97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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HB4012

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

65 ILCS 5/11-5-11 new 235 ILCS 5/4-4 410 ILCS 82/35

from Ch. 43, par. 112

Amends the Illinois Municipal Code to provide that the corporate authorities of each municipality may authorize by ordinance the local liquor control commission to issue smoking licenses to establishments eligible for a smoking license under the Liquor Control Act of 1934. Amends the Liquor Control Act of 1934. Provides that a local liquor control commission, if authorized by ordinance, shall have the power to issue a smoking license to certain eligible establishments. Provides that an eligible establishment must be able to document that that (i) it has disclosed to all employees that if a smoking license is granted to the establishment, smoking will be permitted on the premises; (ii) all employees have acknowledged receiving the disclosure; and (iii) it has an air filtration system that meets the size and use standards of the International Mechanical Code. Amends the Smoke Free Illinois Act to provide that smoking is allowed in any eligible establishment that has obtained a license to allow smoking on the premises from the local liquor control commission and that an eligible establishment must post prominent signage notifying the public that the establishment has been designated as a smoking establishment. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning liquor.

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
 Section 11-5-11 as follows:
- 6 (65 ILCS 5/11-5-11 new)
 7 Sec. 11-5-11. Smoking licenses. The corporate authorities
 8 of each municipality may authorize by ordinance the local
 9 liquor control commission to issue smoking licenses to

10 <u>establishments eligible for a smoking license under Section 4-4</u>
11 <u>of the Liquor Control Act of 1934.</u>

Section 10. The Liquor Control Act of 1934 is amended by changing Section 4-4 as follows:

14 (235 ILCS 5/4-4) (from Ch. 43, par. 112)

15 Sec. 4-4. Additional powers.

16 <u>(a)</u> Each local liquor control commissioner shall also have 17 the following powers, functions, and duties with respect to 18 licenses, other than licenses to manufacturers, importing 19 distributors, distributors, foreign importers, non-resident 20 dealers, non-beverage users, brokers, railroads, airplanes, 21 and boats. HB4012

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1. To grant and or suspend for not more than thirty
 2 days or revoke for cause all local licenses issued to
 3 persons for premises within his jurisdiction;

2. To enter or to authorize any law enforcing officer to enter at any time upon any premises licensed hereunder to determine whether any of the provisions of this Act or any rules or regulations adopted by him or by the State Commission have been or are being violated, and at such time to examine said premises of said licensee in connection therewith;

11 3. To notify the Secretary of State where a club 12 incorporated under the General Not for Profit Corporation 13 Act of 1986 or a foreign corporation functioning as a club 14 in this State under a certificate of authority issued under 15 that Act has violated this Act by selling or offering for 16 sale at retail alcoholic liquors without a retailer's 17 license;

4. To receive complaint from any citizen within his
jurisdiction that any of the provisions of this Act, or any
rules or regulations adopted pursuant hereto, have been or
are being violated and to act upon such complaints in the
manner hereinafter provided;

5. To receive local license fees and pay the same
forthwith to the city, village, town or county treasurer as
the case may be.

6. If authorized by ordinance, to issue a smoking

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1	license to the following eligible establishments:
2	(A) any bar that can provide written documentation
3	that less than 10% of its total revenue comes from the
4	sale of food;
5	(B) any venue where gambling operations are
6	conducted pursuant to the Riverboat Gambling Act or the
7	Illinois Horse Racing Act of 1975;
8	(C) any venue for adult entertainment where a
9	person must be at least 18 years old to enter;
10	(D) any private club, as defined in Section 10 of
11	the Smoke Free Illinois Act, provided that at least
12	three-fifths of the private club's members have
13	requested in writing that the private club designate
14	areas for smoking; or
15	(E) any establishment hosting a convention or
16	exposition for the specific purpose of exhibiting or
17	selling cigars, pipes, tobacco, and related smoking
18	devices or accessories.
19	An eligible establishment must be able to document that
20	(i) it has disclosed to all employees that if a smoking
21	license is granted to the establishment, smoking will be
22	permitted on the premises; (ii) all employees have
23	acknowledged receiving the disclosure; and (iii) it has an
24	air filtration system that meets the size and use standards
25	of the International Mechanical Code. If the eligible
26	establishment has a liquor license, then it must be in

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1 compliance with all of the terms of the liquor license in 2 order to receive a license to allow smoking on the 3 premises.

