



**94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
**State of Illinois**  
**2005 and 2006**  
**HB4813**

Introduced 1/18/2006, by Rep. Michael J. Madigan

**SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:**

230 ILCS 10/13.2 new  
30 ILCS 105/5.663 new  
30 ILCS 105/8h

Amends the Riverboat Gambling Act. Requires a riverboat with a home dock located within the City of Joliet to pay to the Illinois Gaming Board \$1,500,000 on July 1, 2006 or within 30 days after the effective date of this amendatory Act, whichever is later. Provides that the payments shall be deposited into the Joliet Civic Center Improvement Fund and shall be used for repairs and improvements to the Joliet Civic Center. Amends the State Finance Act to create the Joliet Civic Center Improvement Fund as a special fund in the State Treasury. Exempts the Fund from the Act's administrative chargeback provisions. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT  
MAY APPLY

1 AN ACT concerning gaming.

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

4 Section 5. The Riverboat Gambling Act is amended by adding  
5 Section 13.2 as follows:

6 (230 ILCS 10/13.2 new)

7 Sec. 13.2. Joliet Civic Center Improvement Fund. In  
8 addition to any other monies required to be paid under this  
9 Act, a riverboat with a home dock located within the City of  
10 Joliet shall pay to the Illinois Gaming Board \$1,500,000 on  
11 July 1, 2006 or within 30 days after the effective date of this  
12 amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly, whichever is  
13 later. The payments required under this Section shall be  
14 deposited into the Joliet Civic Center Improvement Fund, a  
15 special fund created in the State treasury. Subject to  
16 appropriation to the governing board of the Joliet Civic  
17 Center, moneys in the Joliet Civic Center Improvement Fund  
18 shall be used for repairs and improvements to the Joliet Civic  
19 Center.

20 Section 10. The State Finance Act is amended by adding  
21 Section 5.663 and by amending Section 8h as follows:

22 (30 ILCS 105/5.663 new)

23 Sec. 5.663. The Joliet Civic Center Improvement Fund.

24 (30 ILCS 105/8h)

25 Sec. 8h. Transfers to General Revenue Fund.

26 (a) Except as provided in subsection (b), notwithstanding  
27 any other State law to the contrary, the Governor may, through  
28 June 30, 2007, from time to time direct the State Treasurer and  
29 Comptroller to transfer a specified sum from any fund held by

1 the State Treasurer to the General Revenue Fund in order to  
2 help defray the State's operating costs for the fiscal year.  
3 The total transfer under this Section from any fund in any  
4 fiscal year shall not exceed the lesser of (i) 8% of the  
5 revenues to be deposited into the fund during that fiscal year  
6 or (ii) an amount that leaves a remaining fund balance of 25%  
7 of the July 1 fund balance of that fiscal year. In fiscal year  
8 2005 only, prior to calculating the July 1, 2004 final  
9 balances, the Governor may calculate and direct the State  
10 Treasurer with the Comptroller to transfer additional amounts  
11 determined by applying the formula authorized in Public Act  
12 93-839 to the funds balances on July 1, 2003. No transfer may  
13 be made from a fund under this Section that would have the  
14 effect of reducing the available balance in the fund to an  
15 amount less than the amount remaining unexpended and unreserved  
16 from the total appropriation from that fund estimated to be  
17 expended for that fiscal year. This Section does not apply to  
18 any funds that are restricted by federal law to a specific use,  
19 to any funds in the Motor Fuel Tax Fund, the Intercity  
20 Passenger Rail Fund, the Hospital Provider Fund, the Medicaid  
21 Provider Relief Fund, the Teacher Health Insurance Security  
22 Fund, the Reviewing Court Alternative Dispute Resolution Fund,  
23 ~~or~~ the Voters' Guide Fund, the Foreign Language Interpreter  
24 Fund, the Lawyers' Assistance Program Fund, the Supreme Court  
25 Federal Projects Fund, the Supreme Court Special State Projects  
26 Fund, ~~or~~ the Low-Level Radioactive Waste Facility Development  
27 and Operation Fund, or the Hospital Basic Services Preservation  
28 Fund, or to any funds to which subsection (f) of Section 20-40  
29 of the Nursing and Advanced Practice Nursing Act applies. No  
30 transfers may be made under this Section from the Pet  
31 Population Control Fund. Notwithstanding any other provision  
32 of this Section, for fiscal year 2004, the total transfer under  
33 this Section from the Road Fund or the State Construction  
34 Account Fund shall not exceed the lesser of (i) 5% of the  
35 revenues to be deposited into the fund during that fiscal year  
36 or (ii) 25% of the beginning balance in the fund. For fiscal

1 year 2005 through fiscal year 2007, no amounts may be  
2 transferred under this Section from the Road Fund, the State  
3 Construction Account Fund, the Criminal Justice Information  
4 Systems Trust Fund, the Wireless Service Emergency Fund, or the  
5 Mandatory Arbitration Fund.

6 In determining the available balance in a fund, the  
7 Governor may include receipts, transfers into the fund, and  
8 other resources anticipated to be available in the fund in that  
9 fiscal year.

10 The State Treasurer and Comptroller shall transfer the  
11 amounts designated under this Section as soon as may be  
12 practicable after receiving the direction to transfer from the  
13 Governor.

14 (b) This Section does not apply to: (i) the Ticket For The  
15 Cure Fund; (ii) ~~or to~~ any fund established under the Community  
16 Senior Services and Resources Act; or (iii) ~~(ii)~~ on or after  
17 January 1, 2006 (the effective date of Public Act 94-511) ~~this~~  
18 ~~amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly~~, the Child Labor  
19 and Day and Temporary Labor Enforcement Fund.

20 (c) This Section does not apply to the Demutualization  
21 Trust Fund established under the Uniform Disposition of  
22 Unclaimed Property Act.

23 (d) This Section does not apply to the Joliet Civic Center  
24 Fund established under the Riverboat Gambling Act.

25 (Source: P.A. 93-32, eff. 6-20-03; 93-659, eff. 2-3-04; 93-674,  
26 eff. 6-10-04; 93-714, eff. 7-12-04; 93-801, eff. 7-22-04;  
27 93-839, eff. 7-30-04; 93-1054, eff. 11-18-04; 93-1067, eff.  
28 1-15-05; 94-91, eff. 7-1-05; 94-120, eff. 7-6-05; 94-511, eff.  
29 1-1-06; 94-535, eff. 8-10-05; 94-639, eff. 8-22-05; 94-645,  
30 eff. 8-22-05; 94-648, eff. 1-1-06; 94-686, eff. 11-2-05;  
31 94-691, eff. 11-2-05; revised 11-15-05.)

32 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
33 becoming law.