

93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB4244

Introduced 1/28/2004, by Jim Watson

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 105/6z-51

Amends the State Finance Act. At the end of each fiscal year when the State has a cash balance in excess of \$750,000,000, requires that the excess be transferred into the Budget Stabilization Fund. Conditions the State Comptroller's authority to use the Fund to meet deficits and shortfalls upon the agreement of the State Treasurer and advance approval of the General Assembly by adoption of a joint resolution. Effective immediately.

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AN ACT concerning State finance.

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

Section 5. The State Finance Act is amended by changing
Section 6z-51 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 105/6z-51)

7 Sec. 6z-51. Budget Stabilization Fund; transfer of excess
8 <u>State revenues</u>.

(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, in each 9 fiscal year in which the State's cash balance at the end of the 10 fiscal year is in excess of \$750,000,000, that excess shall be 11 transferred into the Budget Stabilization Fund, a special fund 12 in the State treasury. The Budget Stabilization Fund also 13 shall include shall consist of moneys appropriated or 14 15 transferred to that Fund $_{\overline{r}}$ as provided in Section 6z-43 and as otherwise provided by law. 16

17 (b) Upon agreement of the State Comptroller and State Treasurer, and upon advance approval of the General Assembly by 18 19 joint resolution, the State Comptroller may direct the State 20 Treasurer to transfer moneys from the Budget Stabilization Fund to the General Revenue Fund in order to meet deficits resulting 21 22 from timing variations between disbursements and the receipt of 23 funds within a fiscal year. Any moneys so borrowed shall be 24 repaid by June 30 of the fiscal year in which they were 25 borrowed.

26 (Source: P.A. 92-11, eff. 6-11-01; 92-651, eff. 7-11-02.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect uponbecoming law.