpose of determining whether any disability exists as a result of the original accidental injury and the extent thereof.

Disability as enumerated in subdivision 18, paragraph (e) of this Section is considered complete disability.

If an employee who had previously incurred loss or the permanent and complete loss of use of one member, through the loss or the permanent and complete loss of the use of one hand, one arm, one foot, one leg, or one eye, incurs permanent and complete disability through the loss or the permanent and complete loss of the use of another member, he shall receive, in addition to the compensation payable by the employer and after such payments have ceased, an amount from the Second Injury Fund provided for in paragraph (f) of Section 7, which, together with the compensation payable from the employer in whose employ he was when the last accidental injury was incurred, will equal the amount payable for permanent and complete disability as provided in this paragraph of this Section.

The custodian of the Second Injury Fund provided for in paragraph (f) of Section 7 shall be joined with the employer as a party respondent in the application for adjustment of claim. The application for adjustment of claim shall state briefly and in general terms the approximate time and place and manner of the loss of the first member.

In its award the Commission or the Arbitrator shall specifically find the amount the injured employee shall be weekly paid, the number of weeks compensation which shall be paid by the employer, the date upon which payments begin out of the Second Injury Fund provided for in paragraph (f) of Section 7 of this Act, the length of time the weekly payments continue, the date upon which the pension payments commence and the monthly amount of the payments. The Commission shall 30 days after the date upon which payments out of the Second Injury Fund have begun as provided in the award, and every month thereafter, prepare and submit to the State Comptroller a voucher for payment for all compensation accrued to that date at the rate fixed by the Commission. The State Comptroller shall draw a warrant to the injured employee along with a receipt to be executed by the injured employee and returned to the Commission. The endorsed warrant and receipt is a full and complete acquittance to the Commission for the payment

out of the Second Injury Fund. No other appropriation or warrant is necessary for payment out of the Second Injury Fund. The Second Injury Fund is appropriated for the purpose of making payments according to the terms of the awards.

As of July 1, 1980 to July 1, 1982, all claims against and obligations of the Second Injury Fund shall become claims against and obligations of the Rate Adjustment Fund to the extent there is insufficient money in the Second Injury Fund to pay such claims and obligations. In that case, all references to "Second Injury Fund" in this Section shall also include the Rate Adjustment Fund.

(g) Every award for permanent total disability entered by the Commission on and after July 1, 1965 under which compensation payments shall become due and payable after the effective date of this amendatory Act, and every award for death benefits or permanent total disability entered by the Commission on and after the effective date of this amendatory Act shall be subject to annual adjustments as to the amount of the compensation rate therein provided. Such adjustments shall first be made on July 15, 1977, and all awards made and entered prior to July 1, 1975 and on July 15 of each year thereafter. In all other cases such adjustment shall be made on July 15 of the second year next following the date of the entry of the award and shall further be made on July 15 annually thereafter. If during the intervening period from the date of the entry of the award, or the last periodic adjustment, there shall have been an increase in the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act, the weekly compensation rate shall be proportionately increased by the same percentage as the percentage of increase in the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act. The increase in the compensation rate under this paragraph shall in no event bring the total compensation rate to an amount greater than the prevailing maximum rate at the time that the annual adjustment is made. Such increase shall be paid in the same manner as herein provided for payments under the Second Injury Fund to the injured employee, or his dependents, as the case may be, out of the Rate Adjustment Fund provided in paragraph (f) of Section 7 of this Act. Payments shall be made at the same intervals as provided in the award or, at the option of the Commission, may be made in quarterly payment on the 15th day of January, April, July and October of each year. In the event of a decrease in such average weekly wage there shall be no change in the then existing compensation rate. The within paragraph shall not apply to cases where there is disputed liability and in which a compromise lump sum settlement between the employer and the injured employee, or his dependents, as the case may be, has been duly approved by the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission.

Provided, that in cases of awards entered by the Commission for injuries occurring before July 1, 1975, the increases in the compensation rate adjusted under the foregoing provision of this paragraph (g) shall be limited to increases in the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act occurring after July 1, 1975.

For every accident occurring on or after July 20, 2005 but before the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly (Senate Bill 1283 of the 94th General Assembly), the annual adjustments to the compensation rate in awards for death benefits or permanent total disability, as provided in this Act, shall be paid by the employer. The adjustment shall be made by the employer on July 15 of the second year next following the date of the entry of the award and shall further be made on July 15 annually thereafter. If during the intervening period from the date of the entry of the award, or the last periodic adjustment, there shall have been an increase in the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act, the employer shall increase the weekly compensation rate proportionately by the same percentage as the percentage of increase in the State's average weekly wage in covered industries under the Unemployment Insurance Act. The increase in the compensation rate under this paragraph shall in no event bring the total compensation rate to an amount greater than the prevailing maximum rate at the time that the annual adjustment is made. In the event of a decrease in such average weekly wage there shall be no change in the then existing compensation rate. Such increase shall be paid by the employer in the same manner and at the same intervals as the payment of compensation in the award. This paragraph shall not apply to cases where there is disputed liability and in which a compromise lump sum settlement between the employer and the injured employee, or his or her dependents, as the case may be, has been duly approved by the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission.

The annual adjustments for every award of death benefits or permanent total disability involving accidents occurring before July 20, 2005 and accidents occurring on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly (Senate Bill 1283 of the 94th General Assembly) shall continue to be paid from the Rate Adjustment Fund pursuant to this paragraph and Section 7(f) of this Act.

(h) In case death occurs from any cause before the total compensation to which the employee would have been entitled has been paid, then in case the employee leaves any widow, widower, child, parent (or any grandchild, grandparent or other lineal heir or any collateral heir dependent at the time of the accident

upon the earnings of the employee to the extent of 50% or more of total dependency) such compensation shall be paid to the beneficiaries of the deceased employee and distributed as provided in paragraph (g) of Section 7.

- (h-1) In case an injured employee is under legal disability at the time when any right or privilege accrues to him or her under this Act, a guardian may be appointed pursuant to law, and may, on behalf of such person under legal disability, claim and exercise any such right or privilege with the same effect as if the employee himself or herself had claimed or exercised the right or privilege. No limitations of time provided by this Act run so long as the employee who is under legal disability is without a conservator or guardian.
- (i) In case the injured employee is under 16 years of age at the time of the accident and is illegally employed, the amount of compensation payable under paragraphs (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) of this Section is increased 50%.

However, where an employer has on file an employment certificate issued pursuant to the Child Labor Law or work permit issued pursuant to the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act, as amended, or a birth certificate properly and duly issued, such certificate, permit or birth certificate is conclusive evidence as to the age of the injured minor employee for the purposes of this Section.

Nothing herein contained repeals or amends the provisions of the Child Labor Law relating to the employment of minors under the age of 16 years.

(j) 1. In the event the injured employee receives benefits, including medical, surgical or hospital benefits under any group plan covering non-occupational disabilities contributed to wholly or partially by the employer, which benefits should not have been payable if any rights of recovery existed under this Act, then such amounts so paid to the employee from any such group plan as shall be consistent with, and limited to, the provisions of paragraph 2 hereof, shall be credited to or against any compensation payment for temporary total incapacity for work or any medical, surgical or hospital benefits made or to be made under this Act. In such event, the period of time for giving notice of accidental injury and filing application for adjustment of claim does not commence to run until the termination of such payments. This paragraph does not apply to payments made under any group plan which would have been payable irrespective of an accidental injury under this Act. Any employer receiving such credit shall keep such employee safe and harmless from any and all claims or liabilities that may be made against him by reason of having received such payments only to the extent of such credit.

Any excess benefits paid to or on behalf of a State employee by the State Employees' Retirement System under Article 14 of the Illinois Pension Code on a death claim or disputed disability claim shall be credited against any payments made or to be made by the State of Illinois to or on behalf of such employee under this Act, except for payments for medical expenses which have already been incurred at the time of the award. The State of Illinois shall directly reimburse the State Employees' Retirement System to the extent of such credit.

- 2. Nothing contained in this Act shall be construed to give the employer or the insurance carrier the right to credit for any benefits or payments received by the employee other than compensation payments provided by this Act, and where the employee receives payments other than compensation payments, whether as full or partial salary, group insurance benefits, bonuses, annuities or any other payments, the employer or insurance carrier shall receive credit for each such payment only to the extent of the compensation that would have been payable during the period covered by such payment.
- 3. The extension of time for the filing of an Application for Adjustment of Claim as provided in paragraph 1 above shall not apply to those cases where the time for such filing had expired prior to the date on which payments or benefits enumerated herein have been initiated or resumed. Provided however that this paragraph 3 shall apply only to cases wherein the payments or benefits hereinabove enumerated shall be received after July 1, 1969.

(Source: P.A. 97-18, eff. 6-28-11; 97-268, eff. 8-8-11; 97-813, eff. 7-13-12.)

(820 ILCS 305/8.1 new)

Sec. 8.1. Repetitive and cumulative injuries; right of contribution.