4 <u>(b)</u> Each local liquor commissioner also has the duty to 5 notify the Secretary of State of any convictions or 6 dispositions of court supervision for a violation of Section 7 6-20 of this Act or a similar provision of a local ordinance.

8 <u>(c)</u> In counties and municipalities, the local liquor 9 control commissioners shall also have the power to levy fines 10 in accordance with Section 7-5 of this Act.

11 (Source: P.A. 95-166, eff. 1-1-08.)

12 Section 15. The Smoke Free Illinois Act is amended by 13 changing Section 35 as follows:

14 (410 ILCS 82/35)

Sec. 35. Exemptions. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, smoking is allowed in the following areas:

(1) Private residences or dwelling places, except when used as a child care, adult day care, or healthcare facility or any other home-based business open to the public.

(2) Retail tobacco stores as defined in Section 10 of
this Act in operation prior to the effective date of this
amendatory Act of the 95th General Assembly. The retail
tobacco store shall annually file with the Department by

January 31st an affidavit stating the percentage of its 1 2 gross income during the prior calendar year that was 3 derived from the sale of loose tobacco, plants, or herbs and cigars, cigarettes, pipes, or other smoking devices for 4 5 smoking tobacco and related smoking accessories. Anv 6 retail tobacco store that begins operation after the 7 effective date of this amendatory Act may only qualify for 8 exemption if located in a freestanding structure an 9 occupied solely by the business and smoke from the business 10 does not migrate into an enclosed area where smoking is 11 prohibited.

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(3) (Blank).

13 (4) Hotel and motel sleeping rooms that are rented to 14 quests and are designated as smoking rooms, provided that 15 all smoking rooms on the same floor must be contiguous and 16 smoke from these rooms must not infiltrate into nonsmoking 17 rooms or other areas where smoking is prohibited. Not more than 25% of the rooms rented to quests in a hotel or motel 18 19 may be designated as rooms where smoking is allowed. The 20 status of rooms as smoking or nonsmoking may not be 21 changed, except to permanently add additional nonsmoking 22 rooms.

(5) Enclosed laboratories that are excluded from the
definition of "place of employment" in Section 10 of this
Act. Rulemaking authority to implement this amendatory Act
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rules being adopted in accordance with all provisions of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act and all rules and procedures of the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules; any purported rule not so adopted, for whatever reason, is unauthorized.

6 (6) Common smoking rooms in long-term care facilities 7 operated under the authority of the Illinois Department of Veterans' Affairs or licensed under the Nursing Home Care 8 9 Act that are accessible only to residents who are smokers 10 and have requested in writing to have access to the common 11 smoking room where smoking is permitted and the smoke shall 12 not infiltrate other areas of the long-term care facility. 13 Rulemaking authority to implement this amendatory Act of 14 the 95th General Assembly, if any, is conditioned on the 15 rules being adopted in accordance with all provisions of 16 the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act and all rules and 17 procedures of the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules; any purported rule not so adopted, for whatever reason, is 18 unauthorized. 19

20 <u>(7) Any eligible establishment that has obtained a</u> 21 <u>license to allow smoking on the premises from the local</u> 22 <u>liquor control commission. An eligible establishment must</u> 23 <u>post prominent signage notifying the public that the</u> 24 <u>establishment has been designated as a smoking</u> 25 <u>establishment.</u>

26 (Source: P.A. 95-17, eff. 1-1-08; 95-1029, eff. 2-4-09;

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1 96-1357, eff. 1-1-11.)

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