95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB0976

Introduced 2/8/2007, by Rep. David R. Leitch

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

55 ILCS 105/3

from Ch. 91 1/2, par. 203

Amends the County Care for Persons with Developmental Disabilities Act. Provides that any county board for the care and treatment of persons with a developmental disability shall consist of 5 members (instead of 3). Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

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AN ACT concerning local government.

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

Section 5. The County Care for Persons with Developmental
Disabilities Act is amended by changing Section 3 as follows:

6 (55 ILCS 105/3) (from Ch. 91 1/2, par. 203)

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Sec. 3. <u>County board for care and treatment of persons with</u> a developmental disability.

9 (a) When any county has authority to levy a tax for the purpose of this Act, the presiding officer of the county board 10 with the advice and consent of the county board, shall appoint 11 a board of 5 $\frac{3}{2}$ directors who shall administer this Act. The 12 board shall be designated the "(name of county) County Board 13 14 for Care and Treatment of Persons with a Developmental Disability". The original appointees shall be appointed for 15 16 terms expiring, respectively, on June 30 in the first year (for 17 one appointee), second year (for 2 appointees), and third year (for 2 appointees) years following their appointment as 18 19 designated by the appointing authority. All succeeding terms shall be for 3 years and appointments shall be made in like 20 21 manner. Vacancies shall be filled in like manner for the 22 balance of the unexpired term. Each director shall serve until his successor is appointed. Directors shall serve without 23

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1 compensation but shall be reimbursed for expenses reasonably
2 incurred in the performance of their duties.

3 (b) Within 60 days after the effective date of this 4 amendatory Act of the 95th General Assembly, the presiding 5 officer of any county that has established a 3-member board 6 under this Section shall appoint 2 additional members to that 7 board. Of the 2 members appointed under this amendatory Act of the 95th General Assembly, one shall serve for a term expiring 8 9 on June 30 of the second year following his or her appointment, 10 and one shall serve for a term expiring on June 30 of the third 11 year following his or her appointment. Their successors shall 12 serve for 3-year terms. (Source: P.A. 88-380; 88-388; 89-585, eff. 1-1-97.) 13

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