- (a) Any accidental injury which results from repetitive or cumulative trauma and occurs within 3 months after the employee begins his or her employment shall not be considered by a workers' compensation insurer in setting the premium rate for the employer.
- (b) If an award is made for benefits in connection with repetitive or cumulative injury resulting from employment with more than one employer, the employer liable for award or its insurer is entitled to contributions or reimbursement from each of the employee's prior employers which are subject to this Act or their insurers for the prior employer's pro rata share of responsibility as determined by the Commission. The right to contribution or reimbursement under this Section shall not delay, diminish, restrict, or alter in any way the benefits to which the employee or his or her dependents are entitled under this Act. At any time within one year after the Commission or the Arbitrator has made an award for benefits in connection

with repetitive or cumulative injury, the employer liable under the award or its insurer may institute proceedings before the Commission for the purpose of determining the right of contribution or reimbursement. The proceeding shall not delay, diminish, restrict, or alter in any way the benefits to which the employee or his or her dependents are entitled under this Act, but shall be limited to a determination of the respective contribution or reimbursement rights and the responsibilities of all the employers joined in the proceeding. The employee has the duty of rendering reasonable cooperation in any of such proceeding.

- (c) No contribution or reimbursement may be sought for any payment of benefits more than 2 years after the employer seeking contribution or reimbursement has made the payment.
- (d) This Section shall apply only to injuries occurring on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly.
- (e) The Commission shall adopt emergency rules under Section 5-45 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act to implement the provisions of this Section to implement this Section.

(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 a report exists and is admitted into evidence; (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. Where an impairment report exists and is admitted into evidence, it must be considered by the Commission in its determination. 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 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.
- (5) 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.
- (6) Provide that any electronically submitted bill determined to be complete but not paid or objected to within 30 days shall be subject to penalties pursuant to Section 8.2(d)(3) of this Act to be entered by the Commission.
- (7) Provide that the Department of Insurance shall impose an administrative fine if it determines that an employer or insurer has failed to comply with the electronic claims acceptance and response process. The amount of the administrative fine shall be no greater than \$1,000 per each violation, but shall not exceed \$10,000 for identical violations during a calendar year.

- (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 January 1, 2012, and shall require all employers and insurers to accept electronic claims for payment of medical services on or before June 30, 2012. The Director of Insurance shall adopt rules by June 30, 2017 to implement the changes to this Section made by this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly. The Commission, with assistance from the Department and the Medical Fee Advisory Board, shall publish on its Internet website a companion guide to assist with compliance with electronic claims rules. The Medical Fee Advisory Board shall periodically review the companion guide.
- (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 Workers' 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 June 28, 2011 (the effective date of Public Act 97-18), 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 June 28, 2011 (the effective date of Public Act 97-18), 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 Senate.
- (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 June 28, 2011 (the effective date of Public Act 97-18) 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 Chairman of the Commission shall have discretion to assign and reassign arbitrators to each hearing sites 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. 98-40, eff. 6-28-13; 99-642, eff. 7-28-16.)

(820 ILCS 305/19) (from Ch. 48, par. 138.19)

Sec. 19. Any disputed questions of law or fact shall be determined as herein provided.

- (a) It shall be the duty of the Commission upon notification that the parties have failed to reach an agreement, to designate an Arbitrator.
  - 1. Whenever any claimant misconceives his remedy and files an application for adjustment of claim under this Act and it is subsequently discovered, at any time before final disposition of such cause, that the claim for disability or death which was the basis for such application should properly have been made under the Workers' Occupational Diseases Act, then the provisions of Section 19, paragraph (a-1) of the Workers' Occupational Diseases Act having reference to such application shall apply.
  - 2. Whenever any claimant misconceives his remedy and files an application for adjustment of claim under the Workers' Occupational Diseases Act and it is subsequently discovered, at any time before final disposition of such cause that the claim for injury or death which was the basis for such application should properly have been made under this Act, then the application so filed under the Workers' Occupational Diseases Act may be amended in form, substance or both to assert claim for such disability or death under this Act and it shall be deemed to have been so filed as amended on the

date of the original filing thereof, and such compensation may be awarded as is warranted by the whole evidence pursuant to this Act. When such amendment is submitted, further or additional evidence may be heard by the Arbitrator or Commission when deemed necessary. Nothing in this Section contained shall be construed to be or permit a waiver of any provisions of this Act with reference to notice but notice if given shall be deemed to be a notice under the provisions of this Act if given within the time required herein.

(b) The Arbitrator shall make such inquiries and investigations as he or they shall deem necessary and may examine and inspect all books, papers, records, places, or premises relating to the questions in dispute and hear such proper evidence as the parties may submit.

The hearings before the Arbitrator shall be held in the vicinity where the injury occurred after 10 days' notice of the time and place of such hearing shall have been given to each of the parties or their attorneys of record.

The Arbitrator may find that the disabling condition is temporary and has not yet reached a permanent condition and may order the payment of compensation up to the date of the hearing, which award shall be reviewable and enforceable in the same manner as other awards, and in no instance be a bar to a further hearing and determination of a further amount of temporary total compensation or of compensation for permanent disability, but shall be conclusive as to all other questions except the nature and extent of said disability.

The decision of the Arbitrator shall be filed with the Commission which Commission shall immediately send to each party or his attorney a copy of such decision, together with a notification of the time when it was filed. As of the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly, all decisions of the Arbitrator shall set forth in writing findings of fact and conclusions of law, separately stated, if requested by either party. Unless a petition for review is filed by either party within 30 days after the receipt by such party of the copy of the decision and notification of time when filed, and unless such party petitioning for a review shall within 35 days after the receipt by him of the copy of the decision, file with the Commission either an agreed statement of the facts appearing upon the hearing before the Arbitrator, or if such party shall so elect a correct transcript of evidence of the proceedings at such hearings, then the decision shall become the decision of the Commission and in the absence of fraud shall be conclusive. The Petition for Review shall contain a statement of the petitioning party's specific exceptions to the decision of the arbitrator. The jurisdiction of the Commission to review the decision of the arbitrator shall not be limited to the exceptions stated in the Petition for Review. The Commission, or any member thereof, may grant further time not exceeding 30 days, in which to file such agreed statement or transcript of evidence. Such agreed statement of facts or correct transcript of evidence, as the case may be, shall be authenticated by the signatures of the parties or their attorneys, and in the event they do not agree as to the correctness of the transcript of evidence it shall be authenticated by the signature of the Arbitrator designated by the Commission.

Whether the employee is working or not, if the employee is not receiving or has not received medical, surgical, or hospital services or other services or compensation as provided in paragraph (a) of Section 8, or compensation as provided in paragraph (b) of Section 8, the employee may at any time petition for an expedited hearing by an Arbitrator on the issue of whether or not he or she is entitled to receive payment of the services or compensation. Provided the employer continues to pay compensation pursuant to paragraph (b) of Section 8, the employer may at any time petition for an expedited hearing on the issue of whether or not the employee is entitled to receive medical, surgical, or hospital services or other services or compensation as provided in paragraph (a) of Section 8, or compensation as provided in paragraph (b) of Section 8. When an employer has petitioned for an expedited hearing, the employer shall continue to pay compensation as provided in paragraph (b) of Section 8 unless the arbitrator renders a decision that the employee is not entitled to the benefits that are the subject of the expedited hearing or unless the employee's treating physician has released the employee to return to work at his or her regular job with the employer or the employee actually returns to work at any other job. If the arbitrator renders a decision that the employee is not entitled to the benefits that are the subject of the expedited hearing, a petition for review filed by the employee shall receive the same priority as if the employee had filed a petition for an expedited hearing by an Arbitrator. Neither party shall be entitled to an expedited hearing when the employee has returned to work and the sole issue in dispute amounts to less than 12 weeks of unpaid compensation pursuant to paragraph (b) of Section 8.

Expedited hearings shall have priority over all other petitions and shall be heard by the Arbitrator and Commission with all convenient speed. Any party requesting an expedited hearing shall give notice of a request for an expedited hearing under this paragraph. A copy of the Application for Adjustment of Claim shall be attached to the notice. The Commission shall adopt rules and procedures under which the final

decision of the Commission under this paragraph is filed not later than 180 days from the date that the Petition for Review is filed with the Commission.

Where 2 or more insurance carriers, private self-insureds, or a group workers' compensation pool under Article V 3/4 of the Illinois Insurance Code dispute coverage for the same injury, any such insurance carrier, private self-insured, or group workers' compensation pool may request an expedited hearing pursuant to this paragraph to determine the issue of coverage, provided coverage is the only issue in dispute and all other issues are stipulated and agreed to and further provided that all compensation benefits including medical benefits pursuant to Section 8(a) continue to be paid to or on behalf of petitioner. Any insurance carrier, private self-insured, or group workers' compensation pool that is determined to be liable for coverage for the injury in issue shall reimburse any insurance carrier, private self-insured, or group workers' compensation pool that has paid benefits to or on behalf of petitioner for the injury.

(b-1) If the employee is not receiving medical, surgical or hospital services as provided in paragraph (a) of Section 8 or compensation as provided in paragraph (b) of Section 8, the employee, in accordance with Commission Rules, may file a petition for an emergency hearing by an Arbitrator on the issue of whether or not he is entitled to receive payment of such compensation or services as provided therein. Such petition shall have priority over all other petitions and shall be heard by the Arbitrator and Commission with all convenient speed.

