

97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2011 and 2012 HB3089

Introduced 2/23/2011, by Rep. Luis Arroyo

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 200/20-15

Amends the Property Tax Code. Provides that property tax bills shall contain a statement itemizing the amount and percentage of funds from each taxing district in which the property is located that are distributed into a tax increment allocation fund and the total amount amount and percentage of funds being allocated to a tax increment allocation fund.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

HOUSING AFFORDABILITY IMPACT NOTE ACT MAY APPLY 1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

- Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by changing Section 20-15 as follows:
- 6 (35 ILCS 200/20-15)

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- Sec. 20-15. Information on bill or separate statement.
- 8 There shall be printed on each bill, or on a separate slip
- 9 which shall be mailed with the bill:
 - (a) a statement itemizing the rate at which taxes have been extended for each of the taxing districts in the county in whose district the property is located, and in those counties utilizing electronic data processing equipment the dollar amount of tax due from the person assessed allocable to each of those taxing districts, including a separate statement of the dollar amount of tax due which is allocable to a tax levied under the Illinois Local Library Act or to any other tax levied by a municipality or township for public library purposes,
 - (b) a separate statement for each of the taxing districts of the dollar amount of tax due which is allocable to a tax levied under the Illinois Pension Code or to any other tax levied by a municipality or township

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1	for public pension or retirement purposes,
2	(b-5) a statement itemizing the amount and percentage
3	of funds from each taxing district in which the property is
4	located that are distributed into a tax increment
5	allocation fund and the total amount amount and percentage
6	of funds being allocated to a tax increment allocation
7	<u>fund</u> ,
8	(c) the total tax rate,
9	(d) the total amount of tax due, and
10	(e) the amount by which the total tax and the tax
11	allocable to each taxing district differs from the
12	taxpayer's last prior tax bill.
13	The county treasurer shall ensure that only those taxing
14	districts in which a parcel of property is located shall be
15	listed on the bill for that property.
16	In all counties the statement shall also provide:
17	(1) the property index number or other suitable
18	description,
19	(2) the assessment of the property,
20	(3) the equalization factors imposed by the county and
21	by the Department, and
22	(4) the equalized assessment resulting from the
23	application of the equalization factors to the basic
24	assessment.

In all counties which do not classify property for purposes

of taxation, for property on which a single family residence is

situated the statement shall also include a statement to reflect the fair cash value determined for the property. In all counties which classify property for purposes of taxation in accordance with Section 4 of Article IX of the Illinois Constitution, for parcels of residential property in the lowest assessment classification the statement shall also include a statement to reflect the fair cash value determined for the property.

In all counties, the statement must include information that certain taxpayers may be eligible for tax exemptions, abatements, and other assistance programs and that, for more information, taxpayers should consult with the office of their township or county assessor and with the Illinois Department of Revenue.

In all counties, the statement shall include information that certain taxpayers may be eligible for the Senior Citizens and Disabled Persons Property Tax Relief and Pharmaceutical Assistance Act and that applications are available from the Illinois Department on Aging.

In counties which use the estimated or accelerated billing methods, these statements shall only be provided with the final installment of taxes due. The provisions of this Section create a mandatory statutory duty. They are not merely directory or discretionary. The failure or neglect of the collector to mail the bill, or the failure of the taxpayer to receive the bill, shall not affect the validity of any tax, or the liability for

- 1 the payment of any tax.
- 2 (Source: P.A. 95-644, eff. 10-12-07.)