

96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2009 and 2010 HB0248

Introduced 1/20/2009, by Rep. John E. Bradley

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

730 ILCS 5/5-9-5 new

Amends the Unified Code of Corrections. Provides that with the consent of the defendant, the court may order that a defendant who has been convicted of a criminal offense and ordered to pay a fine perform community service in lieu of the payment of the fine. Provides that the court shall in such cases waive any fines imposed upon the defendant and a defendant who performs such community service shall not be considered in default of the payment of the fine.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

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 Unified Code of Corrections is amended by adding Section 5-9-5 as follows:
- 6 (730 ILCS 5/5-9-5 new)
- Sec. 5-9-5. Community service in lieu of fines. With the 7 consent of the defendant, the court may order that a defendant 8 9 who has been convicted of a criminal offense and ordered to pay 10 a fine perform community service in lieu of the payment of the fine. The court shall in such cases waive any fines imposed 11 upon the defendant and a defendant who performs such community 12 service shall not be considered in default of the payment of 13 14 the fine.