Such petition shall contain the following information and shall be served on the employer at least 15 days before it is filed:

- (i) the date and approximate time of accident;
- (ii) the approximate location of the accident;
- (iii) a description of the accident;
- (iv) the nature of the injury incurred by the employee;
- (v) the identity of the person, if known, to whom the accident was reported and the date on which it was reported;
- (vi) the name and title of the person, if known, representing the employer with whom the employee conferred in any effort to obtain compensation pursuant to paragraph (b) of Section 8 of this Act or medical, surgical or hospital services pursuant to paragraph (a) of Section 8 of this Act and the date of such conference;
- (vii) a statement that the employer has refused to pay compensation pursuant to paragraph (b) of Section 8 of this Act or for medical, surgical or hospital services pursuant to paragraph (a) of Section 8 of this Act;
- (viii) the name and address, if known, of each witness to the accident and of each other person upon whom the employee will rely to support his allegations;
- (ix) the dates of treatment related to the accident by medical practitioners, and the names and addresses of such practitioners, including the dates of treatment related to the accident at any hospitals and the names and addresses of such hospitals, and a signed authorization permitting the employer to examine all medical records of all practitioners and hospitals named pursuant to this paragraph;
- (x) a copy of a signed report by a medical practitioner, relating to the employee's current inability to return to work because of the injuries incurred as a result of the accident or such other documents or affidavits which show that the employee is entitled to receive compensation pursuant to paragraph (b) of Section 8 of this Act or medical, surgical or hospital services pursuant to paragraph (a) of Section 8 of this Act. Such reports, documents or affidavits shall state, if possible, the history of the accident given by the employee, and describe the injury and medical diagnosis, the medical services for such injury which the employee has received and is receiving, the physical activities which the employee cannot currently perform as a result of any impairment or disability due to such injury, and the prognosis for recovery;
- (xi) complete copies of any reports, records, documents and affidavits in the possession of the employee on which the employee will rely to support his allegations, provided that the employer shall pay the reasonable cost of reproduction thereof;
- (xii) a list of any reports, records, documents and affidavits which the employee has demanded by subpoena and on which he intends to rely to support his allegations;
- (xiii) a certification signed by the employee or his representative that the employer has received the petition with the required information 15 days before filing.

Fifteen days after receipt by the employer of the petition with the required information the employee may file said petition and required information and shall serve notice of the filing upon the employer. The employer may file a motion addressed to the sufficiency of the petition. If an objection has been filed to the sufficiency of the petition, the arbitrator shall rule on the objection within 2 working days. If such an

objection is filed, the time for filing the final decision of the Commission as provided in this paragraph shall be tolled until the arbitrator has determined that the petition is sufficient.

The employer shall, within 15 days after receipt of the notice that such petition is filed, file with the Commission and serve on the employee or his representative a written response to each claim set forth in the petition, including the legal and factual basis for each disputed allegation and the following information: (i) complete copies of any reports, records, documents and affidavits in the possession of the employer on which the employer intends to rely in support of his response, (ii) a list of any reports, records, documents and affidavits which the employer has demanded by subpoena and on which the employer intends to rely in support of his response, (iii) the name and address of each witness on whom the employer will rely to support his response, and (iv) the names and addresses of any medical practitioners selected by the employer pursuant to Section 12 of this Act and the time and place of any examination scheduled to be made pursuant to such Section.

Any employer who does not timely file and serve a written response without good cause may not introduce any evidence to dispute any claim of the employee but may cross examine the employee or any witness brought by the employee and otherwise be heard.

No document or other evidence not previously identified by either party with the petition or written response, or by any other means before the hearing, may be introduced into evidence without good cause. If, at the hearing, material information is discovered which was not previously disclosed, the Arbitrator may extend the time for closing proof on the motion of a party for a reasonable period of time which may be more than 30 days. No evidence may be introduced pursuant to this paragraph as to permanent disability. No award may be entered for permanent disability pursuant to this paragraph. Either party may introduce into evidence the testimony taken by deposition of any medical practitioner.

The Commission shall adopt rules, regulations and procedures whereby the final decision of the Commission is filed not later than 90 days from the date the petition for review is filed but in no event later than 180 days from the date the petition for an emergency hearing is filed with the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission.

All service required pursuant to this paragraph (b-1) must be by personal service or by certified mail and with evidence of receipt. In addition for the purposes of this paragraph, all service on the employer must be at the premises where the accident occurred if the premises are owned or operated by the employer. Otherwise service must be at the employee's principal place of employment by the employer. If service on the employer is not possible at either of the above, then service shall be at the employer's principal place of business. After initial service in each case, service shall be made on the employer's attorney or designated representative.

- (c)(1) At a reasonable time in advance of and in connection with the hearing under Section 19(e) or 19(h), the Commission may on its own motion order an impartial physical or mental examination of a petitioner whose mental or physical condition is in issue, when in the Commission's discretion it appears that such an examination will materially aid in the just determination of the case. The examination shall be made by a member or members of a panel of physicians chosen for their special qualifications by the Illinois State Medical Society. The Commission shall establish procedures by which a physician shall be selected from such list.
- (2) Should the Commission at any time during the hearing find that compelling considerations make it advisable to have an examination and report at that time, the commission may in its discretion so order.
- (3) A copy of the report of examination shall be given to the Commission and to the attorneys for the parties.
- (4) Either party or the Commission may call the examining physician or physicians to testify. Any physician so called shall be subject to cross-examination.
- (5) The examination shall be made, and the physician or physicians, if called, shall testify, without cost to the parties. The Commission shall determine the compensation and the pay of the physician or physicians. The compensation for this service shall not exceed the usual and customary amount for such service.
- (6) The fees and payment thereof of all attorneys and physicians for services authorized by the Commission under this Act shall, upon request of either the employer or the employee or the beneficiary affected, be subject to the review and decision of the Commission.
- (d) If any employee shall persist in insanitary or injurious practices which tend to either imperil or retard his recovery or shall refuse to submit to such medical, surgical, or hospital treatment as is reasonably essential to promote his recovery, the Commission may, in its discretion, reduce or suspend the compensation of any such injured employee. However, when an employer and employee so agree in writing, the foregoing provision shall not be construed to authorize the reduction or suspension of compensation of an employee who is relying in good faith, on treatment by prayer or spiritual means alone,

in accordance with the tenets and practice of a recognized church or religious denomination, by a duly accredited practitioner thereof.

(e) This paragraph shall apply to all hearings before the Commission. Such hearings may be held in its office or elsewhere as the Commission may deem advisable. The taking of testimony on such hearings may be had before any member of the Commission. If a petition for review and agreed statement of facts or transcript of evidence is filed, as provided herein, the Commission shall promptly review the decision of the Arbitrator and all questions of law or fact which appear from the statement of facts or transcript of evidence.

In all cases in which the hearing before the arbitrator is held after December 18, 1989, no additional evidence shall be introduced by the parties before the Commission on review of the decision of the Arbitrator. In reviewing decisions of an arbitrator the Commission shall award such temporary compensation, permanent compensation and other payments as are due under this Act. The Commission shall file in its office its decision thereon, and shall immediately send to each party or his attorney a copy of such decision and a notification of the time when it was filed. Decisions shall be filed within 60 days after the Statement of Exceptions and Supporting Brief and Response thereto are required to be filed or oral argument whichever is later.

In the event either party requests oral argument, such argument shall be had before a panel of 3 members of the Commission (or before all available members pursuant to the determination of 7 members of the Commission that such argument be held before all available members of the Commission) pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Commission. A panel of 3 members, which shall be comprised of not more than one representative citizen of the employing class and not more than one representative citizen of the employee class, shall hear the argument; provided that if all the issues in dispute are solely the nature and extent of the permanent partial disability, if any, a majority of the panel may deny the request for such argument and such argument shall not be held; and provided further that 7 members of the Commission may determine that the argument be held before all available members of the Commission. A decision of the Commission shall be approved by a majority of Commissioners present at such hearing if any; provided, if no such hearing is held, a decision of the Commission shall be approved by a majority of a panel of 3 members of the Commission as described in this Section. The Commission shall give 10 days' notice to the parties or their attorneys of the time and place of such taking of testimony and of such argument.

In any case the Commission in its decision may find specially upon any question or questions of law or fact which shall be submitted in writing by either party whether ultimate or otherwise; provided that on issues other than nature and extent of the disability, if any, the Commission in its decision shall find specially upon any question or questions of law or fact, whether ultimate or otherwise, which are submitted in writing by either party; provided further that not more than 5 such questions may be submitted by either party. Any party may, within 20 days after receipt of notice of the Commission's decision, or within such further time, not exceeding 30 days, as the Commission may grant, file with the Commission either an agreed statement of the facts appearing upon the hearing, or, if such party shall so elect, a correct transcript of evidence of the additional proceedings presented before the Commission, in which report the party may embody a correct statement of such other proceedings in the case as such party may desire to have reviewed, such statement of facts or transcript of evidence to be authenticated by the signature of the parties or their attorneys, and in the event that they do not agree, then the authentication of such transcript of evidence shall be by the signature of any member of the Commission.

If a reporter does not for any reason furnish a transcript of the proceedings before the Arbitrator in any case for use on a hearing for review before the Commission, within the limitations of time as fixed in this Section, the Commission may, in its discretion, order a trial de novo before the Commission in such case upon application of either party. The applications for adjustment of claim and other documents in the nature of pleadings filed by either party, together with the decisions of the Arbitrator and of the Commission and the statement of facts or transcript of evidence hereinbefore provided for in paragraphs (b) and (c) shall be the record of the proceedings of the Commission, and shall be subject to review as hereinafter provided.

