97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB1407

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

5 ILCS 460/212

Amends the State Designations Act. Provides that no portrait or other image of any person who has served as Governor of Illinois shall be financed or paid for by the State or any State entity or with State funds.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

HB1407

1 AN ACT concerning government.

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

4 Section 5. The State Designations Act is amended by 5 changing Section 212 as follows:

6 (5 ILCS 460/212)

7 Sec. 212. Official gubernatorial portraits.

8 (a) The portraits of the Governors of Illinois, painted or 9 otherwise created as visual images, displayed in the State 10 Capitol shall be the official State portraits of the Governors 11 of Illinois.

(b) No portrait or other image of any person who has served 12 as Governor of Illinois and who has been removed from that 13 14 office by impeachment and conviction shall be financed or paid for by the State or any State entity or with State funds. 15 16 Notwithstanding this prohibition, a portrait or image of such a 17 person may be displayed or otherwise placed in the State Capitol, and the State may maintain such official State 18 19 portrait of that person among the official State portraits of the Governors of Illinois. 20

21 (Source: P.A. 96-1017, eff. 1-1-11.)