



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

HB6558

by Rep. Steven A. Andersson

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

605 ILCS 5/4-407
605 ILCS 5/4-408

from Ch. 121, par. 4-407
from Ch. 121, par. 4-408

Amends the Illinois Highway Code. Provides that the Department of Transportation and a local governmental agency shall post notice of highway detour locations on their respective websites no later than 10 days before a detour becomes active.

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1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Highway Code is amended by changing
5 Sections 4-407 and 4-408 as follows:

6 (605 ILCS 5/4-407) (from Ch. 121, par. 4-407)

7 Sec. 4-407. The Department may temporarily close to traffic
8 any portion of a State highway for the purpose of constructing,
9 repairing or making improvements thereon. When a portion of a
10 State highway with a route marking is so closed, the Department
11 shall arrange with local authorities or otherwise to maintain
12 efficient detours around the portion of the State highway which
13 is closed and shall post notice of the detour locations on the
14 Department's website no later than 10 days before the detour
15 becomes active. Such detour shall be plainly and conspicuously
16 marked with signs by which traffic may be guided around that
17 part of the highway so closed.

18 (Source: P.A. 84-873.)

19 (605 ILCS 5/4-408) (from Ch. 121, par. 4-408)

20 Sec. 4-408. The Department may, upon application by the
21 proper authorities of any local governmental agency, issue a
22 permit to such agency to temporarily close to traffic any

1 portion of a State highway for any public purpose or for any
2 temporary needs of such agency. Such permit shall be issued
3 only upon the explicit agreement of the local governmental
4 agency to assume all liabilities and pay all claims for any
5 damages which shall be occasioned by such closing and such
6 agreement shall be made a part of every such permit. When a
7 State highway is closed by a local governmental agency under
8 the terms of a permit, the agency shall maintain efficient
9 detours satisfactory to the Department around the portion of
10 the closed highway. The Department and the local governmental
11 agency shall post notice of the detour locations on the
12 Department's website and the local governmental agency's
13 website no later than 10 days before the detour becomes active.
14 Such detour shall be plainly and conspicuously marked with
15 signs by which traffic may be guided around that part of the
16 State highway so closed.

17 (Source: Laws 1959, p. 196.)