At the request of either party or on its own motion, the Commission shall set forth in writing the reasons for the decision, including findings of fact and conclusions of law separately stated. The Commission shall by rule adopt a format for written decisions for the Commission and arbitrators. The written decisions shall be concise and shall succinctly state the facts and reasons for the decision. The Commission may adopt in whole or in part, the decision of the arbitrator as the decision of the Commission. When the Commission does so adopt the decision of the arbitrator, it shall do so by order. Whenever the Commission adopts part of the arbitrator's decision, but not all, it shall include in the order the reasons for not adopting all of the arbitrator's decision. When a majority of a panel, after deliberation, has arrived at its decision, the decision

shall be filed as provided in this Section without unnecessary delay, and without regard to the fact that a member of the panel has expressed an intention to dissent. Any member of the panel may file a dissent. Any dissent shall be filed no later than 10 days after the decision of the majority has been filed.

- Decisions rendered by the Commission and dissents, if any, shall be published together by the Commission. The conclusions of law set out in such decisions shall be regarded as precedents by arbitrators for the purpose of achieving a more uniform administration of this Act.
- (f) The decision of the Commission acting within its powers, according to the provisions of paragraph (e) of this Section shall, in the absence of fraud, be conclusive unless reviewed as in this paragraph hereinafter provided. However, the Arbitrator or the Commission may on his or its own motion, or on the motion of either party, correct any clerical error or errors in computation within 15 days after the date of receipt of any award by such Arbitrator or any decision on review of the Commission and shall have the power to recall the original award on arbitration or decision on review, and issue in lieu thereof such corrected award or decision. Where such correction is made the time for review herein specified shall begin to run from the date of the receipt of the corrected award or decision.
  - (1) Except in cases of claims against the State of Illinois other than those claims under Section 18.1, in which case the decision of the Commission shall not be subject to judicial review, the Circuit Court of the county where any of the parties defendant may be found, or if none of the parties defendant can be found in this State then the Circuit Court of the county where the accident occurred, shall by summons to the Commission have power to review all questions of law and fact presented by such record.

A proceeding for review shall be commenced within 20 days of the receipt of notice of the decision of the Commission. The summons shall be issued by the clerk of such court upon written request returnable on a designated return day, not less than 10 or more than 60 days from the date of issuance thereof, and the written request shall contain the last known address of other parties in interest and their attorneys of record who are to be served by summons. Service upon any member of the Commission or the Secretary or the Assistant Secretary thereof shall be service upon the Commission, and service upon other parties in interest and their attorneys of record shall be by summons, and such service shall be made upon the Commission and other parties in interest by mailing notices of the commencement of the proceedings and the return day of the summons to the office of the Commission and to the last known place of residence of other parties in interest or their attorney or attorneys of record. The clerk of the court issuing the summons shall on the day of issue mail notice of the commencement of the proceedings which shall be done by mailing a copy of the summons to the office of the Commission, and a copy of the summons to the other parties in interest or their attorney or attorneys of record and the clerk of the court shall make certificate that he has so sent said notices in pursuance of this Section, which shall be evidence of service on the Commission and other parties in interest.

The Commission shall not be required to certify the record of their proceedings to the Circuit Court, unless the party commencing the proceedings for review in the Circuit Court as above provided, shall file with the Commission notice of intent to file for review in Circuit Court. It shall be the duty of the Commission upon such filing of notice of intent to file for review in the Circuit Court to prepare a true and correct copy of such testimony and a true and correct copy of all other matters contained in such record and certified to by the Secretary or Assistant Secretary thereof. The changes made to this subdivision (f)(1) by this amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly apply to any Commission decision entered after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly.

No request for a summons may be filed and no summons shall issue unless the party seeking to review the decision of the Commission shall exhibit to the clerk of the Circuit Court proof of filing with the Commission of the notice of the intent to file for review in the Circuit Court or an affidavit of the attorney setting forth that notice of intent to file for review in the Circuit Court has been given in writing to the Secretary or Assistant Secretary of the Commission.

(2) No such summons shall issue unless the one against whom the Commission shall have rendered an award for the payment of money shall upon the filing of his written request for such summons file with the clerk of the court a bond conditioned that if he shall not successfully prosecute the review, he will pay the award and the costs of the proceedings in the courts. The amount of the bond shall be fixed by any member of the Commission and the surety or sureties of the bond shall be approved by the clerk of the court. The acceptance of the bond by the clerk of the court shall constitute evidence of his approval of the bond.

The State of Illinois, including its constitutional officers, boards, commissions, agencies, public institutions of higher learning, and funds administered by the treasurer ex officio, and every Every county, city, town, township, incorporated village, school district, body politic or

municipal corporation against whom the Commission shall have rendered an award for the payment of money shall not be required to file a bond to secure the payment of the award and the costs of the proceedings in the court to authorize the court to issue such summons.

The court may confirm or set aside the decision of the Commission. If the decision is set aside and the facts found in the proceedings before the Commission are sufficient, the court may enter such decision as is justified by law, or may remand the cause to the Commission for further proceedings and may state the questions requiring further hearing, and give such other instructions as may be proper. Appeals shall be taken to the Appellate Court in accordance with Supreme Court Rules 22(g) and 303. Appeals shall be taken from the Appellate Court to the Supreme Court in accordance with Supreme Court Rule 315.

It shall be the duty of the clerk of any court rendering a decision affecting or affirming an award of the Commission to promptly furnish the Commission with a copy of such decision, without charge.

The decision of a majority of the members of the panel of the Commission, shall be considered the decision of the Commission.

(g) Except in the case of a claim against the State of Illinois, either party may present a certified copy of the award of the Arbitrator, or a certified copy of the decision of the Commission when the same has become final, when no proceedings for review are pending, providing for the payment of compensation according to this Act, to the Circuit Court of the county in which such accident occurred or either of the parties are residents, whereupon the court shall enter a judgment in accordance therewith. In a case where the employer refuses to pay compensation according to such final award or such final decision upon which such judgment is entered the court shall in entering judgment thereon, tax as costs against him the reasonable costs and attorney fees in the arbitration proceedings and in the court entering the judgment for the person in whose favor the judgment is entered, which judgment and costs taxed as therein provided shall, until and unless set aside, have the same effect as though duly entered in an action duly tried and determined by the court, and shall with like effect, be entered and docketed. The Circuit Court shall have power at any time upon application to make any such judgment conform to any modification required by any subsequent decision of the Supreme Court upon appeal, or as the result of any subsequent proceedings for review, as provided in this Act.

Judgment shall not be entered until 15 days' notice of the time and place of the application for the entry of judgment shall be served upon the employer by filing such notice with the Commission, which Commission shall, in case it has on file the address of the employer or the name and address of its agent upon whom notices may be served, immediately send a copy of the notice to the employer or such designated agent.

(h) An agreement or award under this Act providing for compensation in installments, may at any time within 18 months after such agreement or award be reviewed by the Commission at the request of either the employer or the employee, on the ground that the disability of the employee has subsequently recurred, increased, diminished or ended.

However, as to accidents occurring subsequent to July 1, 1955, which are covered by any agreement or award under this Act providing for compensation in installments made as a result of such accident, such agreement or award may at any time within 30 months, or 60 months in the case of an award under Section 8(d)1, after such agreement or award be reviewed by the Commission at the request of either the employer or the employee on the ground that the disability of the employee has subsequently recurred, increased, diminished or ended.

On such review, compensation payments may be re-established, increased, diminished or ended. The Commission shall give 15 days' notice to the parties of the hearing for review. Any employee, upon any petition for such review being filed by the employer, shall be entitled to one day's notice for each 100 miles necessary to be traveled by him in attending the hearing of the Commission upon the petition, and 3 days in addition thereto. Such employee shall, at the discretion of the Commission, also be entitled to 5 cents per mile necessarily traveled by him within the State of Illinois in attending such hearing, not to exceed a distance of 300 miles, to be taxed by the Commission as costs and deposited with the petition of the employer.

When compensation which is payable in accordance with an award or settlement contract approved by the Commission, is ordered paid in a lump sum by the Commission, no review shall be had as in this paragraph mentioned.

- (i) Each party, upon taking any proceedings or steps whatsoever before any Arbitrator, Commission or court, shall file with the Commission his address, or the name and address of any agent upon whom all notices to be given to such party shall be served, either personally or by registered mail, addressed to such party or agent at the last address so filed with the Commission. In the event such party has not filed his address, or the name and address of an agent as above provided, service of any notice may be had by filing such notice with the Commission.
- (j) Whenever in any proceeding testimony has been taken or a final decision has been rendered and after the taking of such testimony or after such decision has become final, the injured employee dies, then in any subsequent proceedings brought by the personal representative or beneficiaries of the deceased employee, such testimony in the former proceeding may be introduced with the same force and effect as though the witness having so testified were present in person in such subsequent proceedings and such final decision, if any, shall be taken as final adjudication of any of the issues which are the same in both proceedings.
- (k) In case where there has been any unreasonable or vexatious delay of payment or intentional underpayment of compensation, or proceedings have been instituted or carried on by the one liable to pay the compensation, which do not present a real controversy, but are merely frivolous or for delay, then the Commission may award compensation additional to that otherwise payable under this Act equal to 50% of the amount payable at the time of such award. Failure to pay compensation in accordance with the provisions of Section 8, paragraph (b) of this Act, shall be considered unreasonable delay.

