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AN ACT concerning well water.

- Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,represented in the General Assembly:
- 4 Section 5. The Illinois Water Well Construction Code is 5 amended by adding Section 6b-1 as follows:
- 6 (415 ILCS 30/6b-1 new)
- 7 <u>Sec. 6b-1. Contaminated Well Water Revolving Loan</u> 8 <u>Program.</u>
- 9 <u>(a) There is created within the the State Treasury a</u> 10 <u>special fund to be known as the Contaminated Well Water</u> 11 <u>Revolving Loan Program Fund, which shall be used, subject to</u> 12 <u>appropriation, and administered by the Department to create a</u> 13 <u>loan program to aid in the cost of connecting a home that has</u> 14 <u>contaminated well water to an alternate water source.</u>
- 15 (b) The Department shall establish a program whereby the 16 owner of a contaminated well may apply for up to \$30,000 in 17 interest-free loans to be used for connecting the home that 18 has the contaminated well water to an alternate water source. 19 The owner shall have a period of 30 years in which to pay 20 back loans made under this program.
- 21 (c) The Department shall adopt rules as necessary to
 22 implement this Section.
- 23 Section 10. The State Finance Act is amended by adding 24 Section 5.595 as follows:
- 25 (30 ILCS 105/5.595 new)
 26 Sec. 5.595. The Contaminated Well Water Revolving Loan
 27 Program Fund.
- 28 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon

1 becoming law.