



93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
State of Illinois
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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

55 ILCS 5/3-3001

from Ch. 34, par. 3-3001

Amends the Counties Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning coroners.

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1 AN ACT concerning counties.

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

4 Section 5. The Counties Code is amended by changing Section
5 3-3001 as follows:

6 (55 ILCS 5/3-3001) (from Ch. 34, par. 3-3001)

7 Sec. 3-3001. Commission; training; duties performed by
8 other county officer.

9 (a) Every coroner ~~coroner~~ shall be commissioned by the
10 Governor, but no commission shall issue except upon the
11 certificate of the county clerk of the proper county of the due
12 election or appointment of the coroner and that the coroner has
13 filed his or her bond and taken the oath of office as provided
14 in this Division.

15 (b) (1) Within 30 days of assuming office, a coroner
16 elected to that office for the first time shall apply for
17 admission to the Illinois Law Enforcement Training
18 Standards Board coroners training program. Completion of
19 the training program shall be within 6 months of
20 application. Any coroner may direct the chief deputy
21 coroner or a deputy coroner, or both, to attend the
22 training program, provided the coroner has completed the
23 training program. Satisfactory completion of the program
24 shall be evidenced by a certificate issued to the coroner
25 by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board.
26 All coroners shall complete the training program at least
27 once while serving as coroner.

28 (2) In developing the coroner training program, the
29 Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board shall
30 consult with the Illinois Coroners Association and the
31 Illinois Necropsy Board.

32 (3) The Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards

1 Board shall notify the proper county board of the failure
2 by a coroner to successfully complete this training
3 program.

4 (c) Every coroner shall attend at least 24 hours of
5 accredited continuing education for coroners in each calendar
6 year.

7 (d) In all counties that provide by resolution for the
8 elimination of the office of coroner pursuant to a referendum,
9 the resolution may also provide, as part of the same
10 proposition, that the duties of the coroner be taken over by
11 another county officer specified by the resolution and
12 proposition.

13 (Source: P.A. 87-255; 88-586, eff. 8-12-94.)