When determining whether this subsection (k) shall apply, the Commission shall consider whether an Arbitrator has determined that the claim is not compensable or whether the employer has made payments under Section 8(j).

(k-1) In a case where there has been unreasonable or vexatious delay of authorization of medical treatment, the Commission may award compensation additional to that otherwise payable under this Act in the sum of \$30 per day for each day that the benefits under Section 8(a) have been so withheld or refused, not to exceed \$10,000 or the total amount due per Section 8.2 for treatment to be rendered whichever is less.

<u>Unless utilization review under Section 8.7 or Section 12 examination is, or has been, requested, a delay in authorization of 14 days or more from the employer's receipt of all appropriate records and data elements needed to allow the employer to make a determination whether to authorize such care shall create a rebuttable presumption of unreasonable delay.</u>

This subsection (k-1) is the only penalty provision within the Act applicable to delay of authorization of medical treatment and shall apply only to health care services provided or proposed to be provided on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly.

- (l) If the employee has made written demand for payment of benefits under Section 8(a) or Section 8(b), the employer shall have 14 days after receipt of the demand to set forth in writing the reason for the delay. In the case of demand for payment of medical benefits under Section 8(a), the time for the employer to respond shall not commence until the expiration of the allotted 30 days specified under Section 8.2(d). In case the employer or his or her insurance carrier shall without good and just cause fail, neglect, refuse, or unreasonably delay the payment of benefits under Section 8(a) or Section 8(b), the Arbitrator or the Commission shall allow to the employee additional compensation in the sum of \$30 per day for each day that the benefits under Section 8(a) or Section 8(b) have been so withheld or refused, not to exceed \$10,000. A delay in payment of 14 days or more shall create a rebuttable presumption of unreasonable delay.
- (m) If the commission finds that an accidental injury was directly and proximately caused by the employer's wilful violation of a health and safety standard under the Health and Safety Act or the Occupational Safety and Health Act in force at the time of the accident, the arbitrator or the Commission shall allow to the injured employee or his dependents, as the case may be, additional compensation equal to 25% of the amount which otherwise would be payable under the provisions of this Act exclusive of this paragraph. The additional compensation herein provided shall be allowed by an appropriate increase in the applicable weekly compensation rate.
- (n) After June 30, 1984, decisions of the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission reviewing an award of an arbitrator of the Commission shall draw interest at a rate equal to the yield on indebtedness issued by the United States Government with a 26-week maturity next previously auctioned on the day on which the decision is filed. Said rate of interest shall be set forth in the Arbitrator's Decision. Interest shall be drawn from the date of the arbitrator's award on all accrued compensation due the employee through the day prior to the date of payments. However, when an employee appeals an award of an Arbitrator or the Commission, and the appeal results in no change or a decrease in the award, interest shall not further accrue from the date of such appeal.

The employer or his insurance carrier may tender the payments due under the award to stop the further accrual of interest on such award notwithstanding the prosecution by either party of review, certiorari, appeal to the Supreme Court or other steps to reverse, vacate or modify the award.

(o) By the 15th day of each month each insurer providing coverage for losses under this Act shall notify each insured employer of any compensable claim incurred during the preceding month and the amounts paid or reserved on the claim including a summary of the claim and a brief statement of the reasons for compensability. A cumulative report of all claims incurred during a calendar year or continued from the previous year shall be furnished to the insured employer by the insurer within 30 days after the end of that calendar year.

The insured employer may challenge, in proceeding before the Commission, payments made by the insurer without arbitration and payments made after a case is determined to be noncompensable. If the Commission finds that the case was not compensable, the insurer shall purge its records as to that employer of any loss or expense associated with the claim, reimburse the employer for attorneys' fees arising from the challenge and for any payment required of the employer to the Rate Adjustment Fund or the Second Injury Fund, and may not reflect the loss or expense for rate making purposes. The employee shall not be required to refund the challenged payment. The decision of the Commission may be reviewed in the same manner as in arbitrated cases. No challenge may be initiated under this paragraph more than 3 years after the payment is made. An employer may waive the right of challenge under this paragraph on a case by case basis.

(p) After filing an application for adjustment of claim but prior to the hearing on arbitration the parties may voluntarily agree to submit such application for adjustment of claim for decision by an arbitrator under this subsection (p) where such application for adjustment of claim raises only a dispute over temporary total disability, permanent partial disability or medical expenses. Such agreement shall be in writing in such form as provided by the Commission. Applications for adjustment of claim submitted for decision by an arbitrator under this subsection (p) shall proceed according to rule as established by the Commission. The Commission shall promulgate rules including, but not limited to, rules to ensure that the parties are adequately informed of their rights under this subsection (p) and of the voluntary nature of proceedings under this subsection (p). The findings of fact made by an arbitrator acting within his or her powers under this subsection (p) in the absence of fraud shall be conclusive. However, the arbitrator may on his own motion, or the motion of either party, correct any clerical errors or errors in computation within 15 days after the date of receipt of such award of the arbitrator and shall have the power to recall the original award on arbitration, and issue in lieu thereof such corrected award. The decision of the arbitrator under this subsection (p) shall be considered the decision of the Commission and proceedings for review of questions of law arising from the decision may be commenced by either party pursuant to subsection (f) of Section 19. The Advisory Board established under Section 13.1 shall compile a list of certified Commission arbitrators, each of whom shall be approved by at least 7 members of the Advisory Board. The chairman shall select 5 persons from such list to serve as arbitrators under this subsection (p). By agreement, the parties shall select one arbitrator from among the 5 persons selected by the chairman except that if the parties do not agree on an arbitrator from among the 5 persons, the parties may, by agreement, select an arbitrator of the American Arbitration Association, whose fee shall be paid by the State in accordance with rules promulgated by the Commission. Arbitration under this subsection (p) shall be voluntary.

(Source: P.A. 97-18, eff. 6-28-11; 98-40, eff. 6-28-13; 98-874, eff. 1-1-15.) (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:
  - (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 <u>amount</u> 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 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.
- (4.5) A violation of paragraph (3), (4), or (7) of subsection (a) in which the offender did not attempt to obtain any workers' compensation benefits or other property of value is a Class A misdemeanor.
- (4.7) A violation of paragraph (8) of subsection (a) shall be subject to the same penalty as the offense to which the offender assisted, abetted, solicited, or conspired.
  - (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 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 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.
- (e-7) By July 1, 2017 and thereafter, the fraud and insurance non-compliance unit shall employ at least 10 investigators to investigate insurance non-compliance and fraud pursuant to this Section.
- (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 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.)

(820 ILCS 305/29.2)

Sec. 29.2. Insurance and self-insurance oversight.

(a) The Department of Insurance shall annually submit to the Governor, the Chairman of the Commission, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Minority Leader of the Senate, and the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives a written report that details the

state of the workers' compensation insurance market in Illinois. The report shall be completed by April 1 of each year, beginning in 2012, or later if necessary data or analyses are only available to the Department at a later date. The report shall be posted on the Department of Insurance's Internet website. Information to be included in the report shall be for the preceding calendar year. The report shall include, at a minimum, the following:

- (1) Gross premiums collected by workers' compensation carriers in Illinois and the national rank of Illinois based on premium volume.
- (2) The number of insurance companies actively engaged in Illinois in the workers' compensation insurance market, including both holding companies and subsidiaries or affiliates, and the national rank of Illinois based on number of competing insurers.
- (3) The total number of insured participants in the Illinois workers' compensation assigned risk insurance pool, and the size of the assigned risk pool as a proportion of the total Illinois workers' compensation insurance market.
- (4) The advisory organization premium rate for workers' compensation insurance in Illinois for the previous year.
  - (5) The advisory organization prescribed assigned risk pool premium rate.
- (6) The total amount of indemnity payments made by workers' compensation insurers in Illinois.
- (7) The total amount of medical payments made by workers' compensation insurers in Illinois, and the national rank of Illinois based on average cost of medical claims per injured worker.
- (8) The gross profitability of workers' compensation insurers in Illinois, and the national rank of Illinois based on profitability of workers' compensation insurers.
- (9) The loss ratio of workers' compensation insurers in Illinois and the national rank of Illinois based on the loss ratio of workers' compensation insurers. For purposes of this loss ratio calculation, the denominator shall include all premiums and other fees collected by workers' compensation insurers and the numerator shall include the total amount paid by the insurer for care or compensation to injured workers.
- (10) The growth of total paid indemnity benefits by temporary total disability, scheduled and non-scheduled permanent partial disability, and total disability.
- (11) The number of injured workers receiving wage loss differential awards and the average wage loss differential award payout.
  - (12) Illinois' rank, relative to other states, for:
    - (i) the maximum and minimum temporary total disability benefit level;
  - (ii) the maximum and minimum scheduled and non-scheduled permanent partial disability benefit level;
    - (iii) the maximum and minimum total disability benefit level; and
    - (iv) the maximum and minimum death benefit level.
- (13) The aggregate growth of medical benefit payout by non-hospital providers and hospitals.
- (14) The aggregate growth of medical utilization for the top 10 most common injuries to specific body parts by non-hospital providers and hospitals.
- (15) The percentage of injured workers filing claims at the Commission that are represented by an attorney.
  - (16) The total amount paid by injured workers for attorney representation.
- (a-5) The Commission shall annually submit to the Governor and the General Assembly a written report that details the state of self-insurance for workers' compensation in Illinois. The report shall be based on the types of information collected by the Commission or the Department of Insurance from self-insurers, as of the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly. The report shall be completed by April 1 of each year, beginning in 2017. The report shall be posted on the Commission's Internet website. Information to be included in the report shall be for the preceding calendar year. The report shall include, at a minimum, the following in the aggregate:
  - (1) The number of employers that self-insure for workers' compensation;
  - (2) The total number of employees covered by self-insurance;
  - (3) The total amount of indemnity payments made by self-insureds;
  - (4) The total number of claims on which indemnity payments were made by self-insureds;
  - (5) The total amount of medical payments made by self-insureds;
  - (6) The total number of claims on which medical payments were made by self-insureds;
- (7) The total number of claims on which both indemnity and medical payments were made by self-insureds;

