## 95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

# State of Illinois

# 2007 and 2008

#### HB6709

by Rep. JoAnn D. Osmond

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

65 ILCS 5/3.1-25-100 new

65 ILCS 5/6-4-7.5 new

Amends the Illinois Municipal Code. Provides that individual members of the board of trustees of certain villages may not hire a separate attorney using public funds unless the village attorney is disqualified from or recuses himself or herself from representing the member in his or her official capacity. Effective immediately.

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1 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 Illinois Municipal Code is amended by adding
  Sections 3.1-25-100 and 6-4-7.5 as follows:
- 6 (65 ILCS 5/3.1-25-100 new)
  7 Sec. 3.1-25-100. Village trustees; attorney. One or more
  8 individual members of the board of trustees of any village
  9 incorporated under this Division may not hire a separate
  10 attorney using public funds unless the village attorney is
  11 disqualified from or recuses himself or herself from
  12 representing the member in his or her official capacity.

# 13 (65 ILCS 5/6-4-7.5 new) 14 <u>Sec. 6-4-7.5. Village trustees; attorney. One or more</u> 15 <u>individual members of the board of trustees of any village</u> 16 <u>incorporated under this Division may not hire a separate</u> 17 <u>attorney using public funds unless the village attorney is</u> 18 <u>disqualified from or recuses himself or herself from</u> 19 <u>representing the member in his or her official capacity.</u>

20 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon 21 becoming law.