

95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2007 and 2008 HB0733

Introduced 2/7/2007, by Rep. Cynthia Soto

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

205 ILCS 5/48.4 305 ILCS 5/10-25.5

Amends the Illinois Banking Act. Makes technical changes in a Section concerning the enforcement of child support. Amends the Illinois Public Aid Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning administrative liens and levies on personal property for past-due child support.

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1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

- 4 Section 5. The Illinois Banking Act is amended by changing
- 5 Section 48.4 as follows:
- 6 (205 ILCS 5/48.4)
- 7 Sec. 48.4. Enforcement of child support.
- 8 (a) Any bank governed by this Act shall encumber or
- 9 surrender accounts or assets held by the the bank on behalf of
- 10 any responsible relative who is subject to a child support
- lien, upon notice of the lien or levy of the <u>Department of</u>
- 12 Healthcare and Family Services (formerly Illinois Department
- of Public Aid) or its successor agency pursuant to Section
- 14 10-25.5 of the Illinois Public Aid Code, or upon notice of
- 15 interstate lien or levy from any other state's agency
- 16 responsible for implementing the child support enforcement
- 17 program set forth in Title IV, Part D of the Social Security
- 18 Act.
- 19 (b) Within 90 days after receiving notice from the
- 20 Department of Healthcare and Family Services (formerly
- 21 Department of Public Aid) that the Department has adopted a
- 22 child support enforcement debit authorization form as required
- 23 under the Illinois Public Aid Code, each bank governed by this

- 1 Act shall take all appropriate steps to implement the use of
- 2 the form in relation to accounts held by the bank. Upon
- 3 receiving from the Department of Healthcare and Family Services
- 4 (formerly Department of Public Aid) a copy of a child support
- 5 enforcement debit authorization form signed by an obligor, a
- 6 bank holding an account on behalf of the obligor shall debit
- 7 the account and transfer the debited amounts to the State
- 8 Disbursement Unit according to the instructions in the child
- 9 support enforcement debit authorization form.
- 10 (Source: P.A. 92-811, eff. 8-21-02; 93-736, eff. 7-14-04;
- 11 revised 12-15-05.)
- 12 Section 10. The Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by
- 13 changing Section 10-25.5 as follows:
- 14 (305 ILCS 5/10-25.5)
- Sec. 10-25.5. Administrative liens and levies on personal
- 16 property for past-due child support.
- 17 (a) The State shall have a $\frac{1}{2}$ lien on all legal and
- 18 equitable interests of responsible relatives in their personal
- 19 property, including any account in a financial institution as
- 20 defined in Section 10-24, or in the case of an insurance
- 21 company or benefit association only in accounts as defined in
- 22 Section 10-24, in the amount of past-due child support owing
- 23 pursuant to an order for child support entered under Sections
- 24 10-10 and 10-11 of this Code, or under the Illinois Marriage

- 1 and Dissolution of Marriage Act, the Non-Support of Spouse and
- 2 Children Act, the Non-Support Punishment Act, the Uniform
- 3 Interstate Family Support Act, or the Illinois Parentage Act of
- 4 1984.
- 5 (b) The Illinois Department shall provide by rule for
- 6 notice to and an opportunity to be heard by each responsible
- 7 relative affected, and any final administrative decision
- 8 rendered by the Illinois Department shall be reviewed only
- 9 under and in accordance with the Administrative Review Law.
- 10 (c) When enforcing a lien under subsection (a) of this
- 11 Section, the Illinois Department shall have the authority to
- 12 execute notices of administrative liens and levies, which shall
- 13 contain the name and address of the responsible relative, a
- description of the property to be levied, the fact that a lien
- is being claimed for past-due child support, and such other
- information as the Illinois Department may by rule prescribe.
- 17 The Illinois Department may serve the notice of lien or levy
- 18 upon any financial institution where the accounts as defined in
- 19 Section 10-24 of the responsible relative may be held, for
- 20 encumbrance or surrender of the accounts as defined in Section
- 21 10-24 by the financial institution.
- 22 (d) The Illinois Department shall enforce its lien against
- 23 the responsible relative's personal property, other than
- accounts as defined in Section 10-24 in financial institutions,
- and levy upon such personal property in the manner provided for
- 26 enforcement of judgments contained in Article XII of the Code

- 1 of Civil Procedure.
- 2 (e) The Illinois Department shall not be required to 3 furnish bond or make a deposit for or pay any costs or fees of 4 any court or officer thereof in any legal proceeding involving 5 the lien.
 - (f) To protect the lien of the State for past-due child support, the Illinois Department may, from funds that are available for that purpose, pay or provide for the payment of necessary or essential repairs, purchase tax certificates, or pay or cause to be satisfied any prior liens on the property to which the lien hereunder applies.
 - (g) A lien on personal property under this Section shall be released in the manner provided under Article XII of the Code of Civil Procedure. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a lien under this Section on accounts as defined in Section 10-24 shall expire upon the passage of 120 days from the date of issuance of the Notice of Lien or Levy by the Illinois Department. However, the lien shall remain in effect during the pendency of any appeal or protest.
 - (h) A lien created under this Section is subordinate to any prior lien of the financial institution or any prior lien holder or any prior right of set-off that the financial institution may have against the assets, or in the case of an insurance company or benefit association only in the accounts as defined in Section 10-24.
 - (i) A financial institution has no obligation under this

- 1 Section to hold, encumber, or surrender the assets, or in the
- 2 case of an insurance company or benefit association only the
- 3 accounts as defined in Section 10-24, until the financial
- 4 institution has been properly served with a subpoena, summons,
- 5 warrant, court or administrative order, or administrative lien
- 6 and levy requiring that action.
- 7 (Source: P.A. 90-18, eff. 7-1-97; 91-613, eff. 10-1-99.)