- (8) The median of the injured workers' weekly wage of self-insureds employees;
- (9) The growth of total paid indemnity benefits by temporary total disability, scheduled and non-scheduled permanent partial disability, and total disability;
  - (10) Illinois' rank, relative to other states, for:
    - (i) the maximum and minimum temporary total disability benefit levels;
- (ii) the maximum and minimum scheduled and non-scheduled permanent partial disability benefit levels;
  - (iii) the maximum and minimum total disability benefit levels; and
  - (iv) the maximum and minimum death benefit levels; and
  - (11) The aggregate growth of medical benefit payouts by non-hospital providers and hospitals.
- (b) The Director of Insurance shall promulgate rules requiring each insurer licensed to write workers' compensation coverage in the State to record and report the following information on an aggregate basis to the Department of Insurance before March 1 of each year, relating to claims in the State opened within the prior calendar year:
  - (1) The number of claims opened.
  - (2) The number of reported medical only claims.
  - (3) The number of contested claims.
  - (4) The number of claims for which the employee has attorney representation.
  - (5) The number of claims with lost time and the number of claims for which temporary total disability was paid.
    - (6) The number of claim adjusters employed to adjust workers' compensation claims.
  - (7) The number of claims for which temporary total disability was not paid within 14 days from the first full day off, regardless of reason.
  - (8) The number of medical bills paid 60 days or later from date of service and the average days paid on those paid after 60 days for the previous calendar year.
  - (9) The number of claims in which in-house defense counsel participated, and the total amount spent on in-house legal services.
  - (10) The number of claims in which outside defense counsel participated, and the total amount paid to outside defense counsel.
    - (11) The total amount billed to employers for bill review.
    - (12) The total amount billed to employers for fee schedule savings.
    - (13) The total amount charged to employers for any and all managed care fees.
  - (14) The number of claims involving in-house medical nurse case management, and the total amount spent on in-house medical nurse case management.
  - (15) The number of claims involving outside medical nurse case management, and the total amount paid for outside medical nurse case management.
    - (16) The total amount paid for Independent Medical exams.
  - (17) The total amount spent on in-house Utilization Review for the previous calendar year.
  - (18) The total amount paid for outside Utilization Review for the previous calendar year.

The Department shall make the submitted information publicly available on the Department's Internet website or such other media as appropriate in a form useful for consumers. (Source: P.A. 97-18, eff. 6-28-11.)

(820 ILCS 305/29.3 new)

Sec. 29.3. Workers' Compensation Premium Rates Task Force.

(a) There is created the Workers' Compensation Premium Rates Task Force consisting of 12 members appointed as follows: 2 legislative members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives; 2 legislative members appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives; 2 legislative members appointed by the President of the Senate; 2 legislative members appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate; and one member appointed by the Governor from each of the following organizations: (i) a statewide association representing retailers; (ii) a statewide association representing manufacturers; (iii) a statewide association representing labor interests; and (iv) a statewide association representing injured workers. The members of the Task Force shall be appointed by April 1, 2017. Two co-chairpersons, representing different political parties, shall be selected by the members of the Task Force. Members of the Task Force shall receive no compensation for their service on the Task Force.

(b) The Task Force shall study the National Council on Compensation Insurance's recommendations for workers' compensation premium rates, the extent to which Illinois employers' actual premiums reflect these recommended rates. The Task Force shall also study the feasibility of establishing a competitive nonprofit, independent public corporation to provide workers' compensation insurance and the impact that

the corporation would have on insurance rates and premiums. The Department of Insurance shall provide administrative support to the Task Force.

(c) The Task Force shall report its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly no later than December 31, 2017.

(d) This Section is repealed December 31, 2018.

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

Under the rules, the foregoing **Senate Bill No. 2901**, with House Amendments numbered 1 and 4, was referred to the Secretary's Desk.

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 513

A bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

Together with the following amendment which is attached, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

House Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 513

Passed the House, as amended, January 10, 2017.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

#### AMENDMENT NO. 3 TO SENATE BILL 513

AMENDMENT NO. <u>3</u>. Amend Senate Bill 513 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Economic Development for a Growing Economy Tax Credit Act is amended by changing Section 5-77 as follows:

(35 ILCS 10/5-77)

Sec. 5-77. Sunset of new Agreements. The Department shall not enter into any new Agreements under the provisions of Section 5-50 of this Act after <u>April 30, 2017</u> <del>December 31, 2016</del>. (Source: P.A. 97-2, eff. 5-6-11.)

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

Under the rules, the foregoing **Senate Bill No. 513**, with House Amendment No. 3, was referred to the Secretary's Desk.

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 2799

A bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

Together with the following amendments which are attached, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

House Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 2799

House Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 2799

Passed the House, as amended, January 10, 2017.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL 2799

AMENDMENT NO. \_1\_. Amend Senate Bill 2799 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Employee Sick Leave Act is amended by changing Section 99 as follows:

(820 ILCS 191/99)

(This Section may contain text from a Public Act with a delayed effective date)

Sec. 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect on July 1, 2017 January 1, 2017.

(Source: P.A. 99-841, eff. 1-1-17.)

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

#### AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO SENATE BILL 2799

AMENDMENT NO. 2\_. Amend Senate Bill 2799, AS AMENDED, by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Employee Sick Leave Act is amended by changing Sections 5, 10, 20, and 25 and by adding Section 21 as follows:

(820 ILCS 191/5)

Sec. 5. Definitions. In this Act:

"Department" means the Department of Labor.

"Personal sick leave benefits" means <u>any paid or unpaid</u> time <del>accrued and</del> available to an employee <u>as provided through an employment benefit plan or paid time off policy</u> to be used as a result of absence from work due to personal illness, injury, or medical appointment. <u>An employment benefit plan or paid time off policy does not include long term disability, short term disability, an insurance policy, or other comparable benefit plan or policy. , but does not include absences from work for which compensation is provided through an employer's plan.</u>

(Source: P.A. 99-841, eff. 1-1-17.)

(820 ILCS 191/10)

Sec. 10. Use of leave; limitations.

- (a) An employee may use personal sick leave benefits provided by the employer for absences due to an illness, injury, or medical appointment of the employee's child, stepchild, spouse, domestic partner, sibling, parent, mother-in-law, father-in-law, grandchild, grandparent, or stepparent, for reasonable periods of time as the employee's attendance may be necessary, on the same terms upon which the employee is able to use personal sick leave benefits for the employee's own illness or injury. An employer may request written verification of the employee's absence from a health care professional if such verification is required under the employer's employment benefit plan or paid time off policy.
- (b) An employer may limit the use of personal sick leave benefits provided by the employer for absences due to an illness, injury, or medical appointment of the employee's child, stepchild, spouse, domestic partner, sibling, parent, mother-in-law, father-in-law, grandchild, grandparent, or stepparent to an amount not less than the personal sick leave that would be earned or accrued during 6 months at the employee's then current rate of entitlement. For employers who base personal sick leave benefits on an employee's years of service instead of annual or monthly accrual, such employer may limit the amount of sick leave to be used under this Act to half of the employee's maximum annual grant.
- (c) An employer who <u>provides personal sick leave benefits or</u> has a paid time off policy that would otherwise provide benefits as required under subsections (a) and (b) shall not be required to modify such benefits <del>policy</del>.

(Source: P.A. 99-841, eff. 1-1-17.)

(820 ILCS 191/20)

Sec. 20. Retaliation prohibited. An employer shall not deny an employee the right to use personal sick leave benefits in accordance with this Act or discharge, threaten to discharge, demote, suspend, or in any manner discriminate against an employee for using personal sick leave benefits, attempting to exercise the right to use personal sick leave benefits, filing a complaint with the Illinois Department of Labor or alleging a violation of this Act, cooperating in an investigation or prosecution of an alleged violation of this Act, or opposing any policy or practice or act that is prohibited by this Act. Nothing in this Section prohibits an employer from applying the terms and conditions set forth in the employment benefit plan or paid time off policy applicable to personal sick leave benefits.

(Source: P.A. 99-841, eff. 1-1-17.)

(820 ILCS 191/21 new)

Sec. 21. Employments exempted from coverage.

