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AN ACT concerning health.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Clean Indoor Air Act is amended by 5 changing Sections 2 and 11 as follows:

(410 ILCS 80/2) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 8202) 6 7 Sec. 2. The General Assembly finds that tobacco smoke is annoying, harmful and dangerous to human beings and a hazard to 8 public health. Secondhand tobacco smoke causes at least 65,000 9 deaths each year from heart disease and lung cancer according 10 to the National Cancer Institute. Secondhand tobacco smoke 11 causes sudden infant death syndrome, low-birth-weight in 12 infants, asthma and exacerbation of asthma, bronchitis and 13 pneumonia in children and adults. Secondhand tobacco smoke is 14 15 the third leading cause of preventable death in the United States. Illinois workers exposed to secondhand tobacco smoke 16 are at increased risk of premature death. An estimated 1,570 17 Illinois citizens die each year from exposure to secondhand 18 19 tobacco smoke.

20 (Source: P.A. 86-1018.)

21 (410 ILCS 80/11) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 8211)

22 Sec. 11. <u>Home rule.</u>

(a) Except as provided in subsection (b), a home rule or 23 24 non home rule unit of local government or any municipality in 25 this State <u>may</u> shall not have the power and authority, after the effective date of this Act, to regulate smoking in public 26 27 places, but that regulation must be no less restrictive than this Act. This subsection (a) is a limitation on the concurrent 28 29 exercise of home rule power under subsection (i) of Section 6 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution. 30

31 (b) Pursuant to Article VII, Section 6, paragraph (h) of

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the Illinois Constitution of 1970, it is declared to be the law 1 2 of this State that the regulation of smoking as provided by 3 this Act is a power which pre-empts home rule units from exercising such power subject to the limitations provided in 4 the Act, provided that Any home rule unit that has passed an 5 ordinance concerning the regulation of smoking prior to October 6 7 1, 1989 is exempt from the requirements of subsection (a). 8 pre emption. (Source: P.A. 86-1018.) 9