

## 94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2005 and 2006 HB2073

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## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

720 ILCS 5/2-10.1

from Ch. 38, par. 2-10.1

Amends the Criminal Code of 1961. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning "severely or profoundly mentally retarded persons".

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1 AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

- Section 5. The Criminal Code of 1961 is amended by changing

  Section 2-10.1 as follows:
- 6 (720 ILCS 5/2-10.1) (from Ch. 38, par. 2-10.1)
- 7 Sec. 2-10.1. "Severely or profoundly mentally retarded person" means a person (i) whose intelligence quotient does not 8 exceed 40 or (ii) whose intelligence quotient does not exceed 9 55 and and who suffers from significant mental illness to the 10 extent that the person's ability to exercise rational judgment 11 12 is impaired. In any proceeding in which the defendant is charged with committing a violation of Section 10-2, 10-5, 13 14 11-15.1, 11-19.1, 11-19.2, 11-20.1, 12-4.3, 12-14, or 12-16 of 15 this Code against a victim who is alleged to be a severely or profoundly mentally retarded person, any findings concerning 16 17 the victim's status as a severely or profoundly mentally retarded person, made by a court after a judicial admission 18 19 hearing concerning the victim under Articles V and VI of 20 Chapter 4 of the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Code shall be admissible. 21
- 22 (Source: P.A. 92-434, eff. 1-1-02.)