(a) This Act does not apply to an employee of an employer subject to the provisions of Title II of the Railway Labor Act (45 U.S.C. 181 et seq.) or to an employer or employee as defined in either the federal Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act (45 U.S.C. 351 et seq) or the Federal Employers' Liability Act, United States Code, Title 45, Sections 51 through 60, or other comparable federal law.

- (b) Nothing in this Act shall be construed to invalidate, diminish, or otherwise interfere with any collective bargaining agreement nor shall it be construed to invalidate, diminish, or otherwise interfere with any party's power to collectively bargain such an agreement.
- (c) This Act does not apply to any other employment expressly exempted under rules adopted by the Department as necessary to implement this Act in accordance with applicable State and federal law. (820 ILCS 191/25)
- Sec. 25. Rules. The Department <u>may adopt rules to implement this Act</u> is prohibited from adopting any rules in contravention of this Act.

(Source: P.A. 99-841, eff. 1-1-17.)

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

Under the rules, the foregoing **Senate Bill No. 2799**, with House Amendments numbered 1 and 2, was referred to the Secretary's Desk.

#### JOINT ACTION MOTIONS FILED

The following Joint Action Motions to the Senate Bills listed below have been filed with the Secretary and referred to the Committee on Assignments:

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 513 Motion to Concur in House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 550

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 550

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 4 to Senate Bill 550

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2799

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 2799 Motion to Concur in House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 2872

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 28/2 Motion to Concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 3319

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 3319

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 3319

At the hour of 10:36 o'clock a.m., Senator Sullivan, presiding.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

Mr. President — I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 170

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives wish to congratulate Bellwood Mayor Frank A. Pasquale on the occasion of his retirement after over 40 years of public service; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Pasquale served as a Village Trustee for six years, a Memorial Park District Commissioner for 20 years, and as Mayor for 15 years; and

WHEREAS, Before becoming an elected official, Mayor Pasquale served his community as an educator, and he never lost his passion of learning and teaching; and

WHEREAS, As an elected official, Mayor Pasquale earned a reputation for being an exemplary and tenacious leader; and

WHEREAS, During his time in office, Mayor Pasquale served as the Chairman of the Addison Creek Restoration Commission; charged with finding a solution for the flooding problem along Addison Creek, the Commission lobbied the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago to dedicate \$150 million to address the flooding issue; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Pasquale was instrumental in building an overpass that alleviated the traffic delays caused by the Union Pacific railroad tracks on the boarder between Bellwood and Melrose Park; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate the 25th Avenue overpass in Bellwood as the "Mayor Frank A. Pasquale Overpass"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Illinois Department of Transportation is requested to erect at suitable locations, consistent with State and federal regulations, appropriate plaques or signs giving notice of the name of "Mayor Frank A. Pasquale Overpass"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the Secretary of the Illinois Department of Transportation and Mayor Pasquale.

Adopted by the House, January 10, 2017.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES. Clerk of the House

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives reporting House Joint Resolution No. 170 was referred to the Committee on Assignments.

#### REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its January 10, 2017 meeting, reported that the following Legislative Measures have been approved for consideration:

#### House Joint Resolution 147 and House Joint Resolution 170

The foregoing resolutions were placed on the Secretary's Desk.

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its January 10, 2017 meeting, reported that the following Legislative Measure has been approved for consideration:

#### Senate Resolution 2590

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

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its January 10, 2017 meeting, reported that the following Legislative Measures have been approved for consideration:

Motion to Concur with House Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 513; Motion to Concur with House Amendments 2, 3 and 4 to Senate Bill 550; Motion to Concur with House Amendments 1 and 2 to Senate Bill 2799; Motion to Concur with House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 2872; Motion to Concur with House Amendments 1, 2 and 3 to Senate Bill 3319

The foregoing concurrences were placed on the Secretary's Desk.

## CONSIDERATION OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILLS ON

#### SECRETARY'S DESK

On motion of Senator Collins, **Senate Bill No. 2799**, with House Amendments numbered 1 and 2 on the Secretary's Desk, was taken up for immediate consideration.

Senator Collins moved that the Senate concur with the House in the adoption of their amendments to said bill.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

YEAS 56; NAYS None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

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

The motion prevailed.

And the Senate concurred with the House in the adoption of their Amendments numbered 1 and 2 to **Senate Bill No. 2799**, by a three-fifths vote.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Senator Raoul, **Senate Bill No. 2872**, with House Amendment No. 2 on the Secretary's Desk, was taken up for immediate consideration.

Senator Raoul moved that the Senate concur with the House in the adoption of their amendment to said bill.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

YEAS 41: NAYS 4.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff Haine McConnaughay Sandoval Barickman Harmon McGuire Silverstein Bennett Holmes Morrison Steans Biss Hunter Mulroe Sullivan **Bivins** Jones, E. Muñoz Trotter Van Pelt Brady Koehler Noland Lightford Weaver Bush Nvbo Clayborne Link Oberweis Mr. President Collins Luechtefeld Radogno Connelly McCann Raoul Forby McConchie Righter

The following voted in the negative:

McCarter Rose Murphy, L. Syverson

The motion prevailed.

And the Senate concurred with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 2 to **Senate Bill No. 2872**.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Senator Bush, **Senate Bill No. 513**, with House Amendment No. 3 on the Secretary's Desk, was taken up for immediate consideration.

Senator Bush moved that the Senate concur with the House in the adoption of their amendment to said bill.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

YEAS 48; NAYS 7.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff McGuire. Haine Anderson Harmon Morrison Barickman Hastings Mulroe Bennett Holmes Muñoz Bertino-Tarrant Hunter Murphy, L. Biss Jones, E. Noland Brady Koehler Nybo Lightford Oberweis Bush Clayborne Link Radogno Collins Luechtefeld Raoul Cullerton, T. Rezin Manar Cunningham Martinez Rose McConchie Sandoval Forby

The following voted in the negative:

Bivins Hutchinson McCarter Rooney
Connelly McCann Righter

The motion prevailed.

And the Senate concurred with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 3 to **Senate Bill No. 513**, by a three-fifths vote.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Senator Steans, **Senate Bill No. 550**, with House Amendments numbered 2, 3 and 4 on the Secretary's Desk, was taken up for immediate consideration.

Senator Steans moved that the Senate concur with the House in the adoption of their amendments to said bill.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

YEAS 55: NAYS None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff McCann Rezin Forby Anderson Haine McCarter Rooney Barickman Harmon McConchie Rose Bennett Hastings McConnaughay Sandoval Bertino-Tarrant Holmes McGuire Silverstein Biss Hunter Morrison Stadelman Bivins Hutchinson Mulroe Steans Brady Jones, E. Muñoz Sullivan Koehler Bush Murphy, L. Syverson

Silverstein

Stadelman

Steans

Trotter

Sullivan

Syverson

Van Pelt

Weaver

Mr. President

Clayborne Lightford Noland Trotter Collins Van Pelt Link Nybo Connelly Luechtefeld Oberweis Weaver Cullerton, T. Manar Radogno Mr. President Raou1

Martinez Cunningham

The motion prevailed.

And the Senate concurred with the House in the adoption of their Amendments numbered 2, 3 and 4 to **Senate Bill No. 550**, by a three-fifths vote.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Senator T. Cullerton, Senate Bill No. 3319, with House Amendments numbered 1, 2 and 3 on the Secretary's Desk, was taken up for immediate consideration.

Senator T. Cullerton moved that the Senate concur with the House in the adoption of their amendments to said bill.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

YEAS 55; NAYS None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

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

The motion prevailed.

And the Senate concurred with the House in the adoption of their Amendments numbered 1, 2 and 3 to Senate Bill No. 3319, by a three-fifths vote.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

#### CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS ON SECRETARY'S DESK

Senator Brady moved that House Joint Resolution No. 147, on the Secretary's Desk, be taken up for immediate consideration.

The motion prevailed.

Senator Brady moved that House Joint Resolution No. 147 be adopted.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

YEAS 57; NAYS None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff Haine McCarter Rooney Anderson Harmon McConchie Rose Barickman Hastings McConnaughay Sandoval Holmes McGuire Bennett Silverstein Bertino-Tarrant Hunter Morrison Stadelman

Biss Hutchinson Mulroe Steans Bivins Jones, E. Sullivan Muñoz Brady Koehler Murphy, L. Syverson Bush Landek Noland Trotter Lightford Van Pelt Clavborne Nybo Oberweis Weaver Collins Link Connelly Luechtefeld Radogno Mr. President Cullerton, T. Manar Raou1

Cunningham Martinez Rezin
Forby McCann Righter

The motion prevailed.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

Senator Lightford moved that **House Joint Resolution No. 170**, on the Secretary's Desk, be taken up for immediate consideration.

The motion prevailed.

Senator Lightford moved that House Joint Resolution No. 170 be adopted.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

YEAS 55; NAYS None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

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

The motion prevailed.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

At the hour of 11:38 o'clock a.m., Senator Trotter, presiding.

Senator Clayborne moved that **Senate Resolution No. 2590**, on the Secretary's Desk, be taken up for immediate consideration.

The motion prevailed.

Senator Clayborne moved that Senate Resolution No. 2590 be adopted.

The motion prevailed.

