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SB0767

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

240 ILCS 40/20-25

Amends the Grain Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the refusal of a licensee to allow liquidation.

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AN ACT concerning warehouses.

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

Section 5. The Grain Code is amended by changing Section
20-25 as follows:

6 (240 ILCS 40/20-25)

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Sec. 20-25. Refusal of licensee to allow liquidation.

(a) If, after a failure, the the failed licensee does not 8 9 transfer control of the grain assets to the Trustee, the Director may, in conjunction with the authority granted in this 10 Code and in Section 205-410 of the Department of Agriculture 11 Law (20 ILCS 205/205-410), file a complaint and apply to a 12 court of competent jurisdiction for a temporary restraining 13 14 order, a preliminary injunction, or a permanent injunction to be entered without bond to carry out the provisions of this 15 16 Code.

17 (b) If a party seeks relief from a court of competent 18 jurisdiction that would enjoin, restrain, stay, or otherwise 19 resist either (1) an administrative order of the Department 20 that suspends, revokes, or denies renewal of a license under 21 this Code or (2) an action brought by the Department relating 22 to liquidation of a licensee, the court shall require the party 23 requesting the relief to provide a bond as provided for in the SB0767 - 2 - LRB097 04488 ASK 44527 b

1 Code of Civil Procedure. The bond shall be in an amount 2 adequate to assure that all producers and depositors will be 3 paid while the licensee is operating following suspension, revocation, or denial of renewal of a license under the 4 5 judicial relief for grain sold to or stored with the licensee. 6 The bond shall be in a minimum amount sufficient to satisfy all 7 existing grain obligations of the licensee for grain purchased, 8 sold, or stored. In setting the amount of the bond, the court 9 shall consider increasing the amount of the bond based upon a 10 consideration of other factors, including, but not limited to, 11 the total dollar amount of grain purchased annually by the 12 licensee and the value of the storage obligations of the 13 licensee.

14 (Source: P.A. 91-239, eff. 1-1-00.)