And the resolution was adopted.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 6630

A bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

Passed the House, January 10, 2017.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

The foregoing **House Bill No. 6630** was taken up, ordered printed and placed on first reading.

## CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS ON SECRETARY'S DESK

Senator J. Cullerton moved that **Senate Resolution No. 2582**, on the Secretary's Desk, be taken up for immediate consideration.

The motion prevailed.

Senator J. Cullerton moved that Senate Resolution No. 2582 be adopted.

The motion prevailed.

And the resolution was adopted.

Senator J. Cullerton moved that **Senate Resolution No. 2581**, on the Secretary's Desk, be taken up for immediate consideration.

The motion prevailed.

Senator J. Cullerton moved that Senate Resolution No. 2581 be adopted.

The motion prevailed.

And the resolution was adopted.

#### RESOLUTIONS CONSENT CALENDAR

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2484**

Offered by Senator Brady and all Senators: j

Mourns the death of Arthur Daniel "Dan" Nafziger II of Louisville, Kentucky.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2485**

Offered by Senator Brady and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Dr. Anjuli Seth Nayak of Chicago.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2486**

Offered by Senator Brady and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Peggy Minch Rust Johnson of Bloomington.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2487**

Offered by Senator J. Cullerton and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Edward F. McElroy.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2488**

Offered by Senator Harmon and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Abner J. Mikva.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2489**

Offered by Senator Harmon and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Lewis Allen Carmichael of Oak Park.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2490

Offered by Senator McGuire and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Isabella M. Petersen Peck of Joliet.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2491**

Offered by Senator McGuire and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Ronald J. Kozlowski of Bolingbrook.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2492**

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Terry J. Hannig of Saddlebrook, Arizona, formerly of Springfield.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2493**

Offered by Senator McConchie and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Madelynn Nicole "Maddy" McInerney of Libertyville.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2494**

Offered by Senator Rezin and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Charles T. "Chuck" Greenway of Morris.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2495**

Offered by Senator Barickman and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Stephen H. "Steve" Bauer of Urbana.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2496

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Kenneth Beasley of South Roxana.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2497**

Offered by Senator McGuire and all Senators:

Mourns the death of John L. "Leo" Vogrin of Joliet.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2498**

Offered by Senator Rose and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Howard D. Eskridge of Tuscola.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2499**

Offered by Senator Harmon and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Geraldine "Gerry" Green Nekrosius.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2500**

Offered by Senator Harmon and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Deneita Jo Farmer.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2501**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Monsignor Virgil W. Mank.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2502

Offered by Senator Harmon and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Jarvis Burdette "Jerry" Cecil.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2503**

Offered by Senator Hutchinson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Patricia Elaine Richardson.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2504

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Kenneth Ray Emery of Carlinville.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2505**

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators:

Mourns the death of John William Witt of Carlinville.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2506**

Offered by Senator Lightford and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Mary Ann Edwards.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2507**

Offered by Senator Mulroe and all Senators:

Mourns the death of William "Bill" Casey.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2508**

Offered by Senator Mulroe and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Vincent Hart of Edison Park.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2509**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of former Illinois State Representative Vincent A. "Vince" Persico.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2510**

Offered by Senator Harmon and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Edward "Ed" Vincent of Oak Park.

# **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2511**

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Robert L. Flemming of Sawyerville.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2512**

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Darrel L. Meininger.

# **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2513**

Offered by Senator Lightford and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Joe W. Freelon, Sr.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2514**

Offered by Senator Lightford and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Cory Lushon "CJ" Foster, Jr.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2515**

Offered by Senator McGuire and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Sharon A. Skaggs of Ashamy.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2516**

Offered by Senator McGuire and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donald Carlton West, Jr.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2517**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Gretchen Maxine Gulledge of Maryville.

# **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2518**

Offered by Senator Mulroe and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donna (Kenealy) Geraghty.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2519**

Offered by Senator Raoul and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Frances Joann Winfield.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2520**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators: Mourns the death of Norman E. Slead of Moline.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2521**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators: Mourns the death of Clair L. Thompson of Edgington.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2522**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators: Mourns the death of Michael Lee Humphries of Milan.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2523**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators: Mourns the death of David L. Sharpe of Rock Island.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2524**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators: Mourns the death of Ralph Carman Hughes of East Moline.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2525**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators: Mourns the death of Jimmie R. Whitten of Moline.

## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2526

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators: Mourns the death of Otis Dean Cozad of Rock Island.

## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2527

Offered by Senator McGuire and all Senators: Mourns the death of Rudolph "Rudy" Mahalik, Sr., of Joliet.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2528

Offered by Senator McGuire and all Senators: Mourns the death of Gretta Viola (Spivey) Whitted of Joliet.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2529**

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators: Mourns the death of Brian R. Miller of Carrollton.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2530**

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Andrew Scott "Big" Beauchamp of Springfield.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2531**

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators: Mourns the death of George Warren Kenney of Springfield.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2532**

Offered by Senator McConchie and all Senators: Mourns the death of Marita Salvi of Crystal Lake.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2533**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators: Mourns the death of Norma Mary Foley of Collinsville.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2534**

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Kevin Michael Lehmann of Carlinville.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2535**

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Dorothy Jane Bellm of Carlinville.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2536**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Dale Lee Hofer, Sr., of Moline.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2537**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of James Wesley Long of Silvis.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2538**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Gary L. DeCraene of Bettendorf, Iowa, formerly of Moline.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2539**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Leroy E. Woolley of Colona.

# **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2540**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Paul R. Vyncke of East Moline.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2541**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Mary K. Katris of Waukegan.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2542**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Kathleen T. Litz of Gurnee.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2543**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Millicent Kaminskas Semasko.

# **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2544**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Lawrence W. Baier, Sr., of Woodstock.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2545**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Hugh Arkell "Skeet" Bateman, Jr., of Johnsburg.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2546**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Patricia "Pat" Cervantes of Woodstock.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2547**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Michael H. Cooney of Woodstock.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2548**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Rocco Peter Dawson of Harvard.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2549**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators: Mourns the death of Richard M. Devereaux of Harvard.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2550**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Therese I. Duffy of Woodstock.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2551**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Marvin Edward "Bear" Dycus.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2552**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Albert G. Hicks of Marengo.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2553**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donald P. Kaiser of Woodstock.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2554**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Lawrence "Ken" Kensick of Crystal Lake.

## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2555

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Louis J. Link, Sr., of Crystal Lake.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2556

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Franklin M. Pease of Crystal Lake.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2557**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Ruth M. Petersen of McHenry.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2558**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Edward "Eddie" Pieroni of McHenry.

# **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2559**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Mark Harold Reddel of McHenry.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2560

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Sharon Lynn "Sherry" Sales.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2561**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donald G. Schellhaass of Marengo.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2562**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Elizabeth Lorraine "Betty" Walker of Johnsburg.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2563**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Goldie M. Withrow of McHenry.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2564**

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Anna Mae Moore of Coffeen.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2565

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Rose Jeanette Heflin of Bunker Hill.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2566

Offered by Senator L. Murphy and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Dan Knight of Park Ridge.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2567**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of William Dalrymple "Dal" Frost of Lake Forest.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2568**

Offered by Senator Hastings and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Paul John Magelli of Urbana.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2569**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of the Honorable Thomas A. Schermerhorn of Woodstock.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2570**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Charles "Chuck" Dennis Sandford of Marengo.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2571

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Robert W. Reddersdorf of Marengo.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2572**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Eric R. Pickell of Wonder Lake.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2573**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Ruth T. (Clarkens) Nick of McHenry.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2574**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Janice Phyllis Lane of Johnsburg.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2575**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donna L. Johnson of Crystal Lake.

# **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2576**

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:

Mourns the death of H. Joseph Gitlin.

## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2577

Offered by Senator Rose and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Michael "Larry" Klugman of Decatur.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2579

Offered by Senator T. Cullerton and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Ronald Allen of Naperville.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2580**

Offered by Senator T. Cullerton and all Senators:

Mourns the death of James Mantice.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2583

Offered by Senator Mulroe and all Senators:

Mourns the death of the Reverend Donald Joseph Ahearn.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2584**

Offered by Senator Mulroe and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Philip M. Duffin, Sr., of Naperville.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2585**

Offered by Senator Mulroe and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Jacqueline P. Twardos of Kenosha, Wisconsin, formerly of Park Ridge.

### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2586

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Misty Michelle Hammon of White Hall.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2587

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Lena "Lee" Gruebel of Boca Raton, Florida.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2588**

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Phyllis M. Rimbey of Jacksonville.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2589**

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Joseph Peter "Jose" Morales of Alton.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2591**

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Regina A. "Gina" Helfer of Deerfield.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2592**

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Diana D. Suckow of Lake Bluff.

## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2593

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Kenneth Chisholm Bennett of Lake Forest.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2594

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donald Dorge of Lake Forest.

## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2595

Offered by Senator McConchie and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Mary Virginia "Ginny" Segerson of Glen Ellyn.

The Chair moved the adoption of the Resolutions Consent Calendar. The motion prevailed, and the resolutions were adopted.

At the hour of 2:51 o'clock p.m., President Cullerton, presiding.

At the hour of 2:52 o'clock p.m., on motion of Senator Clayborne, the Senate stood adjourned SINE DIE.